Teen & Older Middle Grade Books by Black Authors
Akron-Summit County Public Library

**Fiction**

- **JFIC ALSTON Amari** – Amari and the Night Brother, B. B. Alston
- **JFIC COLBERT Only** – The Only Black Girls in Town
- **JFIC OKORAFOR-MBACHU Akata** - Akata Witch, Nnedi Okorafor (series, sequel is in TEEN)
- **JFIC Once** - Once Upon an Eid, anthology that includes black voices
- **JFIC REYNOLDS Ghost/Lu/Patina/Sunny** - Track Series, Jason Reynolds
- **JFIC RHODES Black** - Black Brother, Black Brother, Jewell Parker Rhodes
- **JFIC Rhodes Ghost** - Ghost Boys, Jewell Parker Rhodes
- **JFIC/JCSK WILLIAMS Genesis** - Genesis Begins Again, Alicia D. Williams
- **JNBRY ALEXANDER Crossover** - Crossover, Kwame Alexander
- **JNBRY/JCSK CRAFT New** - New Kid, Jerry Craft
- **TEEN ACEVEDO Clap** - Clap When You Land, Elizabeth Acevedo
- **TEEN ACEVEDO Poet** - The Poet X, Elizabeth Acevedo
- **TEEN ACEVEDO With** - With the Fire on High, Elizabeth Acevedo
- **TEEN ALEXANDER Solo** - Solo, Kwame Alexander
- **TEEN ALLEN-AGOSTINI Home** - Home Home, Lisa Allen-Agostini
- **TEEN ANCRUM Weight** - The Weight of the Stars, K. Ancrum
- **TEEN ANCRUM Wicker** - The Wicker King, K. Ancrum
- **TEEN ANDERSON Undead** – Undead Girl Gang, Lily Anderson
- **TEEN ATTA Black** - The Black Flamingo, Dean Atta
- **TEEN BARRON Kingdom** – Kingdom of Souls, Rena Barron
- **TEEN BARROW This** - This is What It Feels Like, Rebecca Barrow
- **TEEN BAYRON Cinderella** - Cinderella is Dead, Kalynn Bayron
- **TEEN Black** - Black Enough (Anthology)
- **TEEN BROMFIELD Hurricane** – Hurricane Summer by Asha Bromfield
- **TEEN BROWN Black** - Black Girl Unlimited, Echo Brown
- **TEEN BROWN Song** - A Song of Wraiths and Ruin, Roseanne A Brown
- **TEEN BROWNE Chlorine** – Chlorine Sky, Mahogany L Browne
- **TEEN BRYANT Happily** – Happily Ever Afters, Elise Bryant
- **TEEN CALLENDER Felix** - Felix Ever After, Kacen Callender
- **TEEN CALLENDER This** - This is Kind of an Epic Love Story, Kheryn Callender
- **TEEN CLAYTON Belles** - The Belles, Dhonielle Clayton
- **TEEN COLBERT Voting** - The Voting Booth, Brandy Colbert
- **TEEN COLES Tyler** - Tyler Johnson Was Here, Jay Coles
- **TEEN DASS Where** – Where the Rhythm Takes You, Sarah Dass
- **TEEN DAVIS Good** - The Good Luck Girls, Charlotte Nichole Davis
- **TEEN DAVIS Roman** – Roman + Jewel, Dana L. Davis
- **TEEN DAVIS Tiffany** - Tiffany Sly Lives Here Now, Dana L Davis
- **TEEN DAVIS When** - When the Stars Lead to you, Ronni Davis
• TEEN DEONN Legendborn - Legendborn, Tracy Deonn
• TEEN DIAZ Color - Color Me In, Natasha Diaz
• TEEN ELLE Wings – Wings of Ebony by J.Elle
• TEEN EMEZI Pet – Pet, Akwaeke Emezi
• TEEN EVERETT Everyone – Everyone We’ve Been, Sarah Everett
• TEEN EVERETT No – No One Here Is Lonely, Sarah Everett
• TEEN EVERETT Some – Some Other Now, Sarah Everett
• TEEN FOREST I – I Wanna Be Where You Are, Kristina Forest
• TEEN FOREST Now – Now That I’ve Found You, Kristina Forest
• TEEN FORNA Gilded – The Gilded Ones, Namina Forna
• TEEN GARRETT Full - Full Disclosure, Camryn Garrett
• TEEN GARRETT Off – Off the Record, Cameron Garrett
• TEEN GILES Not – Not So Pure and Simple, Lamar Giles
• TEEN GILES Spin – Spin, Lamar Giles
• TEEN GOFFNEY Excuse – Excuse Me While I Ugly Cry, Joya Goffney
• TEEN HALL Your – Your Corner Dark, Desmond Hall
• TEEN HAMMONDS REED Black - The Black Kids, Christina Hammonds Reed
• TEEN HARRIS When – When You Look Like Us, Pamela Harris
• TEEN IFUEKO Raybearer - Raybearer, Jordan Ifueko
• TEEN ILOH Every - Every Body Looking, Candice Iloh
• TEEN IRELAND Dread - Dread Nation, Justina Ireland (series)
• TEEN JACKSON Allegedly - Allegedly, Tiffany D. Jackson
• TEEN JACKSON Grown - Grown, Tiffany D. Jackson
• TEEN JACKSON Let - Let Me Hear a Rhyme, Tiffany D. Jackson
• TEEN JOHNSON This - This is My America, Kim Johnson
• TEEN JOHNSON You - You Should See Me in a Crown, Leah Johnson
• TEEN JOY River - A River of Royal Blood, Amanda Joy
