

Hackney School Streets



#### **London Borough of Hackney: Context**





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#### Hackney v Brooklyn: who's the hippest of them all?

When it comes to quarters that are achingly cool, two boroughs on opposite sides of the pond are battling it out

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#### HACKNEY / LONDON / U.K.

London's cool crowd just keeps moving east. Our conclusion: Hackney is the new Dalston, which, until recently, was the new Shoreditch (and so on). Popular with everyone from eccentric E.U. expats to Central Saint Martins design students, it's still relatively affordable compared with the rest of town, and it retains such popular destinations as the Broadway Market —a street that holds art-book stores and slow-food restaurants—and the London Fields, which, on the rare sunny day, has enough street style inspiration to rival any Fashion Week.





### **Background: Healthy Streets Framework**



Source: Lucy Saunders







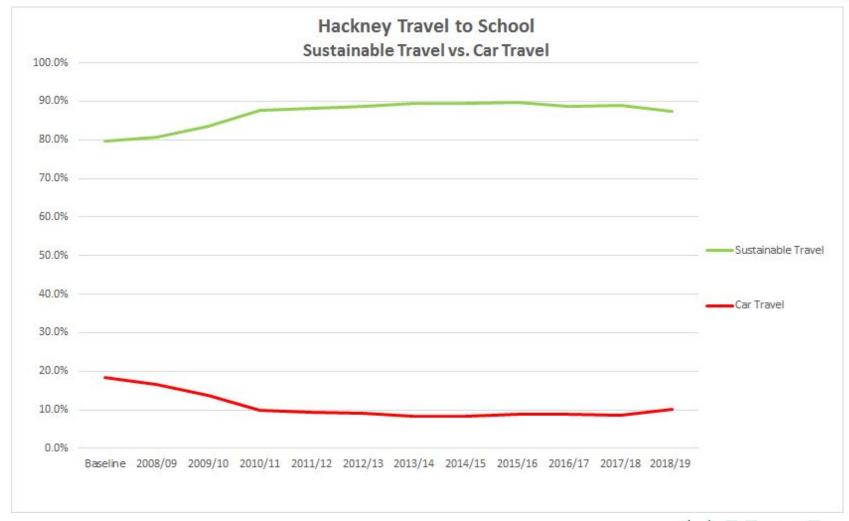


























**→** Hackney

#### **European Influence**







Sciennes Primary School in Edinburgh. A scheme to close roads next to schools before and after classes in the city is set to be approved by councillors. Picture: TSPL



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- \* Krakow, Poland
- \* Budapest, Hungary
- Madrid, Spain
- Milan, Italy,
- \* Brussels, Belgium
- Bielefeld, Germany
- Province of Noord Brabant.





#### **School Streets: Definition**

- Timed pedestrian and cycles only zone
- 5 days per week
- Residents exempted
- Vehicles already in the zone can leave
- Installation of large signs at all entry points which fold up during non-operating periods







#### What <u>IS</u> a School Street?







#### What IS NOT a School Street?

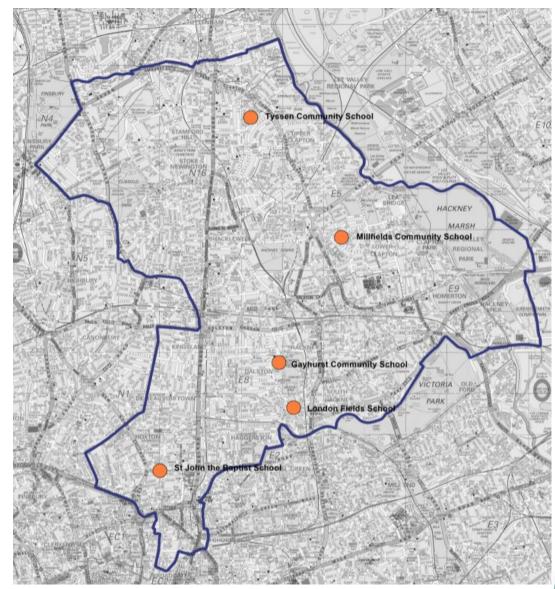
- Street party street parties are great, but different
- Play streets also great, but different
- Anti-idling days
- Mass bike ride (also great, but also different)
- School Street launch events can involve all of the above, but the School Street scheme itself is a year-round restriction not a special event







