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## Spring Lake Author Spotlighted by FTCC Small Business Center and Annual Report

**Spring Lake, NC, August 7, 2025**, AQ's Corner LLC, a Spring Lake-based small business serving families across Fayetteville, Harnett County, and Cumberland County, has been spotlighted by Fayetteville Technical Community College's Small Business Center (FTCC SBC) for its mission to empower families and children with digital safety skills.

### About AQ's Corner

AQ's Corner is where motherhood meets cybersecurity. Founded by Aqueelah Emanuel, AQ's Corner creates innovative ways to teach families and children about digital safety, blending storytelling, workshops, and practical tools.

### Recent Spotlight

- Featured by **FTCC Small Business Center (SBC)**
- Shared across **58 Small Business Centers in North Carolina**
- Included in **FTCC's Annual Report**

*"What started as a simple idea between mother and daughter is now growing into something much bigger, helping children and families learn how to be safe and confident online."*

- Aqueelah Emanuel, Founder

### The Book

#### *Emani and the CyberHero Response Team*

Co-authored with her daughter, Emani, this middle-grade book introduces kids to cybersecurity concepts through adventure and teamwork. It has been featured in classrooms, libraries, nonprofits, and at Barnes & Noble events.

### Community Impact

- Hosted read-alouds and workshops at schools and youth programs
- Connected with nonprofits to expand literacy and digital safety education
- Building a movement that empowers the next generation of "CyberHeroes"

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