Anti-Racism Reading Lists and Resources

**Children Reading List and Resources (0-11)**
The New York Times: These Books Can Help You Explain Racism and Protest to Your Kids:  

Heise Reads: 100 Picture Books Including Black People and Communities & Why You Need Them:  
http://www.heisereads.com/2020/05/100-picture-books-including-black.html#XtekF0d7klw

Because several folks keep asking for a reading list for children (0-12):  
https://docs.google.com/document/d/15H1nzElbC53OojvsLnlxM2zGYktooOGIOFMZ9xO74zk/edit

The Conscious Kid: 31 Children’s Books to Support Conversations on Race, Racism, and Resistance:  

27 books to help you talk to your kids about racism:  
https://www.todaysparent.com/family/books/kids-books-that-talk-about-racism/#gallery/books-that-talk-about-racism/slide-1

Celebrating diversity in youth literature resource roundup:  
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1mbyV_k8dFK-DKE6Fi_d0IiajkmaSSMB1bq_silDDhu/edit

Race, Police and Justice: Reading Recommendations for Children:  

Fountaindale Public Library District: Race, Police and Justice: Reading Recommendations for Children:  

What Do We Do All Day?: Picture Books that Teach Kids to Combat Racism:  
https://www.whatdowedoallday.com/picture-books-that-teach-kids-to-combat-racism/

The Advocates for Human Rights: Equality and Anti-Racism:  
https://www.theadvocatesforhumanrights.org/equality_and_anti-racism_book_list

The Conscious Kid: #IndigenousReads by Indigenous Writers: A Children's Reading List:  
https://medium.com/@katieishizukastephens/indigenousreads-by-indigenous-writers-a-childrens-reading-list-c3b558d1d94a

American Indians in Children's Literature: Best Books:  
https://americanindiansinchildrensliterature.blogspot.com/p/best-books.html

1000 Black Girl Books:  
https://grassrootscommunityfoundation.org/1000-black-girl-books-resource-guide/
Middle Grade Reading List and Resources (11-14)
The New York Times: These Books Can Help You Explain Racism and Protest to Your Kids:

Stone Bookworms: Anti-Racist Reading List (more reading lists included at the end):
https://stonebookworms.blogspot.com/2020/06/anti-racist-reading-list.html

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Anti-Racism Resources for all ages (Padlet):
https://padlet.com/nicolethelibrarian/nbasekqoazt336co

Celebrating diversity in youth literature resource roundup:
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1mbyV_k8dFK-DKE6Fi_d0IlajkmASSMB1bg_silDDhul/edit

The Advocates for Human Rights: Equality and Anti-Racism:
https://www.theadvocatesforhumanrights.org/equality_and_anti-racism_book_list

School Library Journal: Teen Library Toolbox: Because Black Lives Matter, a Collection of Anti-Racist Reading Lists:

1000 Black Girl Books:
https://grassrootscommunityfoundation.org/1000-black-girl-books-resource-guide/

The Langston League: 100 Books for Black Boys:
http://www.langstonleague.org/100-books-for-black-boysteens-of-color-3/
Teen Reading Lists and Resources (15-18)
Kass & Corn: Engaging in Community Literacy During Racially Divergent Times:

The New York Times: These Books Can Help You Explain Racism and Protest to Your Kids:

Stone Bookworms: Anti-Racist Reading List (more reading lists included at the end):
https://stonebookworms.blogspot.com/2020/06/anti-racist-reading-list.html

Buzzfeed News: An Essential Guide for Fighting Racism (some titles would fit those entering adulthood/college):
https://www.buzzfeednews.com/article/ariannarebolini/george-floyd-amy-cooper-antiracist-books-reading-resources

Books by Authors at the National Antiracist Book Festival, April 29, 2019 (some titles would fit those entering adulthood/college):
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1-X5kQqyBRFxmhcZfbbQP73rl_jlRmT-aa5UmRbytP68/edit

This List is Anti-Racist (some titles would fit those entering adulthood/college):
https://bookshop.org/lists/this-list-is-anti-racist

Easton Area Public Library and District Center (some titles would fit those entering adulthood/college):
https://www.facebook.com/EAPLOfficial/photos/a.210391579044039/3066799460069889/?type=3

Anti-Racism Resources for all ages (Padlet): https://padlet.com/nicolethelibrarian/nbasekqoazt336co

YA Anti-Racism and Social Justice resources (Wakelet):
https://wakelet.com/wake/Qo3wkObvmE1ECsltjvQOM

The Atlantic: The Anti-Racist Reading List:38 books for those open to changing themselves, and their world (some titles would fit those entering adulthood/college):

