

Anti-Racism & Social Justice Resources for PK–2



- This table is based on social justice work by [Children's Community School](#) (CCS)
- [Please click here for a detailed infographic](#) with clickable links to share with educators and families
- **NOTE: Bold entries listed below are time-sensitive opportunities**

Children's Literature

[22 Diverse Poetry Picture Books](#)

[31 Children's Books to Support Conversations about Race, Racism, & Resistance](#)

[40 Multicultural Poetry Books - Colors of Us](#)

[50 Board Books Featuring Faces of Color](#) - School Library Journal

[ABRSD Black Lives Matter](#) - Elementary titles compiled by librarians. Other levels available, too.

[ABRSD Virtual Classroom Library Bookshelf: Anti-Racism & Social Justice Picture Books](#)

[Black Lives Matter Instructional Read-Aloud Library](#)

[Books for Littles](#)

[Brightly: Books and Resources to Help Raise Anti-Racist Children](#)

[Brown Bookshelf](#)

[Colours of Us](#)

[Common Sense Media: Books About Racism and Social Justice](#)

[Coretta Scott King Book Awards with Annotations](#), Common Sense Media

[Diverse Book Finder](#)

[Ezra Jack Keats Foundation](#)

[Heise Reads and Recommends: Honoring Black Lives Virtual Library](#)

[Infographic: Diversity in Children's Book, \(Last Updated 2018\)](#)

[Inspiring Young Learners: 10 Books to Talk About Race](#)

[NCSS Notable Book Lists \(archived by year\)](#)

[Poetry for Children](#)

[Social Justice Books](#)

[We are Kid Lit Collective](#)

Resources for Educator Learning

[ALA](#) Position Statement and [Resources](#)

[Anti-Defamation League Resources & Children's Literature](#)

[Anti-Racism and Cultural Competency Resources](#) an extensive list curated by a MA educator

Being the Change by Sara Ahmed - [Sara's hyphenated story](#) (Heinemann blog)

Being the Change - [Links to extensive resources highlighted throughout the text](#)

[Being the Change](#) - PL facilitated by Jill Krysil & Jamie Rickenbach, specifically focused on early learning

[Books That Discuss And Focus On Race, Anti-Racism and Social Justice - Padlet](#)

[Brene Brown: Podcast Interview with Iram X. Kendi](#)

[Brown Bookshelf: Kid lit Rally for Black Lives](#) recorded 6/4/2020 - replay available on FB (2 hours)

[Calm app: Amplifying Black Voices](#)

[Collaborative for Academic, Social, and Emotional Learning \(CASEL\)](#)

[Colorin' Colorado: Talking About Racism & Violence, Resources for Educators](#)

[Common Sense Media: Social and Cultural Literacy Resources for Educators](#)

[Cornelius Minor, Teachers as Agents of Change](#) (Truth for Teachers Podcast)

[Cornelius Minor, Thoughts on a Way Forward](#) (Interview with Two Writing Teachers)

[Cult of Pedagogy: Why White Students Need Multicultural and Social Justice Education](#)

[DESE Content Literacy: People Who Work for Justice \(Grade 1 Model Curriculum Unit\)](#)

[Disrupting a Destructive Cycle](#) - Part 1 (with Cornelius Minor)

[EdSurge: How to Foster a School Climate in a Virtual](#)

[Educators and Race: A Conversation with Author Ijeoma Oluo](#) (archived 8-27-18), School Library Journal

[Edutopia: A Guide to Equity and Antiracism for Educators](#)

[Edutopia: How to Audit Your Classroom Library for Diversity](#)

[Edutopia: Teaching young Children about Bias, Diversity, and Social Justice](#)

[Fred Rogers Center](#)

[Grace Lin](#), Ted Talk

[Greater Good in Education resources](#)

[Guide to How You Can Support Marginalized Communities](#), CNN article

[How to be an Anti-Racist](#) by Ibram X. Kendi - Virtual Book Study by Two Writing Teachers **Begins June 24**

[Ideal Bookshelf - an extensive list of books, podcasts, articles, videos](#)

[Library Voice, Blog post by Shannon McClintock Miller](#)

[MA Council for Exceptional Children \(MCEC\) Sponsored by Stonehill College Webinar June 11, 2:00 p.m.](#)

[Mirrors, Windows, and Sliding Glass Doors](#) (article), Rudine Sims Bishop

[NAEYC - Teaching about Race and Racism with Young Children & Their Families](#)

[NAEYC - We Stand Together](#) (blog post)

[National Museum of African American History and Culture](#)

[National SEED Project](#) (updated ABRSD SEED Training sessions will be posted soon on PL site)

[NCSS Resources for Teaching About Racism, Racial Injustice, and Human Rights \(K-12\)](#)

[NCTE Teaching Racial Equity in Early Childhood](#)

[Raising Race-Conscious Children](#)

[Read, Write, Teach ELA - a HUGE compilation of resources by Megan Mariano](#)

[Reading to Make a Difference](#) by Lester Laminack and Katie Kelly

[School Library Journal: Discussing Race with Young Kids: First Steps](#)

[Story Starters](#) (research)

[Teaching Tolerance: Teaching in Solidarity](#)

[Teaching Tolerance Lesson: The Different Colors of Beauty](#)

[Teaching Tolerance: Waiting for Tiana: Prioritizing Cultural Diversity in Literature](#)

[Ted Talks to Help You Understand Race in America](#)

[We Got This](#) by Cornelius Minor (includes book notes curated by Jill Krysil)

[Wee the People](#)

Family Resources

(Picture book collections listed in first section. ABRSD Bookshelf included in both sections)

[100 Race-conscious things you can say to your child to advance racial justice](#)

[ABRSD Virtual Classroom Library Bookshelf: Anti-Racism & Social Justice Picture Books](#)

[Beyond the Golden Rule: A Parents' Guide to Preventing and Responding to Prejudice](#)

[Common Sense Media: How to Talk to Children about Racism and Racial Violence](#)

[NPR: How Can Parents Make Their Children Understand About Being Anti-Racist?](#)

[PBS Kids: Event for Parents: Talking to Children Authentically About Race & Racism](#) Archived 6-9-2020

[PBS Teaching Your Child About Black History](#)

[Sesame Street & CNN: Town Hall on Racisms](#) (21 minutes, archived on 6-8-2020)

[Story Starters](#) (family program)

[Talking About Race for parents or caregivers](#) (National Museum of African American History & Culture)

[Zero to Three: Supporting Children, Ages 2-5](#)