



When Apples Aren't Enough

By Tania Mouscardy-Johnson

Tania Mouscardy-Johnson, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 216 x 216 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Tania Mouscardy-Johnson's book, *When Apples aren't Enough*, takes a hard look at the many changes implemented in education over the past two decades by examining the detrimental effects mandates, such as standardized testing and test-based teacher evaluation, have had on children and American public education. Shrouded as a children's book, Mouscardy-Johnson tells the story of Miss McCarthy, a teacher who is about to retire from her long journey as an educator as a result of the closing of her school. While she could possibly continue working as a sub in another building, Miss McCarthy sees the writing on the wall and believes that although she has loved teaching and has been enriched by her career, it is the time to step out of her role as teacher and to start working to save public education in America. Through the clever farewell visit of a former student, Chris, Miss McCarthy is able to school him about the hits education has taken from the policies implemented by the adoption of No Child Left Behind and Race...



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