

Fighting Racism Reading List

Readers Advisory

Fiction

Americanah by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie*

How the Garcia Girl Lost Their Accents by Julia Alvarez*#

Another Country by James Baldwin*

Go Tell it On the Mountain by James Baldwin*

The Sellout by Paul Beatty

The Vanishing Half by Brit Bennett*

America is Not the Heart by Elaine Castillo^

What We Lose by Zinzi Clemmons*^

The Water Dancer by Ta-Nehisi Coates*^

An Extraordinary Union by Alyssa Cole*

Patsy by Nicolle Dennis-Benn*

Invisible Man by Ralph Ellison

The Plague of Doves by Louise Erdrich*^

The Round House by Louise Erdrich*^

Sabrina & Corina by Kali Fajardo-Anstine

* Available via library streaming & download services

Disponible en Español

^ Available in large print or audiobook



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Sabrina & Corina by Kali Fajardo-Anstine

How Long Til Black Future Month? by N.K. Jemisin*

The Fifth Season by N.K. Jemisin*

Tears of the Trufflepig by Fernando A. Flores

Difficult Women by Roxane Gay*

Homegoing by Yaa Gyasi*

The Book of Unknown Americans by Cristina Henríquez*

Their Eyes Were Watching God by Zora Neale Hurston*

An American Marriage by Tayari Jones*

The Namesake by Jhumpa Lahiri*^

The Other Americans by Laila Lalami

Bluebird, Bluebird by Attica Locke*

The Cutting Season by Attica Locke*

Behold the Dreamers by Imbolo Mbue*

Sula by Toni Morrison*^

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The Bluest Eye by Toni Morrison*

There There by Tommy Orange*^

The Travelers by Regina Porter

Such a Fun Age by Kiley Reid*

We Cast a Shadow by Maurice Carlos Ruffin

An Unkindness of Ghosts by Rivers Solomon*

New People by Danzy Senna

Real Life by Brandon Taylor

On Earth We're Briefly Gorgeous by Ocean Vuong*

The Color Purple by Alice Walker*#

Salvage the Bones by Jesmyn Ward*

Sing, Unburied, Sing by Jesmyn Ward*^

Nickel Boys by Colson Whitehead*^

Underground Railroad by Colson Whitehead*#^

Red at the Bone by Jacqueline Woodson*^

Native Song by Richard Wright*

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Graphic Novels

Kindred by Octavia Butler*

BTTM FDRS by Ezra Clayton Daniels

Hot Comb by Ebony Flowers

Bingo Love by Tee Franklin*

Good Talk by Mira Jacob

Victor LaValle's Destroyer by Victor LaValle

LaGuardia by Nnedi Okorafor

Sports is Hell by Ben Passmore

Big Black by Frank "Big Black" Smith & Jared Reinmuth

(H)afrocentric by Juliana "Jewels" Smith

They Called Us Enemy by George Takei

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