# Walking in Northern Ireland K



Results from the Travel Survey for Northern Ireland (TSNI) 2016-2018



# **Key walking facts**

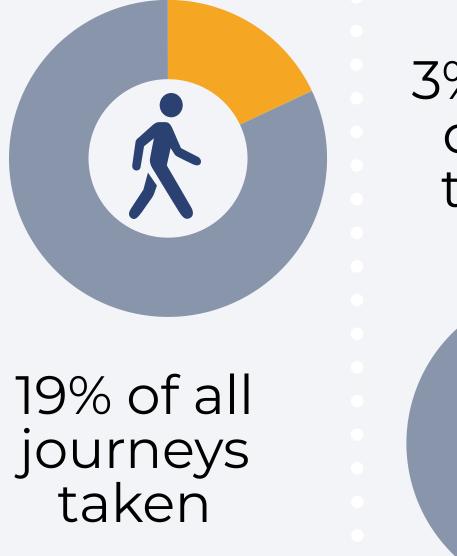


- journeys per person per year
- 165

0.9

19

- miles walked per person
- per year miles - average journey
  - length
- minutes average journey time



3% of total distance travelled





2 miles

### **Purpose of walking**

### % who walked 20 minutes or more at least once a year by age and sex

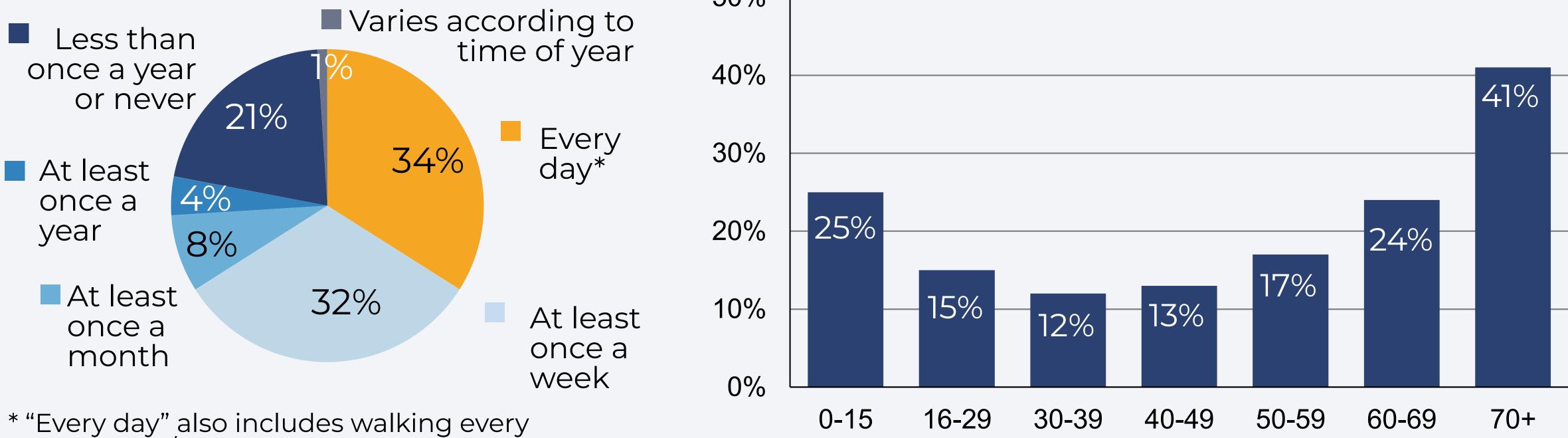
Purpose as proportion of all walking journeys

