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Madison teacher gets \$500 for classroom safety lessons
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MADISON — A Madison Central School District second-grade teacher has received \$500 to spend on school supplies after being named a first place winner in Honeywell's Got 2B Safe! awards program.

Teacher Kelly Reese was among 100 first prize winners selected from across the country to receive the money to buy supplies after submitting an essay featuring lesson plans that demonstrated how she taught the Got 2B Safe! four rules of safety in her classroom.

The award-winning Got 2B Safe! program, in its fourth year, is sponsored by the Honeywell technology company and the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children and involves four rules of safety for kids: Check with parents first when accepting gifts, rides or invitations; go with a friend and never go anywhere alone; say no to "bad" touching and tell a trusted adult if anything makes them feel scared or uncomfortable.

Five teachers who submitted essays received free eco-classroom makeovers worth \$10,000.