

Officer Friendly Program

Officers with the Winston Salem Police Department Crime Prevention unit will attend an event and talk about being a police officer. Crime Prevention Officer will discuss the following:

Tell what Police Officers do:

- help people
- keep people safe

Talk about what is on uniform:

- handcuffs
- radio
 - o when talking about radio, talk about 911
 - what is an emergency – someone hurt, etc.
 - what is NOT an emergency – pet missing, etc.
 - what you should know when calling the police
 - name
 - address
 - telephone number
 - what the problem is
- flashlight
- glove pouch
 - o Why do officers need gloves?
 - Blood
 - Germs
 - Body fluids
- Asp/baton
 - o What is use of the baton?
 - Keep us safe
 - o When do officers use the baton?
 - When in danger of getting hurt
- Magazine
 - o Talk about what to do if find a bullet
 - Don't touch; tell an adult
- Gun
 - o Talk about what to do if find a gun
 - o If at playground, school, etc
 - o If at home, family or friends house
 - Do not touch; tell an adult; do not tell other children