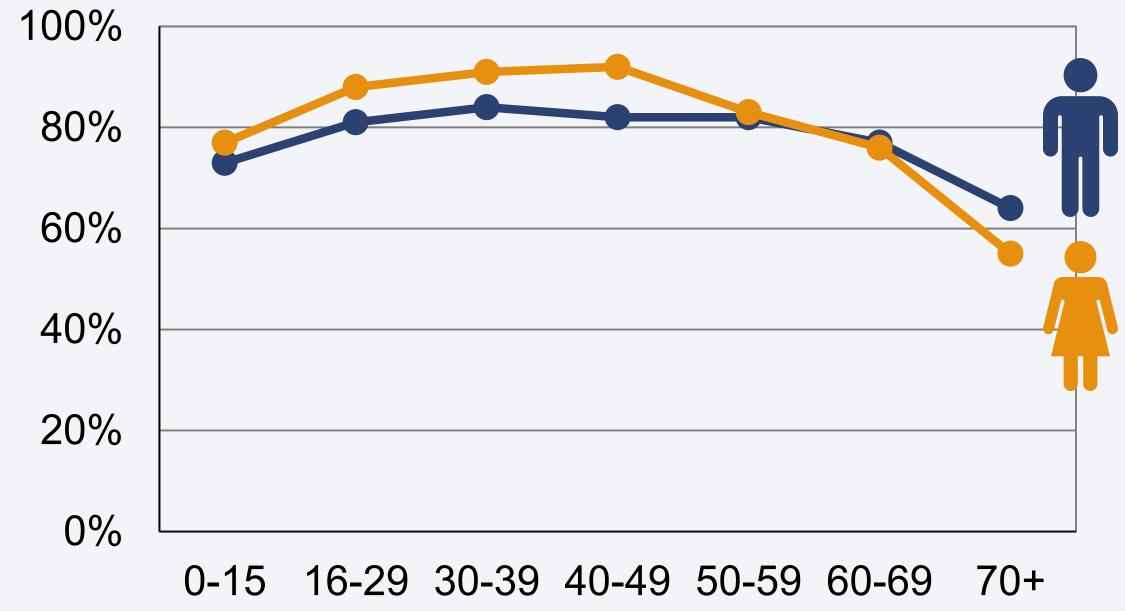
	44%	Leisure / Other*
18%		Shopping
15%	Education / Escort education	
11%	Com	nmuting / Business
8%	Personal business	
3%		Other escort

\*Includes walking journeys just for pleasure

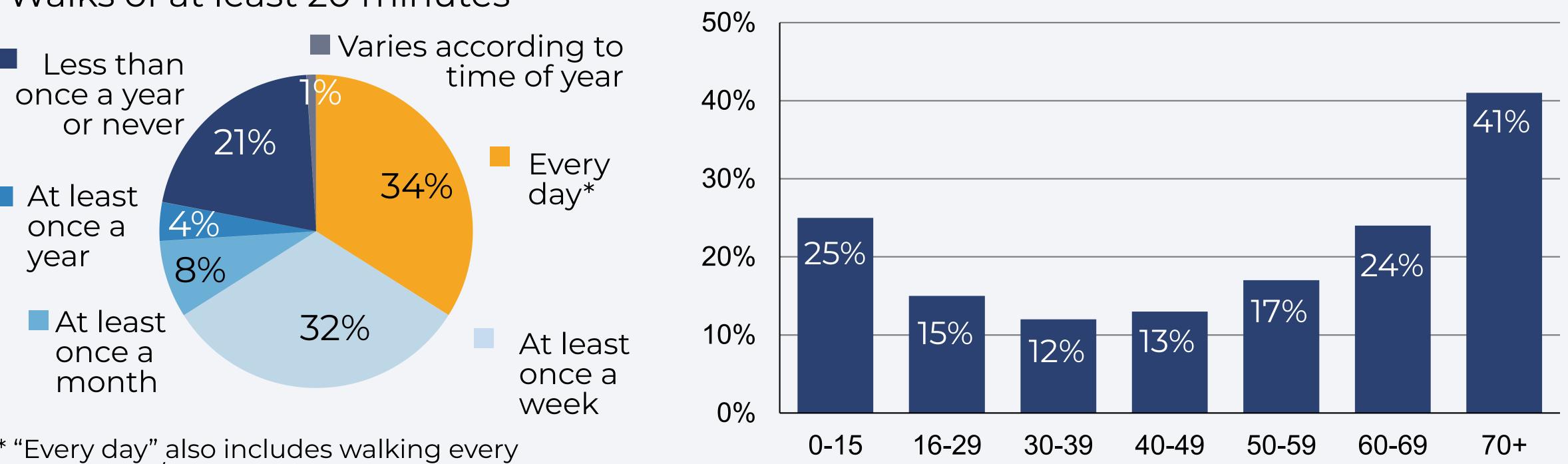
# Frequency of walking

Walks of at least 20 minutes





Proportion who walk for at least 20 minutes less than once a year or never, by age



working day/school day but not at weekends

# Walking in the TSNI

A walking journey in the TSNI is one where walking is the main mode (form of travel used for the greatest length of the journey). Walks under 50m are excluded. Walks over 50m but under 1 mile are recorded only on day 1 of the travel diary and grossed up for the full travel week. Distance figures include walks made as part of any journey. Further definitions can be found in the In-depth report, available at the link below.

