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Dedicated to the Williamson County Sheriff's Department SRO Division, Williamson County Schools,
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Hi, my name is Becky. I am a deputy sheriff and school resource officer.
I love teaching children just like you the importance of being safe while
they are playing and learning at school.

Sometimes it is hard to understand why you have to practice drills and
follow school rules, but being prepared is an important part of keeping
your school safe. Your teachers, school officer, classmates, and even
YOU play an important role in ensuring that your school is a place where
you can do all of the things that you love to do! By working together
and following the rules, we can accomplish so much!

For more information, discussion topics, and activities,
visit my website!

www.Cops4Schools.com.

Stay safe,
Deputy Becky Coyle



Why are there officers that work in our schools?

Is it to arrest us for breaking the rules?

NO! It's to protect us and teach safety, too.

When they teach lockdown drills, we'll know what to do!



The class was getting ready to put on a magic show.

They had practiced it all week, and were now set up to go!

"Excuse the interruption. Could you listen and be still?"

We would like to run a test of our school-wide lockdown drill!

Now quickly everybody, hurry up and find your space.

Remember to stay quiet as we hustle into place."

