



# SUCCESS THROUGH RESPECT



Success Through Respect (STR) is a conversation/ interactive based presentation that was created by the San Antonio Police Department (SAPD) in an effort to build a relationship and establish mutual trust with today's younger generation. The program was developed for our city's youth, specifically targeting middle school through college-aged students. It offers students the opportunity to experience various scenarios from the officer's perspective, as well as encouraging mutual respect when encountering a police officer. The presentation itself is delivered live by select SAPD officers.

## **STR PRESENTATION GOALS:**

- ✓ **ENCOURAGE** open communication between police officers and the city's youth.
- ✓ **CREATE** a safer encounter between the public and police.
- ✓ **BUILD** mutual respect and trust between officers and the community they serve.
- ✓ **GROW** towards dispelling misconceptions portrayed by media or circle of influence.

The Education Service Center (ESC) has assisted in scheduling presentations with schools and organizations all over the city and has received rave reviews from administrators and very positive feedback from the students.

SAPD is eager & ready to schedule presentations at your school, church, or business. SAPD also offers an opportunity to host the presentation at the SAPD Training Academy or Public Safety Headquarters. Ideal group size is 20-30 students; however, at this time SAPD is not putting any restrictions on group size.

If you would like more information on the STR presentation, or if you are ready to schedule a student group please contact us at [STR@sanantonio.gov](mailto:STR@sanantonio.gov).

### **Additional questions?**

SAPD- Public Information Officer, Doug Greene, 210-207-4849, [douglas.greene@sanantonio.gov](mailto:douglas.greene@sanantonio.gov)  
ESC Region 20- School Safety Liason, Larry Rodriguez, 210-370-5616, [larry.rodriguez@esc20.net](mailto:larry.rodriguez@esc20.net)