



SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM

## DIGITAL STORYTELLING

### Strategy Description

Digital storytelling allows students to use pictures to create a movie. Students will be able to use a microphone to record their voices over the pictures. Additionally, they will create a storyboard of the story they want to tell. The teacher should supply the digital photos he or she wants the students to use. Once students are ready they will simply follow the instructions of the software the teacher has selected to record their voice (options listed below).

### Suggested Grade Level

Upper elementary to high school

### Estimated Time to Complete

Two to three days

### Resources

- Photostory 3 user guide [www.jakesonline.org/photostory3.pdf](http://www.jakesonline.org/photostory3.pdf)
- iMovie user guide [www.taistn.org/uploaded/images/iMovie\\_Workflow-Digital\\_Storytelling\\_SlideShows.pdf](http://www.taistn.org/uploaded/images/iMovie_Workflow-Digital_Storytelling_SlideShows.pdf)

### Materials Needed

- Computer and computer microphone.
- If using Internet activities, Internet connection is required.
- Voice recording software
  - Photostory 3 for PC  
<http://www.microsoft.com/windowsxp/using/digitalphotography/photostory/default.msp>
  - or iMovie for Mac (select podcast)
  - or the following websites (not an exhaustive list)  
<http://animoto.com/education>  
<http://voicethread.com/>