### **About this factsheet**

Results in this factsheet refer to 2016-2018 except where otherwise stated.

The next edition (for 2017-2019) will be published after the next in-depth results are released in early 2021.

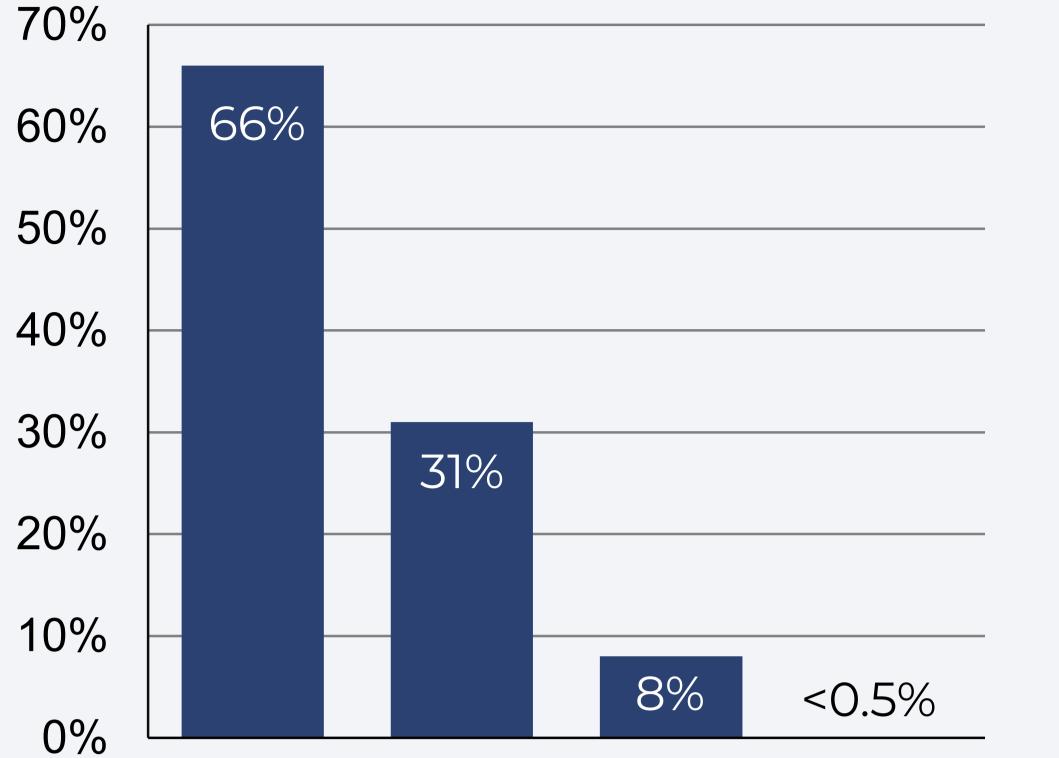
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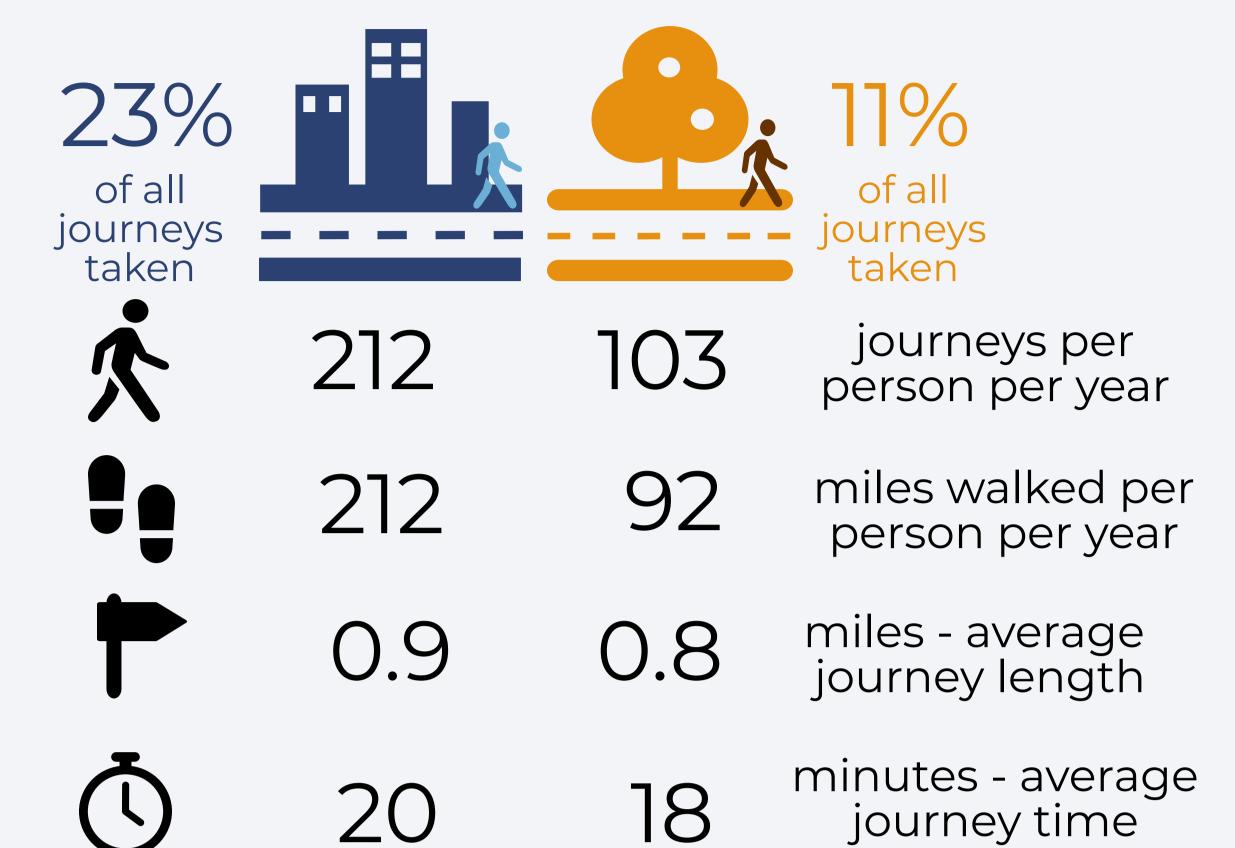
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### Walking journeys as a % of all journeys by journey length



