

Mott Poll Questions



School Traffic Safety

The following questions were answered by parents with children age 6-12 years old.

Q1. How does your child get to school most days?

1. School Bus
2. Car
3. Walk
4. Bike / Scooter
5. Public transportation (city bus, subway)
6. N/A – child does not go to school

Q2. How does your child get home from school most days?

1. School Bus
2. Car
3. Walk
4. Bike / Scooter
5. Public transportation (city bus, subway)

Q3. To get to or from the school building, does your child walk through an area where cars are dropping off or picking up children?

1. Yes
2. No
3. Unsure

Q4. Does a school official and/or safety officer supervise the parent drop-off / pick-up area?

1. Always
2. Sometimes
3. Rarely/never
4. Unsure

Q5. Is the level of supervision at the parent drop-off / pick-up area:

1. Good
2. Adequate
3. Inadequate
4. Unsure

Q6. On the way to get into the school building, does your child walk through an area where buses are dropping off or picking up children?

1. Yes
2. No
3. Unsure

Q7. Is the level of supervision at the bus drop-off / pick-up area:

1. Good
2. Adequate
3. Inadequate
4. Unsure

Q8. To what extent do the following pose problems for children's safety?

	Major problem	Minor problem	Not a problem
a. Parents speeding			
b. Parents parking in no-parking areas			
c. Parents dropping off in wrong location			
d. Children not staying on sidewalks			
e. Bus drivers not paying attention			
f. Parents not paying attention			

Q9. How much do you agree with the following?

	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
a. School officials need to take action when parents do not follow traffic rules near the school.				
b. I worry about my child's safety going to and from school.				
c. It's likely that a child will get hurt near the car or bus drop-off area.				

Q10. What actions should the school take to address parents who do not follow traffic rules near the school? Select all actions you would support.

1. Have law enforcement give warnings
2. Have law enforcement give tickets
3. Put up cones, gates, or other barriers to better direct traffic flow
4. Suspend/ban certain parents from entering the school parking area
5. Other [text box]
6. None of the above

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