

School Name

Assumptions for Calculations

Average mpg for all vehicles **21.1 mpg**

Cost of gas at the time the survey was taken: **\$3.74**

Pounds of CO₂ burned per mile 0.89 cars, 1.03 bus

Overall

number of students

Sample size # students

Average distance per school: x miles

x% of students live within a 3-mile radius of school

Students drive to school x% of the time, x% of those students drive x% of the time.

Students walk or bike to school x% of the time

Students take the bus to school x% of the time.

x% of driving trips are carpools with x students in the carpool.

Gas, Cost and CO₂ breakdown

Per single passenger student for one week

Gallons of gas: x

Cost: x

Lbs. of CO₂ in a week: x

Cost per year for a single passenger driver

(175 days-35 weeks a year)

Gallons of gas: x

Cost: x

Lbs. of CO₂ in a year x

Per average Student per week

Gallons of gas: x

Cost: x

Lbs. of CO₂ in a week: x

Per average student per year

Gallons of gas: x

Cost: x

Lbs. of CO₂ in a year: x

Average week for all students

Gallons of gas: x

Cost: x

Lbs. of CO₂ in a week: x

Cost per year for all students

Gallons of gas: x

Cost: x

Lbs. of CO₂ in a year: x

Students generate their own weight in CO₂ approximately every x weeks.

The average backpack weighs 20lbs. In one week you make x backpacks worth of CO₂