## **Pilot Locations (2017)**

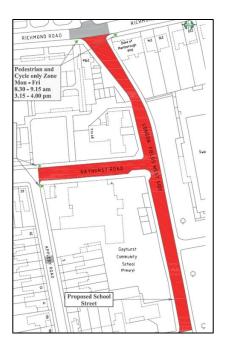


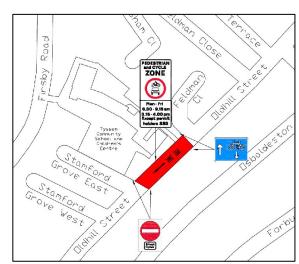


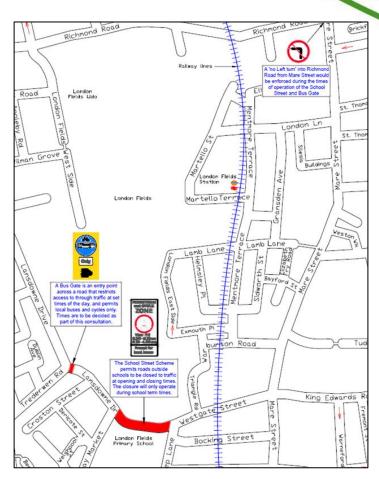
#### **Pilot Locations (2017)**













#### **Initial Media Response (2017)**



#### MAYBE YOU CAN'T DRIVE YOUR CAR

School run parents who drive their kids to lessons face fine of £130 under London council plans to cut pollution and dangerous driving

Unprecedented move will see cars banned from roads schools in east London at drop-off and pick-up times







- Parents in London who drive their children to school could face fines up to £130
- The dramatic step will be trialled around two schools and could be expanded
- · Cars will be banned from roads near to schools at drop-off and pick up times

