

Large fears

Written By Myles E. Johnson; Illustrated By Kendick Daye

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10,000 Dresses (Book)

Written By Marcus Ewert; Illustrated By Rex Ray

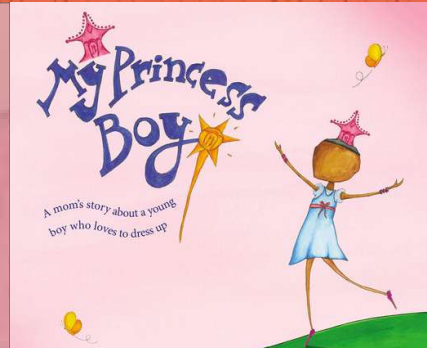
10,000 Dresses follows the story of a young transgender girl named Bailey, who dreams of wearing extravagant dresses. While her parents are not as accepting or understanding of how to support her, she soon finds a friend who does, and her life is forever changed.



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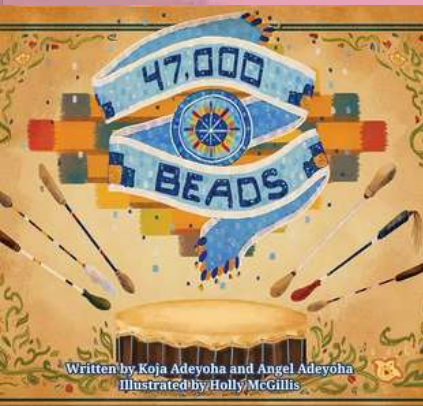
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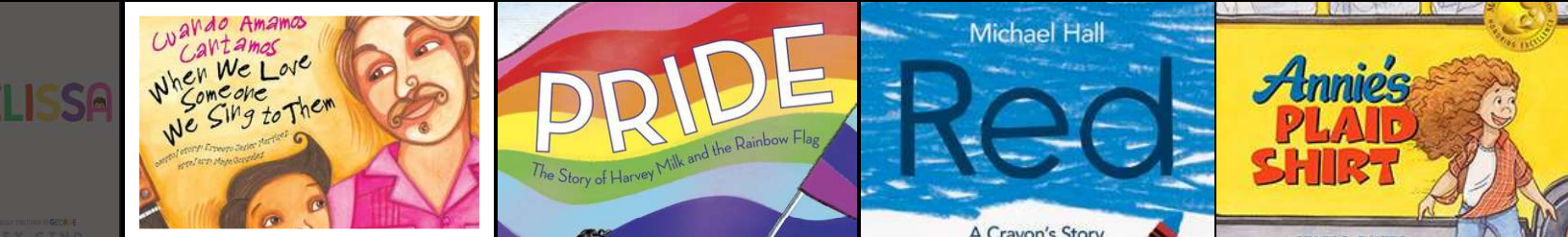


47,000 Beads (Book)

Written By Koja & Angel Adeyoha; Illustrated By Holly McGillis

Peyton loves to dance, and especially at pow wow, but her Auntie notices that she's been dancing less and less. When Peyton shares that she just can't be comfortable wearing a dress anymore, Auntie Eyota asks some friends for help to get Peyton what she needs.





La SERENATA

100% Match 2022 Youtube ★ 12 mins. 5.1

"La Serenata" Tells the Story About a Boy Who Wants to Sing to Another Boy.

Written by Ernesto Javier Martínez
Directed by Adelina Anthony
Produced by Ernesto Javier Martínez, Adelina Anthony & Marisa Becerra



Cuando Amamos Cartamos / When We Love Someone, We Sing To Them (Book)

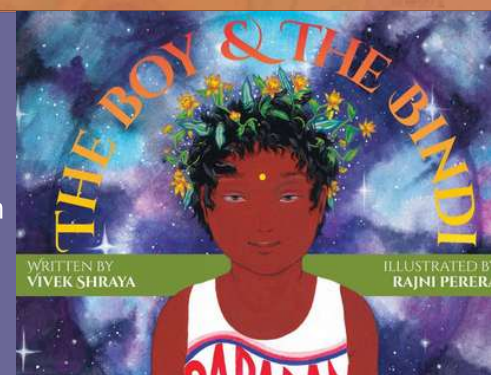
Written By Ernesto Javier Martínez; Illustrated By Maya Christina Gonzalez

A reclamation of the Mexican serenata tradition, follows the story of a young boy who asks his father if there is a song for a boy who loves a boy. In this book, we learn about the Mexican tradition of singing to family and loved ones through one boy who naturally assumes the tradition includes him and his experience.

