Common Sense and The Representation Project present

BODY TALK: Kids, Self-Image, and the Media

A Conversation with Jennifer Siebel Newsom and James P. Steyer





Jennifer Siebel Newsom is the writer, director, and producer of Miss Representation (2011) and The Mask You Live In (2015). Both films premiered at the Sundance Film Festival, and in turn, explore how the media's narrow definitions of femininity and masculinity influence how children feel about themselves.

James P. Steyer, the Founder and CEO of Common Sense, will discuss the nonprofit's latest research on "Children, Teens, Media, and Body Image" and how parents can initiate conversations with their kids around this potent topic.

WHAT

Multi-School Parent Event Hosted by St. Matthew's Parish School

WHEN

Wednesday, May 27 at 6:30 PM

WHERE

St. Matthew's - Sprague Auditorium 1031 Bienveneda Avenue Pacific Palisades, CA 90272

RSVP to Lisa Solomon at http://tinyurl.com/csmbodytalk



Common Sense is the nation's leading nonprofit organization dedicated to improving the lives of kids and families by providing the trustworthy information, education, and independent voice they need to thrive in a world of media and technology. **www.commonsense.org**



Using film as a catalyst for cultural transformation, The Representation Project inspires individuals and communities to challenge and overcome limiting stereotypes so that everyone, regardless of gender, race, class, age, sexual orientation or circumstance can fulfill their human potential. **www.therepresentationproject.org**