



& Public Schools & Privatization What's at Stake?

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Appleton Public Library, Room ABC

225 N. Oneida Street, Appleton WI

This event is free and open to the public. Dr. Mead's talk is intended for parents, educators, students, business professionals and community members. The presentation will be from 7 to 8, with questions and discussion to follow.

Dr. Julie Mead shares her research on forms of school privatization, including school vouchers, which use tax dollars to support tuition at private schools. She will discuss the tradeoffs involved in various forms of school choice, the history of Wisconsin's voucher and charter school programs and the implications of those policies on public education. Dr. Mead explains the traditional features of public schools and how privatization alters those features and includes research on the comparative efficacy of different forms of schools.

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