By HARVEY DAY FOR MAILONLINE
PUBLISHED: 21:27, 10 April 2017 | UPDATED: 21:56, 10 April 2017

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school to cut down fumes

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### **Pilot Impact**





Before After



## **Pilot Impact**



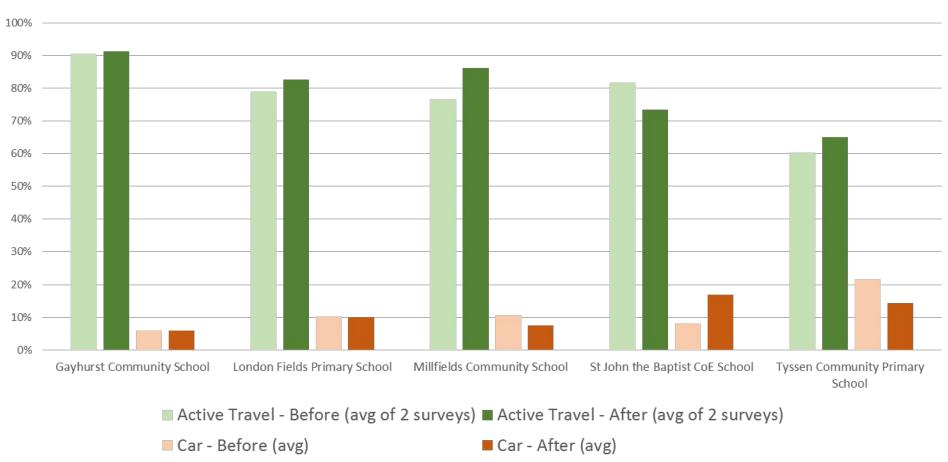


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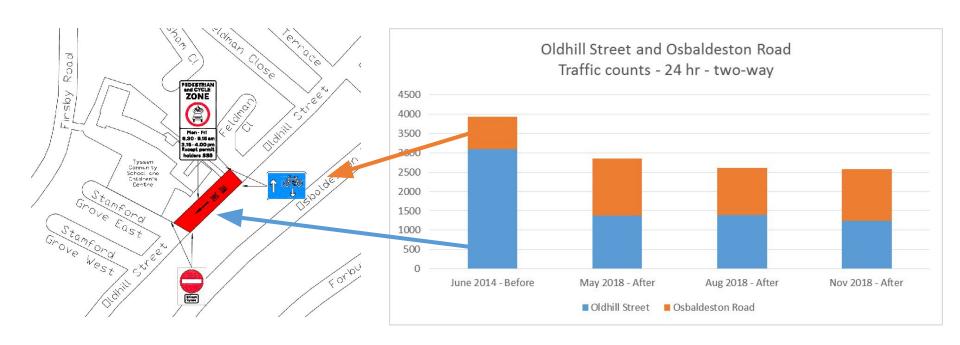
#### **Pilot Impact: Active Travel**

#### Active Travel and car use before and after school streets



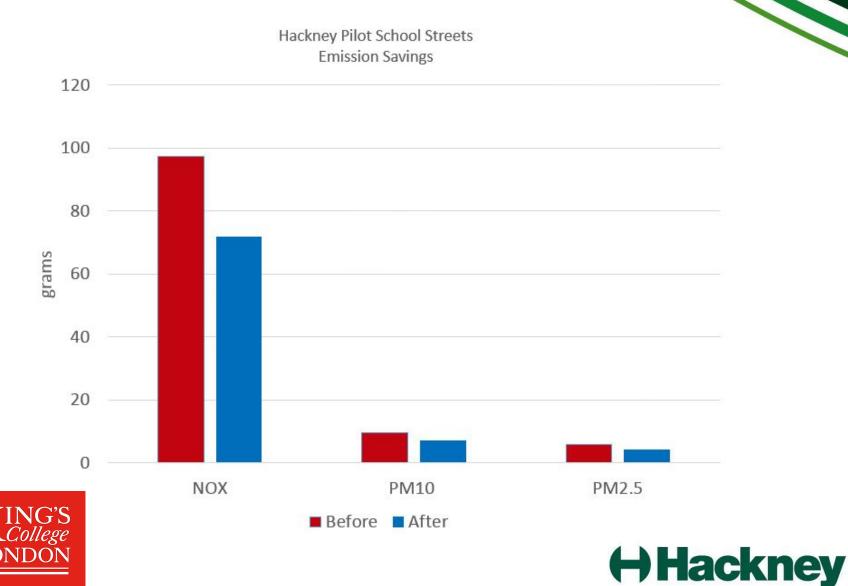


#### **Pilot Impact: Traffic Displacement**





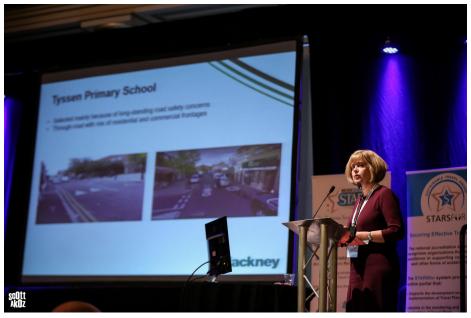
#### **Pilot Impact: Air Pollution**



#### **Pilot Impact: Wider Influence**

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#### **Pilot Impact: Wider Influence**











#### **Hackney School Streets: Going Forward**

Council launches eighth school street and announces every single school in Hackney could soon have one

