



Police Officer Tye

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Officer Robert Tye, Tanner and Taylor's daddy, came to visit today. He is employed at the Oklahoma County Sheriff's Office. He brought with him Officer Yarber, Deuce (dog) and JESS (robot). He began by reading the book, *I Want to be a Police Officer.*, to the children. After reading the book, Officer Tye visited with the children about Deuce, Officer Yarber's dog, and about JESS the Robot. Both the dog and the robot are used in situations that may be unsafe for police officers alone. The children learned that Deuce is a working dog. He knows that once he has his collar on, he is reporting for duty. The officers pointed out the various features of the robot and how it can be used to help police officers.



Deuce was able to visit with the preschool children during the demonstration. The children in the Tree Frog class were later able to pet Deuce when he came to the playground. All the children were given the opportunity to walk around and investigate the Sheriff's RV,



Thank you so much, Officer Tye, for taking time out of your day to discuss the career of Law Enforcement with us and for demonstrating some of the "tools" which make your job safer..



