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](#))


*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](#))

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)


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