• TEEN KANN Let's - Let’s Talk About Love, Claire Kann
• TEEN MATHER Facing - Facing the Sun, Janice Lynn Mather
• TEEN MCKINNEY Blade - A Blade So Black, L.L. McKinney (series)
• TEEN MCQUEEN Invincible - The Invincible Summer of Juniper Jones, Daven McQueen
• TEEN MONTGOMERY By - By Any Means Necessary, Candice Montgomery
• TEEN MONTGOMERY Home - Home and Away, Candice Montgomery
• TEEN MOORE Stars - The Stars Beneath Our Feet, David Barclay Moore
• TEEN MORRIS Cost The Cost of Knowing, Brittney Morris, Spring 21
• TEEN MORRIS Slay - Slay, Brittney Morris
• TEEN MORROW Song - A Song Below Water, Bethany C. Morrow
• TEEN MOURITE Dear - Dear Haiti, Love Alaine, Maika Moulite and Maritza Moulite
• TEEN ONEOME Like – Like Home, Louisa Onomé
• TEEN ONYEBUCHI Beasts - Beasts Made of Night, Tochi Onyebuchi (series)
• TEEN ONYEBUCHI War - War Girls, Tochi Onyebuchi (series)
• TEEN PARKER Who - Who Put This Song On?, Morgan Parker
• TEEN PHILIPPE Charming - Charming As A Verb, Ben Philippe
• TEEN PHILIPPE Field - The Field Guide to the North American Teenager, Ben Philippe
• TEEN Phoenix - A Phoenix First Must Burn (Anthology)
• TEEN PINK Angel – Angel of Greenwood, Randi Pink
• TEEN PINK Girls - Girls Like Us, Randi Pink
• TEEN REYNOLDS Early - Early Departures, Justin A. Reynolds
• TEEN REYNOLDS Look - Look Both Ways, Jason Reynolds
• TEEN REYNOLDS Opposite - Opposite of Always, Justin A. Reynolds
• TEEN SIMONE Smash - Smash It!, Francina Simone
• TEEN SMART Witches – Witches Steeped in Gold, Ciannon Smart
• TEEN STONE Dear - Dear Justyce, Nic Stone
• TEEN STONE Jackpot - Jackpot, Nic Stone
• TEEN STONE Odd - Odd One Out, Nic Stone
• TEEN Take - Take The Mic – anthology, included for stories by Black voices
• TEEN TAMANI All - All The Things We Never Knew, Liara Tamani
• TEEN TAMANI Calling - Calling My Name, Liara Tamani
• TEEN TAYLOR Given – Given, Nandi Taylor
• TEEN This - This Way Madness Lies (Anthology edited by Dahlia Adler, contains many Black and diverse voices)
• TEEN THOMAS Concrete – Concrete rose, Angie Thomas
• TEEN THOMAS Hate – The Hate U Give, Angie Thomas
• TEEN THOMAS On – On the Come Up, Angie Thomas
• TEEN WATSON Love – Love is a Revolution, Renee Watson
• TEEN WATSON Watch - Watch Us Rise, Renee Watson & Ellen Hagan
• TEEN WINTERS Summer - The Summer of Everything, Julian Winters
• TEEN WOODFOLK Lux, TEEN WOODFOLK Micah – Flyy Girls Series, Ashley Woodfolk (hi-lo series)
• TEEN WOODFOLK When - When You Were Everything, Ashley Woodfolk
• TEEN YOON Instructions – Instructions for Dancing, Nicola Yoon
• TEEN YOON Sun - The Sun is Also A Star, Nicola Yoon
• TEEN ZOBOI American - American Street, Ibi Zoboi
• TEEN ZOBOI Pride - Pride, Ibi Zoboi
• TEEN ZOBOI Punching - Punching the Air, Ibi Zoboi and Yusef Salaam
• TEEN/RL ADEYEMI Children - Children of Blood and Bone, Tomi Adeyemi (series)
• TEEN/RL MAGOON How - How it Went Down, Kekla Magoon
• TEEN/RL REYNOLDS All - All American Boys, Jason Reynolds & Brandon Kiely
• TEEN/RL STONE Dear - Dear Martin, Nic Stone
• TEEN/RL THOMAS On - On The Come Up, Angie Thomas
• TEEN/TEENPB/RL YOON Everything - Everything, Everything, Nichola Yoon
• TEENBL COLBERT Revolution - The Revolution of Birdie Randolph, Brandy Colbert
• TEENBL GRIMES Bronx - Bronx Masquerade, Nikki Grimes
• TEENBL JACKSON Monday’s - Monday’s Not Coming, Tiffany D. Jackson
• TEENBL KANN If - If It Makes You Happy, Claire Kann
• TEENBL MAGOON Light - Light It Up, Kekla Magoon
- **TEENBL PETRUS Stars** - The Stars and the Blackness Between Them, Junauda Petrus
- **TEENBL WOODSON If** - If You Come Softly, Jacqueline Woodson
- **TEENBL/RL MYERS Monster** - Monster, Walter Dean Myers
- **TEENBL/RL REYNOLDS Long** - Long Way Down, Jason Reynolds
- **TEENBL/TEEN/RL THOMAS Hate** – The Hate U Give, Angie Thomas
- **TEENPB/RL DRAPER Tears** - Tears of A Tiger, Sharon M. Draper
- **TEENPB/RL JOHNSON First** - The First Part Last, Angela Johnson

