

# RACE EDUCATION STARTER PACK

This document is intended to serve as a resource to people and parents to deepen our understanding about race. If you haven't engaged in this work in the past, start now. Feel free to circulate this document on social media.

This is not meant to be an exhaustive list, but it is a great starting point.

## FREE COURSES

- [African American History: From Emancipation to the Present](#) (Yale University)
- Brene Brown on "empathy" <https://youtu.be/1Ewgu369Jw>

## PODCASTS

- [1619 \(New York Times\)](#) A great place to start...American Music episode
- [About Race](#)
- [Code Switch \(NPR\)](#)
- Truth's Table - Lecrae episode
- [Pass the Mic](#) - Jemar Tisby
- [Dissect](#) - To Pimp A Butterfly (S1) & DAMN (S5)
- Revisionist History - Malcolm Gladwell - [Revisiting Brown vs. Board of Education](#)

## Books

- [The Color of Compromise](#) - If you work in the church...start here
- [The Cross and the Lynching Tree](#)
- [Reconciling All Things: A Christian Vision for Justice, Peace and Healing](#) by Emmanuel M. Katongole
- [The New Jim Crow](#)
- [Between the World and Me](#) by Ta-Nehisi Coates
- [We Were Eight Years in Power: An American Tragedy](#) by Ta-Nehisi Coates
- [The Fire Next Time](#)
- [Just Mercy](#)
- [Tears We Cannot Stop: A Sermon to White America](#)
- [The Autobiography of Martin Luther King, Jr.](#)
- [Why We Can't Wait](#) by MLK
- Autobiography of George Washington Carver
- [The Warmth of Other Suns: The Epic Story of America's Great Migration](#)

- [Beloved](#)
- Rosa
- [A Colony in a Nation](#)
- [Black Against Empire: The History and Politics of the Black Panther Party](#)
- [No Name in the Street](#)
- [Notes of a Native Son](#)
- [Post Traumatic Slave Syndrome](#) by Joy DeGruy
- [Understanding Mass Incarceration: A People's Guide to the Key Civil Rights Struggle of Our Time](#)
- [The Bluest Eye](#) by Toni Morrison (and anything else by Toni Morrison)
- [When Affirmative Action Was White: An Untold History of Racial Inequality in - - Twentieth-Century America](#) by Ira Katznelson
- [White Fragility: Why It's So Hard for White People to Talk About Racism](#) by Robin DiAngelo, PhD
- [Race Matters by Dr. Cornel West](#)
- [Stamped From the Beginning: The Definitive History of Racist Ideas in America](#) by Dr. Ibram X Kendi ([Link to a pdf of the book](#))
- [The Heart of Racial Justice: How Soul Change Leads to Social Change](#) by Brenda Salter McNeil and Rick Richardson
- [The End of Policing](#) by Alex S. Vitale
- [Unsettling Truths: The Ongoing, Dehumanizing Legacy of the Doctrine of Discovery](#) by Mark Charles, Soong-Chan Rah
- [Are Prisons Obsolete?](#) by Angela Y. Davis
- [The Color of Law: A Forgotten History of How Our Government Segregated America](#) by Richard Rothstein
- [Weep With Me: How Lament Opens a Door for Racial Reconciliation](#) by Mark Vroegop

## Articles

- ["America's Racial Contract Is Killing Us"](#) by Adam Serwer | Atlantic (May 8, 2020)
- [Ella Baker and the Black Freedom Movement \(Mentoring a New Generation of Activists\)](#)
- ["My Life as an Undocumented Immigrant"](#) by Jose Antonio Vargas | NYT Mag (June 22, 2011)
- [The 1619 Project \(all the articles\)](#) | The New York Times Magazine
- ["The Intersectionality Wars"](#) by Jane Coaston | Vox (May 28, 2019)
- [Tips for Creating Effective White Caucus Groups](#) developed by Craig Elliott PhD
- ["White Privilege: Unpacking the Invisible Knapsack"](#) by Knapsack Peggy McIntosh
- ["Who Gets to Be Afraid in America?"](#) by Dr. Ibram X. Kendi | Atlantic (May 12, 2020)

## Movies (not for kids)

- [13th](#)
- [Selma](#)

- [Marshall](#)
- [Hidden Figures](#)
- [I am not your negro](#)
- [12 Years a Slave](#)
- [Fruitvale Station](#)
- [Malcolm X](#)
- [Detroit](#)
- [Glory](#)
- [If Beale Street Could Talk](#)
- [Get Out](#)
- [Hip Hop Beyond Beats and Rhymes](#)
- [Amistad](#)
- [Undefeated](#)
- [Mudbound](#)
- [Waiting for Superman](#)
- [Roxanne Roxanne](#)
- [Race](#)
- [Loving](#)
- Beats
- [Guess who's coming for dinner](#)
- [Southside With You](#)
- The Hurricane

## Shows

- Eyes on the Prize (this is the whole history of the movement)
- [Hip-Hop Evolution](#)
- Mixed-ish
- Black-ish
- All-American
- PBS History of Black Panther
- Hip Hop Beyond Beats and Rhymes
- PBS African American Experience
- [Who killed Gregory Phillips](#)
- [O.J.: Made in America](#)
- The Hate U Give (George Tillman Jr.) — Hulu with Cinemax
- When They See Us (Ava DuVernay) — Netflix

## FOR THE KIDS

- [Can I touch Your Hair - poems of race, mistakes and friendship.](#)

By Irene Latham, Charles Waters, Sean Qualls, Selina Alko

- [I Am Brown](#) by Ashok Banker
- [The Stone Thrower](#) by Jael Ealey Richardson
- [Civil Rights Then and Now: A Timeline of the Fight for equality in America](#) by Kristina Brooke Daniele
- [The Undefeated](#) by Kwame Alexander and Kadir Nelson
- [Little Leaders: Bold Women in History](#) by Vashti Harrison
- [Little Leaders: Bold Men in History](#) by Vashti Harrison
- [Something Happened in our Town: A Child's Story about Racial Injustice](#) by Marianne Celano PhD
- [Bud, Not Buddy](#) by Christopher Paul Curtis
- [Roll of Thunder Hear My Cry](#) by Mildred D. Taylor
- [Say Something](#) by Peter H. Reynolds
- [Stamped: Racism, Antiracism, and You](#) by Ibram X Kendi and Jason Reynolds
- [The Hate U Give](#) by Angie Thomas
- [All American Boys](#) by Jason Reynolds