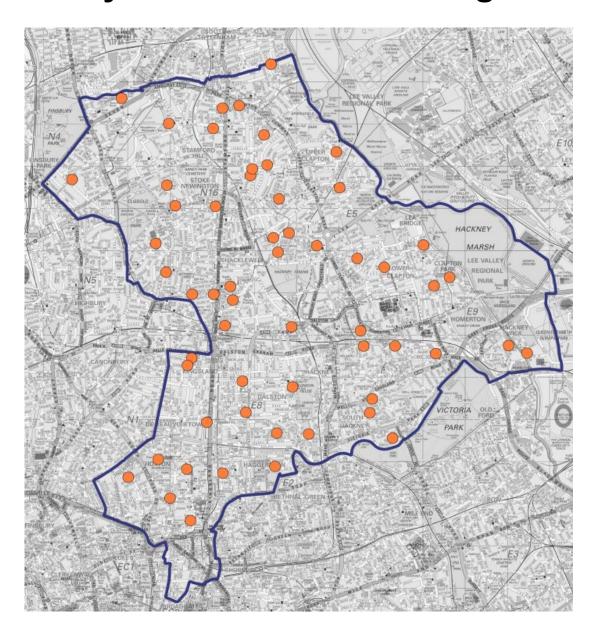
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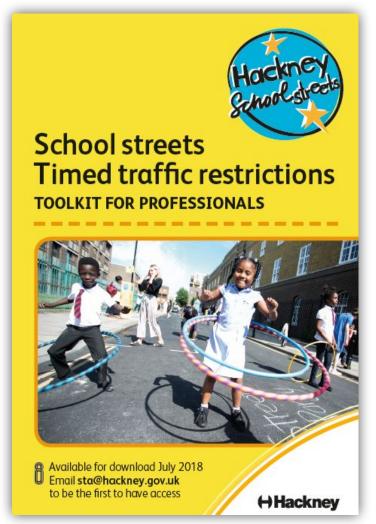


## **Hackney School Streets: Going Forward**





#### **Hackney School Streets: Supporting Others**







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#### School streets in Hackney video

Hear from parents and Heads about the results at their school and about how Hackney is sharing its experience with other local authorities.





#### **Hackney School Streets: Supporting Others**









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# School Streets

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Our mission is to improve the quality of life for people living in cities no matter their age, ability or socioeconomic status.



What if everything we did in our cities was great for an 8 year old and an 80 year old?



+400 incidents of motor vehicle collisions involved children near schools over a 12year-period.

Toronto, 2018



## Vision Zero

8 80 streets is an urban experiment that will allow Torontonians to imagine what a more human-centered street looks and feels like. It is a collectively built prototype, to showcase how community can come together to build safer streets.









8 80 Streets

Mountview

**Gord Perks** 



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### Why Mountview Ave?

- 1. Community support
- 2. Dense neighbourhood
- 3. History of being an unsafe street
- 4. Trying an alternative solution to an existing problem









### Street Event Application

					This is NOT a Permit
APPLICANT INFORM	IATION (please print)				
Primary Contact Name (F				Primary Contact Phone No.	
Name of Organization					•
Mailing Address					
Apt/Unit No.	City		Province		Postal Code
Alternate Phone No.			Email Address		
EVENT INFORMATIO	N		l		
Name of Event					Total expected attendance
Type of Event	☐ Block Party ☐	Race/Athletic Event	estival Other _		
Brief Description of Event					Previous Permit Number
Is admission restrict	ed? (gated or registrat	ion required to participate)	☐ Yes ☐ I	No	
Barricade and Traffic Cor	ntrol Contractor	Name:		Phone N	0.:
Proposed Location(s	): List all streets involv	ed in the closure on page 2	of the application form	. Attach addit	ional sheets if necessary.
Please complete the	questions below:				
Will food and beverages i ☐ Yes ☐ No	be served?	Will alcohol be served? ☐ Yes ☐ No		Will amplific ☐ Yes	cation systems or loudspeakers be used:
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### **Waste Management Plan for Street Events**

The Waste Management Plan MUST be completed and submitted with your Permit Application.