**Popular Authors with Lots of Titles**

- Jason Reynolds (in both TEEN and JFIC)
- Ibi Zoboi
- Tiffany D. Jackson
- Nic Stone (in both TEEN and JFIC)
- Angie Thomas
- Nikki Grimes (in both TEEN and JFIC)
- Jaqueline Woodson (in both TEEN and JFIC)
- Angela Johnson
- Walter Dean Myers (in both TEEN and JFIC)
- Kwame Alexander (in both TEEN and JFIC)
- Elizabeth Acevedo
- Brandy Colbert (in both TEEN and JFIC)
- Kacen Callender (in both TEEN and JFIC)
- Coe Booth
- Sharon M. Draper

**Black Graphic Novel Creators**

- **TEENGN BLUE ROAD** - The Blue Road (GN)
- **TEENGN CHECK PLEASE 1** - Check Please! (GN)
- **TEENGN GOLDIE VANCE 1** - Goldie Vance (black artist – GN)
- **TEENGN NUBIA** – Nubia: Real One

**Non-Fiction**

- **TEENNF 305.8 J83b** – The Black Friend by Frederick Joseph
- **TEENNF 305.8009 R463s** - Stamped, Jason Reynolds & Ibram X. Kendi nf
- **TEENNF 306.7662 J67a** - All Boys Aren’t Blue, George M. Johnson (NF)
- **TEENNF 811.54 G862or** - Ordinary Hazards, Nikki Grimes (NF)
- **TEENNF 811.6 EL469s** - Say Her Name, Zetta Elliott

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