

*REFLECTION*  
*INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN -*  
*OFFICER PRESENTATION*  
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**Description:**

In order to present digital citizenship and safety to my students, I organized a presentation by a local officer to the fifth grade class. We knew that the students would eventually be getting their own district-issued computers that they would be able to take home to use. Since we cannot monitor these computers at home, we wanted them to be educated on the issues of privacy. I feel that these are additional lessons that the students need due to the technological advances that we face. In addition, I believe that this is a class that should be taught to the students in multiple settings to promote digital safety with students.

**Impact:**

The officer presentation was to remind students about digital safety as well as their digital citizenship as they gain their own chromebook issued by the district. Having technology at their fingertips could open the door of many issues for young students. For example, students could be using the technology improperly and use it for topics other than school. Or, the students could use it in a way that may give away too much personal information outside of school. These are the dangers of 1:1 implementation by the district. However, this presentation will help the students understand the importance of staying safe and following the rules.

**Intent:**

We typically discuss digital citizenship at the end of the year when the students are entering middle school with this officer to show the importance. However, I feel as though it should be introduced sooner. In addition, it should be discussed and reiterated throughout the year to remind the students of their responsibilities online. I plan to make this change in the upcoming years in order to encourage stronger digital citizenship.