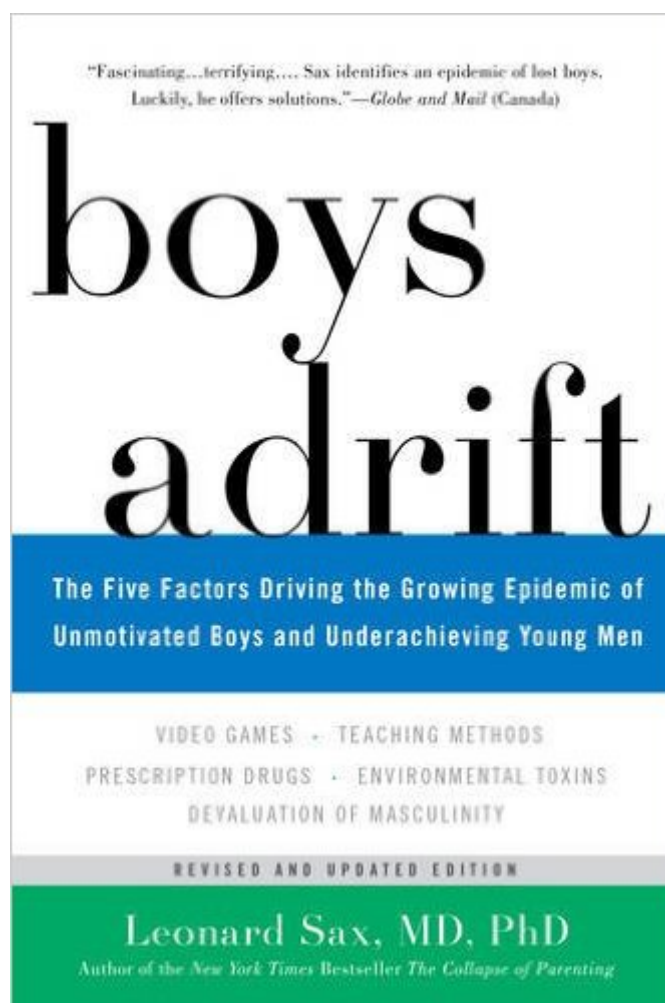


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# Boys Adrift: The Five Factors Driving The Growing Epidemic Of Unmotivated Boys And Underachieving Young Men



## Synopsis

Something scary is happening to boys today. From kindergarten to college, American boys are, on average, less resilient and less ambitious than they were a mere twenty years ago. The gender gap in college attendance and graduation rates has widened dramatically. While Emily is working hard at school and getting A's, her brother Justin is goofing off. He's more concerned about getting to the next level in his videogame than about finishing his homework. Now, Dr. Leonard Sax delves into the scientific literature and draws on more than twenty years of clinical experience to explain why boys and young men are failing in school and disengaged at home. He shows how social, cultural, and biological factors have created an environment that is literally toxic to boys. He also presents practical solutions, sharing strategies which educators have found effective in re-engaging these boys at school, as well as handy tips for parents about everything from homework, to videogames, to medication.

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A must read for all parents, teachers and anyone else who work with kids. This book cost us more than the cover price. After reading it, I made dramatic changes in my house, which were not cheap- but definitely worth it for my boys health. Stainless Steel Cups, Ruby Blue Bunny Body Wash, Stainless steel sandwich holder, etc. We also informed all grandfathers, uncles, and neighbors that our sons will be looking to them on how to be a man, so they better step up! :-)

Finally, someone has articulated concerns I have had for years. This book is so fantastic, I could not put it down and finished it in one day. Thank you Mr Sax for giving me support, ideas, and hope for the future.

This book is amazing! Every parent should read this before sending your boys to school. I wish I had discovered this book when my older boys were younger, but better late than never!

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