



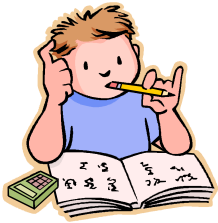
Monday April 20, 2009 @7:30PM
SPF-PTA Council Spring Ed Forum

A Gender Workshop on how

Boys and Girls Learn Differently

Presented by Dick Piazza

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Goal: to look at what we know about how the brain learns and the important differences in how male and female brains operate.

For example:

- * Girls take in more sensory data than boys but boys are better at spatial abilities.
- * Boys are more impulsive & fidgety because male brains produce less serotonin than females.
- * Estrogen and progesterone, dominate females; testosterone dominates males.
- * Boys use the right hemisphere more, girls the left.
- * The female brain is *never* at rest.

These vital differences will be explored in the context of schools and homes.



Location: **the Multi Purpose Room** - Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School
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