#### Requirements

Your plan details must include:

- a) Disposal bin placement (if you are arranging for a disposal bin). A site plan showing the disposal bin's location(s) and all recycling and waste container locations.
- b) Information about private company hired to clean up. Your plan must list the company name, contact person and phone number. In addition, include the time you have hired them to do the clean up. A copy of the contract is required.

Contact Solid Waste Management Services, Special Events: 416-392-7171 or 416-392-7745.

Note: A road closure permit will not be issued until a Waste Management Plan is submitted and approved by Solid Waste Management Services. Should the applicant/permit holder fail to remove any garbage, litter and debris from the public right-of-way then the City will remove it at the applicant's expense.

Events taking place entirely in public parks are exempt from completion of a waste management plan (provided there is no partial closure or usage of the public right-of-way for event operations).

<b>Event Information</b>					
Event Name		Event Date (yyyy-mm-dd)			
Event Address/Location	Expected Attendance				
Contact Information					
Primary Contact					
First Name	Last Name	Telephone Number			
E-mail Address	Applicant's Signature	•			

Last Name

#### Waste Collection, Bins and Materials

Private Company Name			Number of Hired St	lumber of Hired Staff Number of Volunteers		
Contact First Name			Contact Last Name			
Telephone Number			Mobile Number			
Bins supplied by Solid Waste Management Services.	Recycling (O	g (Office use only) Organics Garb		oage		
	Roll-Off Bins	Toter Bins	Toter Bins	Roll-O	ff Bins	Toter Bins
Number of Bins						
Size/Capacity						
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Check this box if you are managing your own waste (e.g., using residential bins, managing litter with volunteers, etc.)



Telephone Number

12-0019 2015-01

Secondary Contact First Name

E-mail Address

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### Monday, October 28 to Thursday, October 31 8AM - 9AM and 3PM - 4PM

### What is it?

For one hour at the start and end of the school day, Mountview Ave will be car-free in front of Keele Street PS so that students can safely walk, bike, or wheel to school! This will be Toronto's first pop-up demonstration of "School Streets," a successful program from the UK.

### How can I participate?

We encourage students to walk, bike, or wheel to school every day, but especially this week! Students can bring bikes, scooters, toys, or balls to play in the car-free street. Parents and caregivers are invited to join the fun! Yard supervision will begin as usual at 8:30am.

### Want to volunteer?

We need your help! Sign up for a volunteer shift at tiny.cc/mountview.



