

# Book Club: Book List

A collection of riveting books and literature that will support practitioners to deepen their understanding of the following topics.

See this link for additional info: <http://www.sjti.org/suggestedreading.html>

## IDENTITY

- *YELL-Oh Girls! Emerging Voices Explore Culture, Identity, and Growing Up Asian American*, Vickie Nam
- *Namesake*, Jhumpa Lahiri
- *King of the Chicanos*, Manuel Ramos
- *Infinite Divisions: An Anthology of Chicana Literature*, Tey Diana Rebolledo
- *American Born Chinese*, Gene Luen Yang
- *Stealing Buddha's Dinner*, Bich Minh Nguy (ASIAN AMERICAN IDENTITY)
- *Always Running*, Luis Rodriguez (CHICANO IDENTITY)
- *The Missing Piece*, Shel Silverstein
- *Ain't I a Woman*, Linthwaite (COLLECTION OF POETRY)
- *Borderlands*, Gloria Anzaldua (MIXED, QUEER, CHICANA, TRANSNATIONAL IDENTITY)
- *Colonize This! Young Women of Color on Today's Feminism*, Daisy Hernandez

## GENDER

- *Boys Don't Cry*, Joseph De Prest
- *The Eclective: The Pride Collection*, Jack Wallen
- *After The Fall*, Sarah Goodwin
- *Vagina Monologues*, Eve Ensler
- *I Am an Emotional Creature*, Eve Ensler
- *Dragon Ladies*, Sonia Shah
- *Middlesex*, Jeffrey Eugenides
- *Sisters of the Yam*, bell hooks
- *Trans Liberation: Beyond Pink or Blue*, Leslie Feinberg

## LGBTQ

- *Zami: A New Spelling of My Name*, Audre Lorde
- *Free Your Mind: The Book for Gay, Lesbian & Bisexual Youth—and Their Allies*, Ellen Bass & Kate Kaufman
- *Fun Home*, Alison Bechdel
- *Positively Gay: New Approaches to Gay and Lesbian Life*, Betty Berzon, ed.
- *My Gender Workbook*, Kate Bornstein
- *Giovanni's Room*, James Baldwin
- *Am I Blue? Coming Out from the Silence*, Marion Dane Bauer, ed.
- *Rubyfruit Jungle*, Rita Mae Brown
- *Stone Butch Blues*, Leslie Feinberg
- *Annie on My Mind*, Nancy Garden
- *Geography Club*, Brent Hartinger
- *The Misfits*, James Howe
- *Boy Meets Boy*, David Levitham

## Book Club: Book List, continued

### INCLUSION

- *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time*, Mark Haddon
- *Ten Things Every Child with Autism Wishes You Knew*, Elizabeth Notbohm
- *A Spot of Bother*, Mark Haddon

### RACE

- *The Color Purple*, Alice Walker
- *Their Eyes were Watching God*, Zora Neale Hurston
- *Black Looks*, bell hooks
- *Roll of Thunder, Hear my Cry*, Mildred D. Taylor and Lynne Thigpen
- *Sisters of the Yam*, bell hooks
- *The Miseducation of the Negro*, Carter G. Woodson
- *Christopher Columbus and the African Holocaust*, John Henrik Clark
- *The Isis Papers*, Francis Cress Welsing
- *To Kill a Mockingbird*, Harper Lee
- *Tenderheaded*, Pamela Johnson

### CLASS

- *The Communist Manifesto*, Karl Marx
- *Colonize This!: Young Women of Color on Today's Feminism*, Daisy Hernandez
- *Savage Inequalities*, Jonathan Kozol
- *Nickel and Dimed*, Barbara Ehrenreich
- *The Second Shift: Working Families and the Revolution at Home*, Arlie Hochschild
- *Nobodies: Modern American Slave Labor and the Dark Side of the New Global Economy*, John Bowe

### TRANSNATIONAL/ GLOBAL

- *Trafficking Women's Human Rights*, Julietta Hua
- *Global Lockdown*, Julia Sudbury
- *Poor Workers' Unions*, Vanessa Tait