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A SAMPLE ANTI-RACISM READING LIST

Books for Adults and Young Adults:

The Color of Law: A Forgotten History of How Our Government Segregated America
By Richard Rothstein

White Fragility: Why It's So Hard for White People to Talk about Racism
By Robin DiAngelo

How to Be an Antiracist
By Ibram X. Kendi

Stamped: Racism, Antiracism, and You
By Jason Reynolds and Ibram X. Kendi

Why Are All the Black Kids Sitting Together in the Cafeteria
By Beverly Daniel Tatum

Waking Up White: And Finding Myself in the Story of Race
By Debby Irving

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

Becoming
By Michelle Obama

The Hate U Give
By Angie Thomas

The Mis-Education of the Negro
By Dr. Carter G. Woodson

Books for Younger Readers:

Something Happened in Our Town: A Child's Story About Racial Injustice
By Marianne Celano, Marietta Collins and Ann Hazard
Illustrated by Jennifer Zivoin

My Hair is a Garden
By Cozbi A. Cabrera

Happy in Our Skin
By Fran Manushkin
Illustrated by Lauren Tobia

Separate Is Never Equal; Sylvia Mendez and Her Family's Fight for Desegregation
By Duncan Tonatiuh

Pink and Say
By Patricia Polacco



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Books for Educators:

Don't Look Away: Embracing Anti-Bias Classrooms

By Iheoma Iruka, Stephanie Curenton, Tonia Durden, Kerry-Ann Escayg

Why Are All the Black Kids Sitting Together in the Cafeteria

By Beverly Daniel Tatum

Courageous Conversations About Race

By Glenn E. Singleton

Teaching Race: How to Help Students Unmask and Challenge Racism

By Stephen D. Brookfield

Me and White Supremacy: Combat Racism, Change the World, and Become a Good Ancestor

By Layla F. Saad and Robin DiAngelo

Through the Fog: Towards Inclusive Anti-Racist Teaching (Urban Education Studies Series)

By Tara L. Affolter

Anti-Bias Education for Young Children and Ourselves

By Louise Derman-Sparks and Julie Olsen Edwards

From Miseducation to Education

By Dr. Na'im Akbar

NOTE: Kokomo School Corporation welcomes feedback. If you have any additional books or resources that you would like to share for our collective review, please email Dr. Dorothea Irwin, Assistant Superintendent, at dirwin@kokomoschools.com.