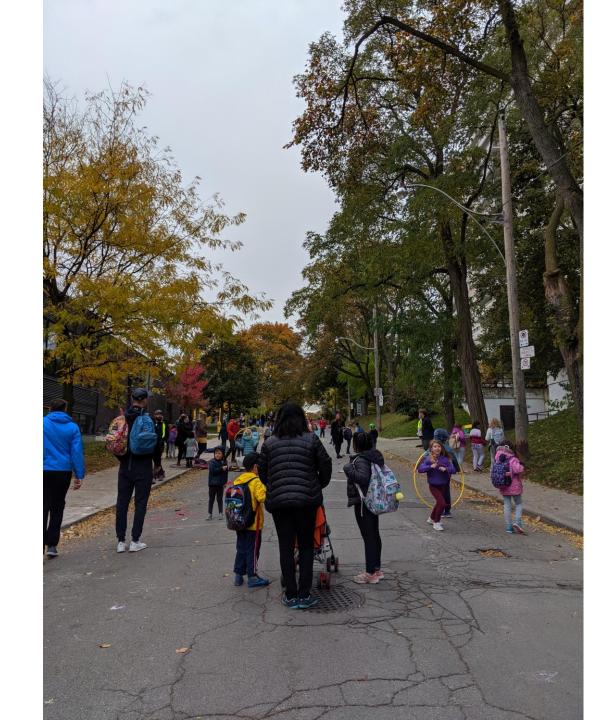


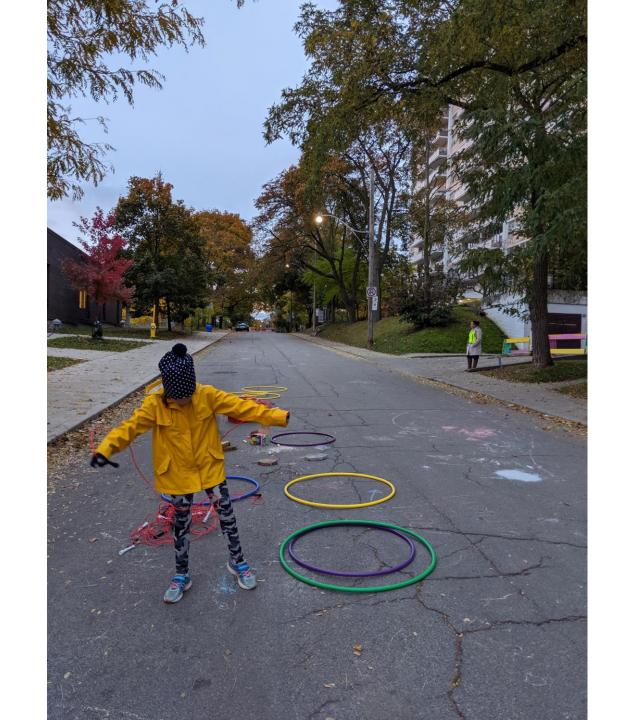


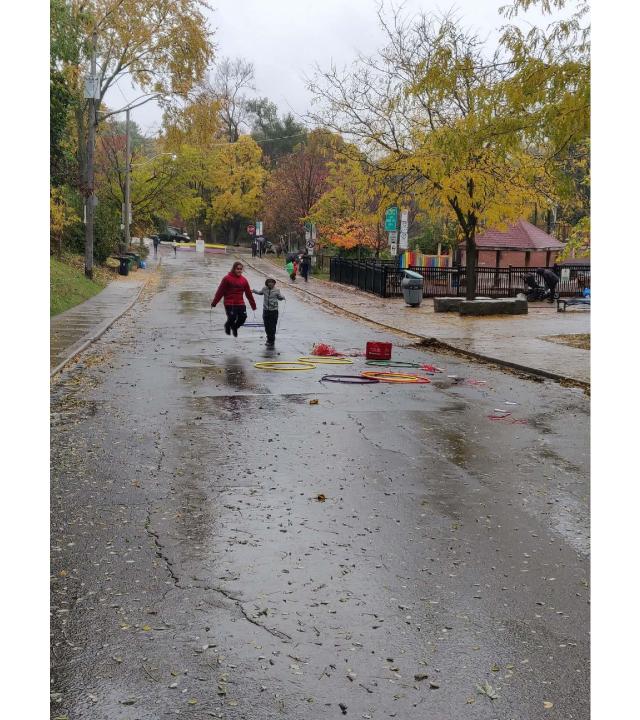
















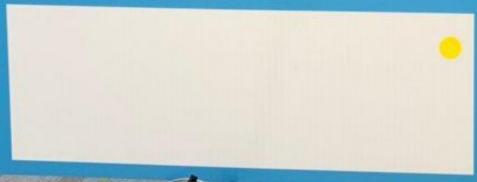
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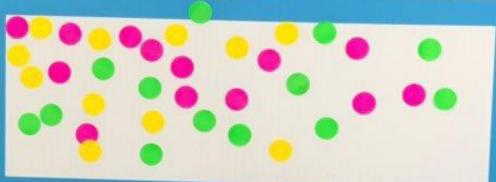
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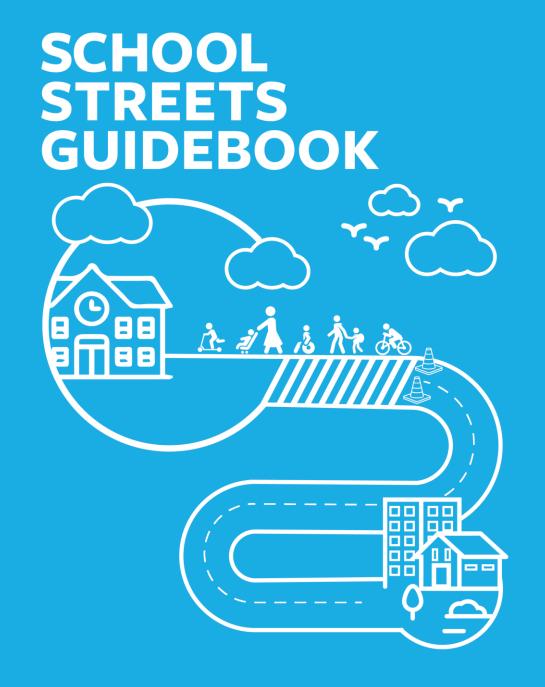
### **Lessons Learned**

Displaced traffic was less of an issue

School readiness is key

Quick adaptation

## School Streets Guidebook





Making a difference...together



### Lesson's learned:

- Added programing got the whole community involved
- 2. Displaced traffic was less of an issue than anticipated
- 3. Remember to notify substitute teachers and irregular staff



### **Developing a School Streets Program**

School Streets have been popularized in European cities and the programs have ignited interest and replication globally. School Streets are unique to the context of the street and community in which it is located. Some programs are led by dedicated advocacy groups and community

organizations, whereas others are led by city officials. Regardless of who takes the first initial step in coordinating the program, it always begins with identifying an issue and starting a broader conversation about community health and safety.

#### School Streets can happen in 3 steps:

- 1. Engage and Plan
- 2. Launch
- 3. Evaluate and Sustain



# School Streets in 3 simple phases

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## **School Streets Survey**

Participation in this survey is voluntary. Any personal information provided will only be used to review public feedback related to this School Streets program.

1. This survey was completed  Before the School Streets program launched  While the School Streets program was running	6. How would you describe the air quality in front of the school?  Very clean  Clean
