

RESOURCES FOR TALKING WITH CHILDREN AND YOUTH ABOUT RACE



Books for Adults:

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http://findarticles.com/p/articles/mi_m1053/is_n4_v18/ai_8001197/?tag=content;col1

Magazines:

Interface Magazine, P.O. Box 17479, Beverly Hills, CA 90209
Mavin Magazine, 1102 8th Avenue, Suite 407, Seattle, WA 98101

Books for Young People:

A Medium Corporation: Excellent list of multicultural children's books. Especially those for younger readers.

<https://medium.com/embrace-race/childrens-books-featuring-kids-of-color-being-themselves-because-that-s-enough-36aa15c94d44>

ALA Schneider Family Book Award Winners (Books featuring people experiencing disabilities)

<http://www.ala.org/news/mediapresscenter/presskits/youthmediaawards/schneiderfamilybookaward>

Lee & Low Books (multicultural book publisher) <http://www.leeandlow.com>

Shen's Books (multicultural books, especially Asian) <http://www.shens.com/>

[The Best LGBT Children's Books: A Sweet and Assuring Celebration of Diversity and Difference](#) article
by Maria Popova

Resources:

A World of Difference Institute

<http://www.adl.org/bibliography/default.asp?whichCat=2&whichSubCat=13>

American Academy of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry

http://www.aacap.org/cs/root/facts_for_families/multiracial_children

American Indians in Children's Literature

<http://americanindiansinchildrensliterature.blogspot.com/>

Black Past <http://www.blackpast.org/>

Brave New Films (free films to show in class) <https://www.bravenewfilms.org/educators>

CBC Diversity <http://www.cbcdiversity.com/>

Decolonizing Thanksgiving <https://medium.com/age-of-awareness/decolonizing-thanksgiving-a-toolkit-for-combatting-racism-in-schools-5d4e3023a2f8>

Diversity Inc. <http://www.diversityinc.com> EdChange <http://www.edchange.org/>

EqualEd <https://www.csmonitor.com/EqualEd/2017/1129/How-white-parents-are-addressing-racism-by-reading-to-their-children>

First Book <http://www.firstbook.org/>

For Harriet: Celebrating the Fullness of Black Womanhood <http://www.forharriet.com/>

How to Choose the Best Multicultural Books (Scholastic article)

<http://www.scholastic.com/teachers/article/how-choose-best-multicultural-books>

Lee & Low Books (multicultural book publisher) <http://www.leeandlow.com>

Multiracial Asian Families <http://multiasianfamilies.blogspot.com/>

Oyate (resources for teaching respect of Native people) www.oyate.org

Race Conscious (resources to prepare young people to work toward racial justice)

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

Rethinking Schools <http://www.rethinkingschools.org/index.shtml>

Shen's Books (multicultural books, especially Asian) <http://www.shens.com/>

Skipping Stones: (Award Winning Multicultural Books) www.skippingstones.org

Social Justice Books <https://socialjusticebooks.org>

Students And Teachers Against Racism <http://www.racismagainstindians.org>

Teaching for Change-- Resistance 101: A Lesson for Inauguration Day Teach-Ins and Beyond

<http://www.teachingforchange.org/resistance101>

Teaching Tolerance <http://www.tolerance.org/index.jsp>

The Association of MultiEthnic Americans www.ameasite.org

The Brown Bookshelf <http://thebrownbookshelf.com/>

The Free Library

<http://www.thefreelibrary.com/%22What+are+you%3F%22+Biracial+children+in+the+classroom.-a0178631599>

The Mixed Race Experience www.mavinfoundation.org

Transracial Adoption <http://www.pactadopt.org/app/servlet/HomePage>

Organizations to Get Involved In:

1. Association for Multiethnic Americans <http://www.ameasite.org>
2. CARW—The Coalition of Anti-Racist Whites <http://www.carw.org>
3. Center for the Study of Biracial Children <http://csbchome.org>
4. El Centro de la Raza <http://www.elcentrodelaraza.com/>
5. GLSEN—The Gay, Lesbian and Straight Education Network www.glsen.org
6. PINW—The People’s Institute Northwest pinwseattle@yahoo.com,
<http://www.pinwseattle.org/>
7. Project Race <http://www.projectrace.com>
8. SYPP—Seattle Young People’s Project <http://sypp.org/>
9. Washington State Holocaust Education Resource Center <http://www.wsherc.org/>
10. Wing Luke Museum <http://wingluke.org/home.htm>

When someone, with the authority of a teacher say, describes the world and you are not in it, there is a moment of disequilibrium, as if you looked into a mirror and saw nothing.

~Adrienne Rich