Chicago Public Library: Anti-Racist Reading List from Ibram X. Kendi (some titles would fit those entering adulthood/college):
https://chipublib.bibliocommons.com/list/share/204842963/1357692923

1000 Black Girl Books:
https://grassrootscommunityfoundation.org/1000-black-girl-books-resource-guide/

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https://www.theadvocatesforhumanrights.org/equality_and_anti-racism_book_list
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http://www.langstonleague.org/100-books-for-black-boysteens-of-color-3/
Librarian/Teacher/Adult Reading Lists and Resources
Scaffolding anti-racism resources:
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1PrAq4i8Nn4nVtcSLoW8zjaQXBLlWAYL8EaPlh0bc/preview?pru=AAABcp5ROO8*iUgwux1tCZ_IJCyoIAzVQ

Kass & Corn: Engaging in Community Literacy with Fortitude in Racially Divergent Times:

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https://docs.google.com/document/d/1-X5kQqyBRFxmhcZfbbQP73rl_jLrmT-aa5UmRbytP68/edit

Anti-racism Resources:
http://bit.ly/ANTIRACISMRESOURCES or https://docs.google.com/document/d/1BRIF2_zhNe86SGgHa6-VIBO-QgirlTwCTugSfKie5Fs/preview?pru=AAABcp56jTc*3w2QFj05g7LZ1VRb3P1smA

This List is Anti-Racist:
https://bookshop.org/lists/this-list-is-anti-racist

Culturally Responsive Leadership – Empowering Educators to Engineer for Equity:
https://culturallyresponsiveleadership.com/antiracistbooks/

Easton Area Public Library and District Center:
https://www.facebook.com/EAPLOfficial/photos/a.210391579044039/3066799460069889/?type=3

Anti-Racism Resources for all ages (Padlet): https://padlet.com/nicoletelibrarian/nbasekqoatz336co

Jbrary: Talking to Kids About Race in Storytime and the Let’s Talk About Race Toolkit:

Embrace Race: Reading Picture Books With Children Through A Race-Conscious Lens:

Pretty Good: Your Kids Aren’t Too Young to Talk About Race: Resource Roundup:
https://www.prettygooddesign.org/blog/Blog%20Post%20Title%20One-5new4

I’m Your Neighbor: Sharing children books featuring New Arrivals and New Americans to build a stronger culture of Belonging and Welcoming:
https://www.imyourneighborbooks.org/
Oakland Public Library: Evaluating Children’s Books about Police: a toolkit for librarians and other evaluators of children’s literature:  
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1rytbtFbHTtH6UYRlZuQDF3h4gJ6noSPIAxhHJsfOQTw/edit

Here We Read (Instagram):  
https://www.instagram.com/hereweeread/

We Need Diverse Books (Facebook):  
https://www.facebook.com/diversebooks/?hc_location=ufi  
(Website):  
https://diversebooks.org/

Renee Watson: Resources for Educators:  
http://www.reneewatson.net/resources-for-educators

ALSC Blog: Let’s Talk About Race With Kids:  

Black Girls Smile:  
https://www.blackgirlssmile.org/resources

Therapy for Black Girls:  
https://therapyforblackgirls.com/

Anti-bias Montessori (for teens):  
https://www.anti-biasmontessori.com/book-online

Project Ready: Reimagining Equity & Access for Diverse Youth:  
http://ready.web.unc.edu/

YA Anti-Racism and Social Justice resources (Wakelet):  
https://wakelet.com/wake/Qo3wKObvmE1ECsLtvQOM

Local and Regional Government Alliance on Race & Equity: Advancing Racial Equity in Public Libraries:  

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https://chipublib.bibliocommons.com/list/share/204842963/1357692923
The Guardian: Do the work: an anti-racist reading list:
https://www.theguardian.com/books/booksblog/2020/jun/03/do-the-work-an-anti-racist-reading-list-layla-f-saad

Racial Equity Tools: Book and Film Lists:

The Advocates for Human Rights: Equality and Anti-Racism:
https://www.theadvocatesforhumanrights.org/equality_and_anti-racism_book_list

Clackamas Community College Library: Race in the United States reading list:
http://libguides.clackamas.edu/c.php?g=676383&p=4766613

Center for Racial Justice in Education:
https://centerracialjustice.org/resources/

Crossroads Anti-Racism Organizing & Training: Dismantling Racism, Building Racial Justice in Institutions (PDF):

Crazy Quilted Edi:
https://crazyquiltedi.blog/diversity-resources/

American Indians in Children’s Literature: Revisions to Racism in Books:
https://americanindiansinchildrensliterature.blogspot.com/p/revisions-to.html

Books that reference racist classics:
https://americanindiansinchildrensliterature.blogspot.com/p/books-that-reference-littl.html