Please respond to the following questions based on your current interaction with [enter street name].	Neutral Polluted Very polluted
2. What brings you to the [enter street name] Going to School Dropping off a student Passing through Other	7. How would you rate your feelings of safet in front of the school?  Very safe Safe Unsafe Very unsafe
3. How did you get here today? Select option traveled for longest distance.  Walk School Bus Bike Private car Dublic transit Other (specify):  4. How would you describe your commute to [enter school name]?  Very good Good Bad Very bad	8. How do you feel about the School Streets program? The School Streets restricts vehicular traffic at the beginning and end of the school day, opening the street to pedestrians and cyclists.  Very positive Positive Negative Very negative 9. Why do you feel this way?
5. How would you describe the level of vehicular congestion on your commute?  Very low Low Moderate High Very high	

### [enter School Streets Name]: Travel Counts

Instructions: Mark every pedestrians, cyclists, and mobility device user that passes into the School Streets with a tick on that chart below based on their age and gender.

	Name:	Location:		
1	Date:	Time:		

PEDESTRIANS A person walking.		CYCLISTS A person riding a bicycle.			MOBILITY DEVICE USERS  A person who is using a devise (wheelchair, stroller ect.) to support their commute.			
AGE	MALE	FEMALE	AGE	MALE	FEMALE	AGE	MALE	FEMALE
0-4			0-4			0-4		
5-14			5-14			5-14		
15-24			15-24			15-24		
25-44			25-44			25-44		
45-64			45-64			45-64		
65+			65+			65+		

## School Streets Guidebook

https://www.88ocities.or g/portfolio\_page/schoolstreets-guidebook/ 8 80 Streets: Mountview

www.88ocities.org/8-8ostreets/Mountview/

## What's next?

Communicate

Refine

Scale



## Thank you!

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