

Racial Equity Resources from FYFC

Books

Farming While Black by Leah Penniman

How to Be an Anti-Racist by Ibram X. Kendi

Between the World and Me by Ta-Nehisi Coates

The Warmth of Other Suns by Isabel Wilkerson

Stamped from the Beginning by Ibram X. Kendi

I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings by Maya Angelou

The New Jim Crow: Mass Incarceration in the Age of Colorblindness by Michelle Alexander

A Colony in a Nation by Chris Hayes

The Color of Law by Richard Rothstein

White Rage by Carol Anderson

Evicted by Matthew Desmond

Locked In by John Pfaff

Deep Roots: How Slavery Still Shapes Southern Politics by Avidit Acharya, Matthew Blackwell, and Maya Sen

[52 Black-owned bookstores you can shop online](#)

Podcasts

[Code Switch from NPR](#)

[Unlocking Us with Brené Brown](#)

[Pod Save the People with Deray](#)

[KGNU Radio Interview, Right Relationship Boulder and the Sand Creek Massacre](#)

Articles / Handbooks

[The Case for Reparations by Ta-Nehisi Coates](#)

[NYFC Racial Equity Toolkit](#)

[21-Day Racial Equity Challenge](#) from Food Solutions New England - this list is awesome!

[18 Things White People Should Do/Know Before Discussing Racism](#) by Wendy Stokes

[Curriculum for White Americans to Educate Themselves on Race and Racism—from Ferguson to Charleston](#) by Jon Greenburg

Social Feeds

Soul Fire Farm @soulfirefarm

Sylvan Aqua Farms @sylvanaquafarms

Videos

[Uncomfortable Conversations with a Black Man](#) with Emmanuel Acho

[Open Source Leadership TED Talk](#) with Gita Gulati Partee

Other

[‘Men like you weren’t meant to own land’](#)

Rural Colorado has a history of discriminatory lending.

Benjamin Waddell

[The West has a role in reimagining the U.S.](#)

Our notion of ‘American exceptionalism’ has collapsed. What will replace it?

[The Black-White Wage Gap Is as Big as It Was in 1950](#)

Recent research indicates little progress since the Truman administration.

[Leveling the Fields: Creating Farming Opportunities for Black People, Indigenous People, and Other People of Color - Brief from the Union of Concerned Scientists](#)

[4 Ways White People Can Process Their Emotions Without Hijacking the Conversation on Racial Justice](#)

[Americans of color are largely excluded from producing and eating fresh food](#)

An interview with Leah Penniman (author of *Farming While Black*) where she discusses her motivations to write the book and her experiences.

[A Guide to Indigenous Land Acknowledgement](#)

[There were nearly a million black farmers in 1920. Why have they disappeared?](#)

FoodTank

List / Article: [22 Individuals and Organizations Building Stronger Black Communities and Food Systems](#)

Podcast: [Baldemar Velasquez on Amplifying the Voices of Migrant Farmworkers](#)
List / Article: [14 African American Women Leading Change in the U.S. Food System](#)
Article: [5 Indigenous Farming Practices Enhancing Food Security](#)
List / Article: [17 Indigenous Agricultural Programs to Recognize International Day of World's Indigenous Peoples](#)
Article: [The Wisdom of Indigenous Foodways](#)
List / Article: [24 Organizations Finding Food Justice](#)
Article: [150 Years Later, Black Farmers are Still Fighting to Farm](#)

Resources for “homework” for next REDG Group:

1. Brief article laying out the basics of land acknowledgement
<https://nativegov.org/a-guide-to-indigenous-land-acknowledgment/>
2. [KGNU Radio Interview, Right Relationship Boulder and the Sand Creek Massacre](#)
3. ‘Men like you weren’t meant to own land’
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<https://www.hcn.org/articles/south-social-justice-men-like-you-werent-meant-to-own-land>