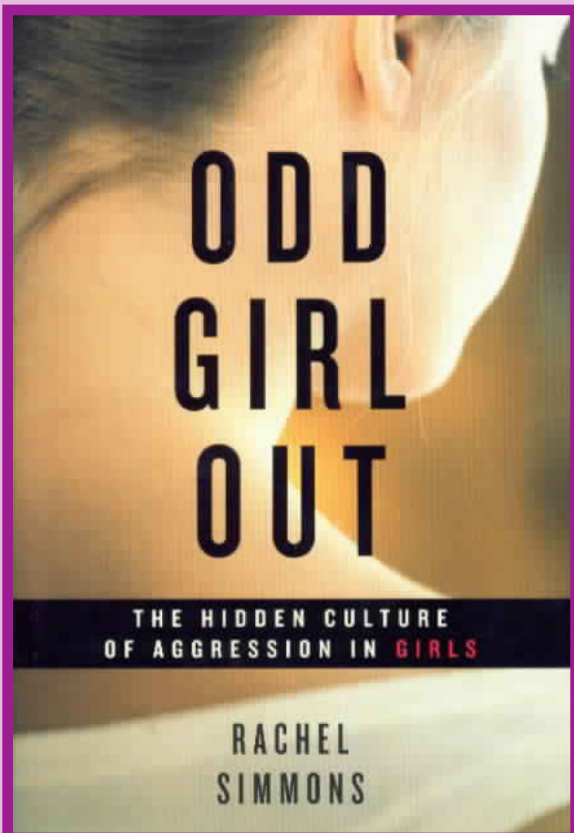


The Women's Initiative of United Way and The Investing in Girls Alliance proudly present an evening with **Rachel Simmons**, author of *The Curse of the Good Girl* and *Odd Girl Out: The Hidden Culture of Aggression in Girls*.

**Join us for an informative evening with author Rachel Simmons.**  
*This event is for adolescent girls and the adults that care about them!*



**Thursday, April 7, 2011**

Worcester Technical High School  
1 Skyline Drive, Worcester, MA 01605

**Wellness Fair** 5:00-6:30 p.m.

Local organizations will promote programs and information for women and adolescent girls.

**Keynote Address** 6:45 p.m.

Rachel Simmons, school auditorium

**Book Signing** (immediately following)

Ms. Simmons will be available to sign books purchased at the event.

***This presentation is geared toward both adolescent girls and the adults who care about them.***

***There will be a presentation on Friday, April 8, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. for area middle-school girls. The event has limited space, on a first come basis. For more information, have your school contact the Women's Initiative at (508)757-5631 ext. 251.***



**Rachel Simmons** is the author of *The New York Times* bestseller *Odd Girl Out: The Hidden Culture of Aggression in Girls*, and *The Curse of the Good Girl: Raising Authentic Girls with Courage and Confidence*. As an educator and coach, Rachel works internationally to develop strategies to address bullying and empower girls. Rachel began her study of female aggression as a Rhodes Scholar at Oxford University York. She is now a national expert on these issues and has appeared regularly on *The Today Show*, *Oprah Winfrey Show*, and *Dateline NBC*.

**For more information or to RSVP**, contact Ann Wettengel at the Women's Initiative: 508-757-5631 ext. 251 or online at [www.unitedwaycm.org/WIevent.html](http://www.unitedwaycm.org/WIevent.html)

