

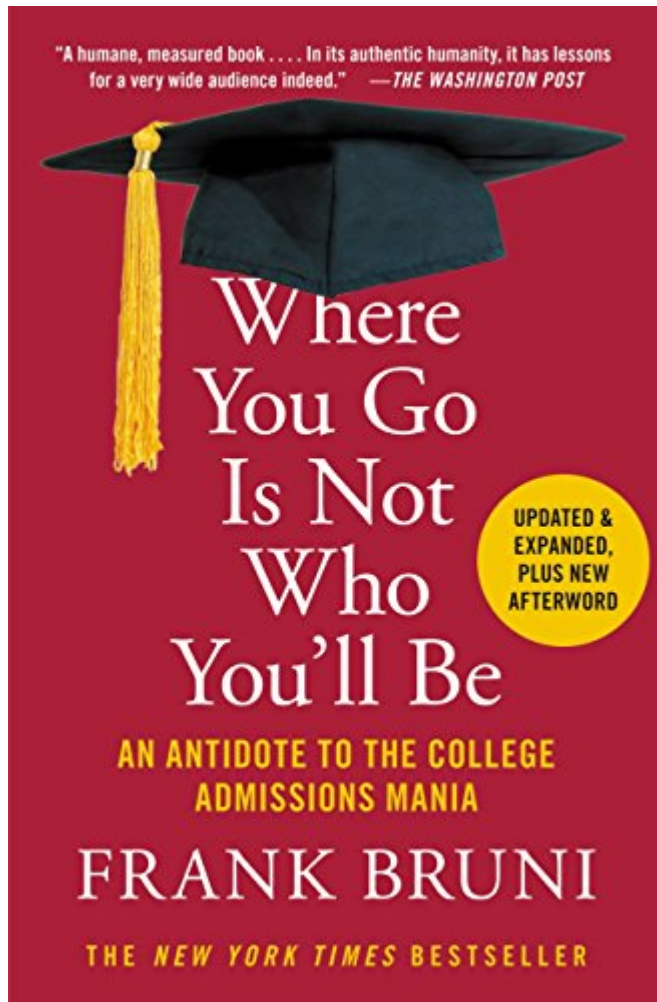
JOINT PTA OPEN COUNCIL BOOKTALK

Facilitated by Dr. Donald F. Gately, Middle School Principal
& Mr. Greg Sloan, District Director of Guidance

We're reading...

Monday, January 25, 2021

9:30am Via Zoom



**We hope to see you
there!!!**

Whether you're an elementary, middle or high school parent... before you know it, you'll be thinking about COLLEGE! Join us for a conversation about this vitally important topic!

Award-winning journalist Frank Bruni's *New York Times* bestseller: an inspiring manifesto about everything wrong with today's frenzied college admissions process and how to make the most of your college years.

Over the last few decades, Americans have turned college admissions into a terrifying and occasionally devastating process, preceded by test prep, tutors, all sorts of stratagems, all kinds of rankings, and a conviction among too many young people that their futures will be determined and their worth established by which schools say yes and which say no.

In *Where You Go is Not Who You'll Be*, Frank Bruni explains why this mindset is wrong, giving students and their parents a new perspective on this brutal, deeply flawed competition and a path out of the anxiety that it provokes.