Salt Lake City School District has focused on building and strengthening positive relationships among our students and school resource officers (SROs) over the past several years. As part of this focus, we have attended a multitude of trainings on restorative practices, conflict resolution, and social emotional development in children and adolescents.

As a result of our combined efforts, school-based citations have decreased from 503 in the 2013-2014 school year, to 112 in the 2016-2017 school year. We will work to increase positive contacts with SROs and students through on-going trainings, evaluations, and assessment of data. A key piece of this process is the District and Salt Lake Police Department Oversight Committee, which reviews citations and SRO interventions semi-annually.

If you have specific comments, questions, or concerns regarding school-based law enforcement contact with our students, please contact your school principal or the student services director, Mindi Holmdahl, who serves as the Oversight Committee coordinator.