

## Just a reminder ... March 30th, 2021



## Register for our next virtual event: Building Capacity for Change: Why Social Emotional Learning and Equity Belong Together

Presented by Erin Walsh of Spark & Stitch Institute

At World Citizen we empower communities to educate for a just and peaceful world. We know that peace requires ongoing learning, dialogue, interaction, and problem solving. That's why we are thrilled to present our next virtual event entitled Building Capacity for Change: Why Social Emotional Learning and Equity Belong Together.

In this warm and engaging session, Erin Walsh of Spark & Stitch Institute will explain why social emotional skills like self-management and self-regulation, empathy and communication, and conflict resolution are key drivers of children's success in and out of the classroom. Yet too often, these skills are seen as separate from work around equity, identity, and systems change. Erin will explain the neurological basis of social emotional learning and how it develops from childhood through adolescence. She will explore why it is essential to integrate antiracism and anti-oppression work into social emotional learning at home and in school.

This session is open to educators, parents, and community members. Please join us!

When: March 30th, 1-2 pm CST

## Presenter Bio:

Erin Walsh has presented at numerous Peace Education events over the years. She is a parent, speaker, educator, and writer. She has worked with communities across the country who want to better understand child and adolescent development and cut through conflicting information about kids and technology. She is fiercely committed to bringing an equity lens and asset-based approach to our understanding of, and response to, youth thriving and digital media. Her signature down-to-earth approach and sense of humor helps families and educators engage in complicated topics and leave feeling capable and motivated.





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