### Key urban-rural walking facts\*



\*Urban-rural information is based on the areas where the

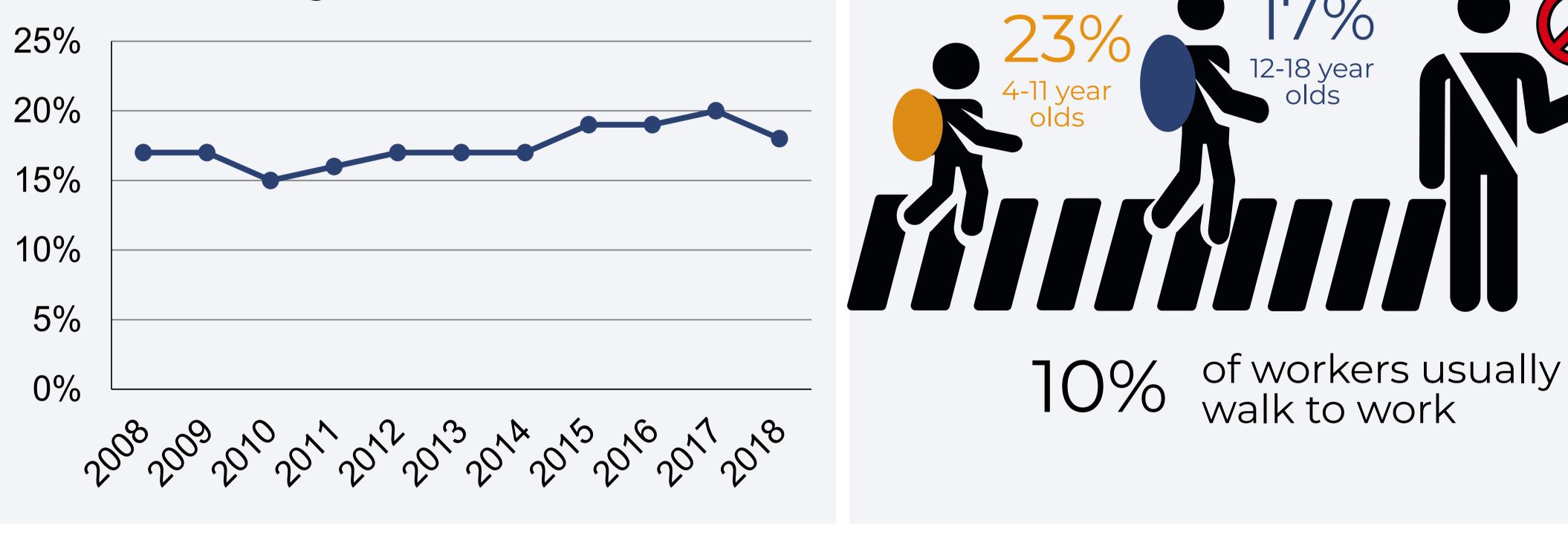
% of school journeys which were walked

Walking to school and work

2 to < 5 5 miles or<1 mile 1 to < 2 miles miles more

# Walking trend

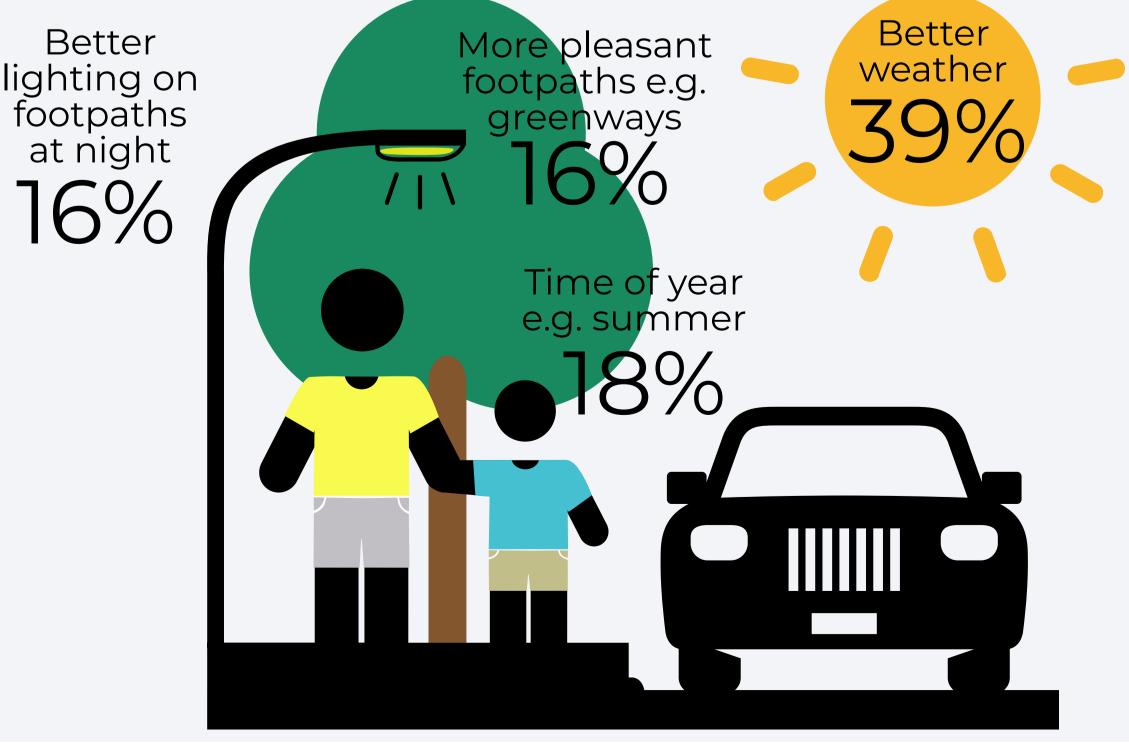
% of all journeys where main mode of travel is walking



### What would encourage

### Why do respondents feel unsafe when walking by the road?

#### respondents to walk more often?





respondents live





Motorists driving 25% without consideration of pedestrians



Traffic travelling above the speed limit



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