

Diocese of Brownsville
Catholic Schools Walkathon 2021
Permission Form



Dear Parent or Guardian:

Our annual Catholic Schools Walkathon 2021 is coming up on Friday, May 7, 2021. Walkathon 2021 is a fund-raising event sponsored by the Catholic School Office of the Diocese of Brownsville. Our school, along with all Catholic schools in the diocese, will be participating in this event.

Our purpose is to draw attention to the treasure that our Catholic education system is to our community. We want to let everyone know that we believe in our schools. In addition, we will raise money for scholarship funds and for some of our school needs.

Our annual walk will look a bit different this year due to those students who are on campus and those students who are at home learning. We want to bring both groups together, so we are asking that in-person students walk around the school while the students at home walk with your parents walk around your neighborhood, at a park, or somewhere else that you find it good for walking.

Students at home can track their walks on any device and send pictures so that the school can post them on Facebook with the provided hashtags. Principals will coordinate a schedule for the walk for both groups and a means for both in person and at home students to greet each other.

All students should purchase the **“brightly orange T-shirts”** for the walk and students should contact sponsors who will give a contribution for their walk. The T-shirt shows people where our students go to school and promote Catholic Education. Contributions may be secured from family, friends, your co-workers, or even company sponsors. For your child’s safety, please do not allow your child to go door-to-door. For your child’s safety and convenience, ask sponsors to contribute by check payable to this school.

Please sign this permission form and have your child return it to school by _____(date).

Student Name: _____ Room #: _____

Please place a check mark by those statements that apply.

I give permission for my child, _____(name), to participate in the Catholic School Walkathon 2021 to be held on Friday, May 7, 2021. I know of no medical reason that would prevent my child from participating safely. I agree that in the event that my child is injured as a result of his/her participating in this event through the negligence, active or passive, of the school or any of its agents or employees, recourse for the payment of any resulting hospital, medical or related cost and expenses will first be held against any accident, hospital or medical insurance, or any available benefit plan of mine or of my spouse.

No, my child may not participate in the walkathon.

I will participate in the walkathon as a parent volunteer. My phone number during the day is _____.

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Name (please print) _____