Name of book	Main topic	Comments <a href="https://www.firstconversations.com/">https://www.firstconversations.com/</a>
Black is a Rainbow Color	Black culture	Understanding Black is not just a color but a culture
Thunder Boy Jr	Indigenous	The importance of a name. Traditions
I Am Enough	Inclusion	Identity. Love who you are, respect others
Bright Star	Identity. Spanish words	Sonora desert wildlife. Borderland and migrant issues
Niño Wrestles the World	Luchador wrestling Mexican culture	Hispanic Month FUN!
Little Night/Nochecita	Spanish	Bilingual. The girl is the night.
Dreamers	Migrant. Spanish	Language barriers. Migrant issues.
I Believe I Can	Inclusion. Empowering	All we need is to believe in ourselves
Hair Love	Blackness. Pride. Hair	Love and celebrate curly hair
A Kids Book About Racism	Racism Biracial/Mixed/ BIPOC	This book is designed to help get the conversation started." "Has anyone ever been racist to you? Do some people not like me because of the color of my skin?
Princes Hair	Curly hair	Celebrate different hair, textures, and styles
Hey Black Child	Inspirational Identity. Inclusion	Inspire and motivate all black children to achieve their potential
Morris Micklewhite and the Tangerine Dress	Identity Gender Inclusion	"Astronauts don't wear dresses" Does what I dress define who I am? Wearing a dress could turn boys into girls? Girls wear pants/Boys wear dresses.
What Riley Wore	Identity	"Are you a girl or a boy? Today I'm a firefighter. And a dancer. And a monster hunter. And a pilot. And a dinosaur." Does what I dress define who I am?

Our Skin	Race	Skin colors. Our skin is beautiful. Melanin. What color is your skin? Do we have the same skin color? Do you think our skin color makes us different? People of color. Race. Racism.
Hula Warrior	Identity Hawaiian culture	A Place in the Middle project Identity. Gender. Being a boy or girl stops you from performing or participating? Is it fair if this does? How to stop when someone tells you this is for boys or girls?
Jacob's New Dress	Gender Identity	Some kids wear what they feel comfortable with. Girls wear pants, boys wear dresses. In the olden times girls were not allowed to wear pants and men could wear dresses.
What Are Your Words?	Gender Identity Pronouns	Gender inclusive pronouns "People can be described by more than what they look like or what they do". Pronouns can vary day by day as your mood does.
Julian at the Wedding	Identity Gender	Does what we wear define us?
My Maddy	Gender Identity	Some kids have two mums, two dads, sometimes Maddies when they feel in between.  "Most mommies are girls. Most daddies are boys. But lots of parents are neither boys nor girls. Like my Maddy"  "Some of the best things in the world are not one thing or the other, but in between"
It feels Good To Be Yourself	Gender identity Transgender Non-Binary	"Some people are girls, some people are boys. Some people are both, neither, or somewhere in between" "Everyone thought she was a boy. Until she grew up a little older -old enough to tell everyone that she is actually a girl." "Non-Binary is a helpful word that can describe a kid who doesn't feel exactly like a boy or a girl." Gender identity is personal and can change

		Gender identity can change day by day. Great vocabulary and resources at the end of the book.
They, She, He, Me. Free to Be	Gender Pronouns Identity	How a person looks is not enough. We have to look at the inside of the person and the person's feelings to understand them better.  Great information about Pronouns
A is for Activist	Social Justice Human Rights	If you see injustice, get organized and fight for justice for all.
Who Are You?	Gender diversity and Identity Cisgender Gender Queer Gender fluid Non-binary Gender neutral Bigender Third gender Agender Neutrois Two Spirit	Great information and introduction to gender identity. Personal expression, how do you feel inside, what you like, how you dress, how you act is your own journey. You can change as you grow up. Gender spectrum: different ways people could self identify. There are a lot of ways to be a kid. The book comes with a wheel that could help students to explore gender identity and expression.
Different Cultures	Cultures traditions and celebrations Identity	Glossary: Ancestor, heritage, ethnic. Who are your ancestors? What family traditions do you celebrate at home?
We All Look Different	Hair Clothing Abilities	We are different. We are unique
Different Abilities	Àccess	We all have different ways to learn, move, talk and do things. That makes us unique and special. We cannot compare

Another great resource: A first Book of Pride and Trans+: Love, Sex, Romance, and Being You.

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