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Addressing school resource officers

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— **The U.S. Census Bureau is also making an effort to help students better grasp the “value behind the numbers.”** The bureau on Wednesday released an updated “Statistics in Schools” program [<http://bit.ly/2bTtvO8>] for K-12 classes that aims to boost statistical literacy and help students hone data skills. “Understanding the value behind the numbers that measure our changing society will help the future leaders of tomorrow learn how to make data-driven decisions that shape communities for generations to come,” Census Bureau Deputy Director and Chief Operating Officer Nancy Potok said in a statement. The program is the culmination of a two-year effort by the Census Bureau to make the program more useful; it now includes online activities in geography, history, math and sociology.

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