

# Anti-Racism Athenaeum

Recommended titles to help teach children about racial and cultural diversity.



## A Little Note

In light of recent events, I thought I'd share some brilliant titles that can help teach children about racial and cultural diversity.













































Conversations about race and racism need to start early and keep happening in order for children to try to understand the challenges that people of ethnic minorities unfairly and unjustly have to face.

Research has found that children can internalise racial bias from as young as 2 years old so conversations about racial differences should be had in a positive way with children from around pre-school age.

We need to introduce children to concepts of representation and inclusivity early and often, and one easy way to do this is by thoughtfully choosing the books we read to them or allow them access to.

I hope you find the recommended books and resources useful.

*Miss W x*

Title	ISBN	Watch It	Buy It
<b>The Undefeated</b> by Kwame Alexander	ISBN-10: 1328780961 ISBN-13: 9781783449293		
<b>I Am Enough</b> by Grace Bryers	ISBN-10: 0062667122 ISBN-13: 978-0062667120		
<b>Something Happened in Our Town: A Child's story about Racial Injustice</b> by Marianne Celano PhD	ISBN-10: 1433828545 ISBN-13: 978-1433828546		
<b>The Name Jar</b> by Yangsook Choi	ISBN-10: 9780440417996 ISBN-13: 978-0440417996		
<b>Let the Children March</b> by Monica Clark-Robinson	ISBN-10: 0544704525 ISBN-13: 978-0544704527		
<b>Parker Looks Up: An Extraordinary Moment</b> by Parker Curry	ISBN-10: 1534451862 ISBN-13: 978-1534451865		
<b>I Am Not a Number</b> by Dr. Jenny Kay Dupuis	ISBN-10: 1927583942 ISBN-13: 978-1927583944		
<b>Not Quite Snow White</b> by Ashley Franklin	ISBN-10: 006279860X ISBN-13: 978-0062798602		
<b>Rosa</b> by Nikki Giovanni	ISBN-10: 0805071067 ISBN-13: 978-0805071061		
<b>Dream Big, Little One</b> by Vashti Harrison	ISBN-10: 0316475092 ISBN-13: 978-0316475099		
<b>Little Leaders: Bold Women in Black History</b> by Vashti Harrison	ISBN-10: 0241346843 ISBN-13: 9780241346846		
<b>Little Leaders: Exceptional Men in Black History</b> by Vashti Harrison	ISBN-10: 0241407168 ISBN-13: 978-0241407165		
<b>Not My Idea: A Book About Whiteness (Ordinary Terrible Things)</b> By Anastasia Higginbotham	ISBN-10: 1948340003 ISBN-13: 978-1948340007		
<b>Lovely</b> by Jess Hong	ISBN-10: 1939547377 ISBN-13: 978-1939547378		
<b>Let's Talk About Race</b> by Julius Lester	ISBN-10: 0064462269 ISBN-13: 978-0064462266		
<b>The Youngest Marcher: The Story of Faye Hendricks, a Young Civil Rights Activist</b> by Cynthia Levinson	ISBN-10: 1481400703 ISBN-13: 978-1481400701		
<b>A is for Activist</b> by Innosanto Nagara	ISBN-10: 1609805399 ISBN-13: 978-1609805395		
<b>Hair Like Mine</b> by LaTashia M. Perry	ISBN-10: 0986237973 ISBN-13: 978-0986237973		
<b>Same Difference</b> by Calida Rawles	ISBN-10: 0985683201 ISBN-13: 978-0985683207		
<b>Malcolm Little: The Boy Who Grew Up to Become Malcolm X</b> by Ilyasah Shabazz	ISBN-10: 144241216X ISBN-13: 978-1442412163		
<b>Separate is Never Equal: Sylvia Mendez and Her Family's Fight for Desegregation</b> by Duncan Tonatiuh	ISBN-10: 1419710540 ISBN-13: 978-1419710544		
<b>Schomburg: The Man Who Built a Library</b> by Carole Boston Weatherford	ISBN-10: 076368046X ISBN-13: 978-0763680466		
<b>The Day You Begin</b> Jacqueline Woodson	ISBN-10: 0399246533 ISBN-13: 978-0399246531	