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# ANTI-RACISM RESOURCES

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The Project Ready curriculum was created to fill a need for library staff in the area of race and racism. Project Ready consists of three sections. Section 1 – Foundations which includes a history of race and racism. Section one includes 13 modules. Section two – Transforming Practice where the foundational concepts will be applied to the library environments. Section two also contains 13 modules. Section three – Continuing the Journey explores how you can sustain racial equity work and grow personally and professionally in this area. Section three consists of three modules. Project Ready is funded by a three year continuing education project grant from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

A Project READY Reflective Journal is used with each module and includes prompts for reflection. Each module contains videos and resource links.

- Blog
- Podcast
- Strategies
- Workshops

## RAISING RACE CONSCIOUS CHILDREN

<http://www.raceconscious.org/>

Raising Race Conscious Children is a resource for talking about race with young children. Over 100 blog posts with a searchable archive.

100 Race-Conscious Things You Can Say to Your Child To Advance Racial Justice – a compilation of tidbits from the blog.

- ▶ List of blogs and sites highlighting diverse books for kids.
- ▶ Monthly webinars
- ▶ Resources

EMBRACERACE

<https://www.embracerace.org/resources/where-to-find-diverse-childrens-books>

The article contains a list of blogs and sites with diverse book recommendations and includes an article from Diverse BookFinder.

The EmbraceRace monthly webinars are recorded and archived on the site. The archive includes the webinar as well as a transcript.

Resources can be searched by type (articles, webinars, action guides, children's books, or stories) or by topic.

The newest webinar "Rays of Hope": Supporting the leadership & activism of our young people" was yesterday evening. It has not been added to the webinar archives as of yet. I'm hoping to get a notification when it is added.

- ▶ Book lists
- ▶ Articles to read
- ▶ Podcasts to subscribe to
- ▶ Films and TV series to watch
- ▶ Organizations to follow

## ANTI-RACISM RESOURCES FOR WHITE PEOPLE

<http://bit.ly/ANTIRACISMRESOURCES>

The document was created in May.

- [Inclusive Youth Literature](#)
- [27 books to help you talk to your kids about racism](#)
- [What Do We Do All Day?: Picture Books that Teach Kids to Combat Racism](#)
- [School Library Journal: Teen Library Toolbox: Because Black Lives Matter](#)
- [Buzzfeed News: An Essential Guide for Fighting Racism](#)
- [Chicago Public Library: Anti-Racist Reading List from Ibram X. Kendi](#)
- [The Advocates for Human Rights: Equality and Anti-Racism](#)
- [Pretty Good: Your Kids Aren't Too Young to Talk About Race](#)
- [Oakland Public Library: Evaluating Children's Books about Police: a toolkit for librarians](#)
- [We Need Diverse Books](#)

## ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

This list was compiled from resource lists shared by the Oklahoma and Vermont Youth Services Consultants. I narrowed the lists down so as not to duplicate links as much as possible.