

Race, Racism, and Anti-Racism

A selection of picture books and nonfiction to help start discussions about race, racism, privilege, power, oppression, and anti-racism in the United States.

A Is for Activist by Innosanto Nagara ([book](#), [Hoopla e-book](#))

Antiracist Baby by Ibram X. Kendi ([book](#), [OverDrive e-book](#))

Black Lives Matter by Duchess Harris ([book](#))

The Colors of Us by Karen Katz ([book](#))

Enough!: 20 Protestors Who Changed America by Emily Easton, illustrated by Ziyue Chen ([book](#), [OverDrive e-book](#))

Equality's Call: The Story of Voting Rights in America by Deborah Diesen ([book](#))

Freedom, We Sing by Amyra León, illustrated by Molly Mendoza ([book](#))

Happy in Our Skin by Fran Manushkin ([book](#))

Heart and Soul: The Story of America and African Americans by Kadir Nelson ([book](#), [Hoopla audiobook](#))

A Kids Book About: Racism by Jelani Memory ([book](#))

A Kids Book About: Systemic Racism by Jordan Thierry ([book](#))

A Kids Book About: White Privilege by Ben Sand ([book](#))

Let's Talk About Race by Julius Lester ([book](#))

Noodlephant by Jacob Kramer ([book](#))

Not My Idea: A Book About Whiteness by Anastasia Higginbotham ([book](#), [Hoopla e-book](#))

Our Skin: A First Conversation About Race by Megan Madison, Jessica Ralli, and Isabel Roxas ([book](#))

Peaceful Fights for Equal Rights by Rob Sanders ([book](#))

The People Shall Continue by Simon Ortiz ([book](#))

The Power Book by Claire Saunders ([book](#), [Hoopla e-book](#))

Raising White Kids by Jennifer Harvey ([book](#), [Hoopla e-book](#))

Remembering Manzanar: Life in a Japanese Relocation Camp by Michael L. Cooper ([book](#))

Skin Again by bell hooks ([book](#))

Something Happened In Our Town: A Child's Story About Racial Injustice by Marianne Cleano ([book](#), [OverDrive e-book](#), [Hoopla audiobook](#))

Stamped (for Kids): Racism, Antiracism, and You by Sonja Cherry-Paul, Jason Reynolds, and Ibram X. Kendi ([book](#))

This Book Is Anti-Racist by Tiffany Jewell ([book](#))

Together We March: 25 Protest Movements That Marched into History by Leah Henderson, illustrated by Tyler Feder ([book](#), [OverDrive e-book](#))

We Are the Change: Words of Inspiration from Civil Rights Leaders by various ([book](#), [OverDrive e-book](#), [Hoopla e-book](#))

The Wedding Portrait: The Story of a Photograph and Why Sometimes We Break the Rules by Innosanto Nagara ([book](#))

We Rise, We Resist, We Raise Our Voices by Cheryl and Wade Hudson ([book](#))

A Young People's History of the United States by Howard Zinn, adapted by Rebec Stefoff ([book](#), [OverDrive e-book](#), [Hoopla e-book](#))

Your Name Is a Song by Jamilah Thompkins-Bigelow ([book](#), [Hoopla e-book](#))