The Boy and the Bindi (Book)

Written By Vivek Shraya; Illustrated By Rajni Perera

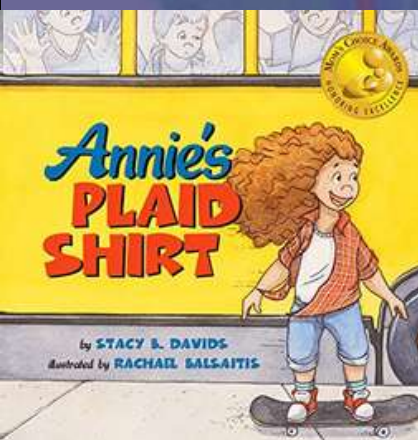
A five-year-old South Asian boy becomes fascinated with his mother's bindi, the red dot commonly worn by Hindu women to indicate the point at which creation begins, and wishes to have one of his own. Rather than chastise her son, she agrees to it, and teaches him about its cultural significance, allowing the boy to discover the magic of the bindi, which in turn gives him permission to be more fully himself.



Annie's Plaid Shirt (Book)

Written By Stacy B. Davids; Illustrated By Rachael Balsaitis

Annie's Plaid Shirt by Stacy B. Davids is a children's book about a young girl who feels most herself wearing her favorite plaid shirt. When she's told she must wear a dress to a family wedding, Annie struggles with conforming to expectations that don't match her identity. This story promotes messages of self-expression, gender diversity, and the importance of family acceptance.



RESOURCES

LITERATURE AND MEDIA FOR CHILDREN

The Bravest Knight Who Ever Lived (Book)

Written By Daniel Errico; Illustrated By Shiloh Penfield

Sparkle Boy (Book)

Written By Leslie Newman; Illustrated By Maria Mola

Marisol McDonald and the Clash Bash (Marisol McDonald y la fiesta sin igual) (Book):

Written By Monica Brown; Illustrated By Sara Palacios

I Am Jazz (Book)

Written By Jessica Herthel & Jazz Jennings; Illustrated By Shelagh McNicholas

Be Who You Are (Book)

Written By Todd Parr

Julian Is A Mermaid (Book):

Written By Jessica Love

When Aidan Became A Brother (Book):

Written By Kyle Lukoff; Illustrated By Kaylani Juanita

Melissa (Book):

Written By Alex Gino

Red (Book):

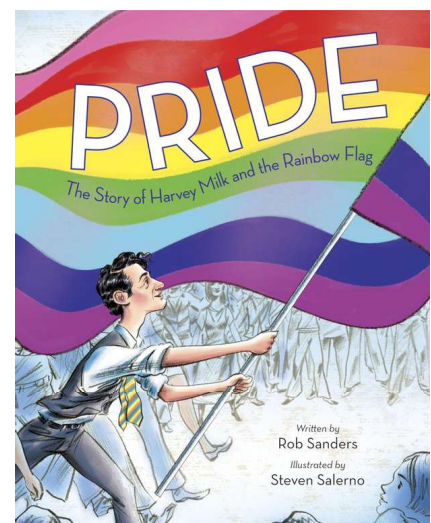
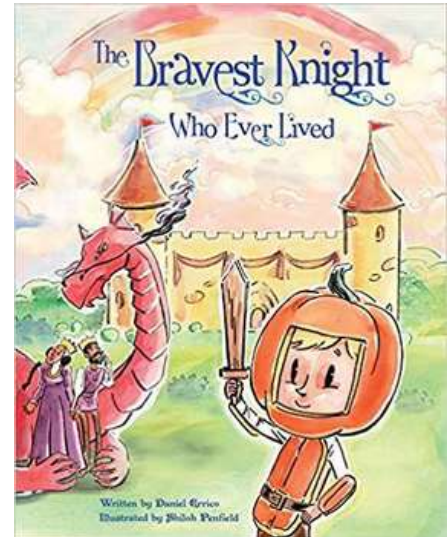
Written By Michael Hall

From the stars in the sky to the fish in the sea (Book):

Written By Kai Cheng Thom; Illustrated By Wai-Yant Li & Kai Yun Ching

Pride: The Story of Harvey Milk and the Rainbow Flag (Book):

Written By Rob Sanders; Illustrated By Steven Salerno



RESOURCES

LITERATURE AND MEDIA FOR CHILDREN

The Mitchells vs. the Machines (Film)

Directed by Mike Rianda & Jeff Rowe

Available on Netflix; Check Your Local Library

A quirky family tries to save the world during a robot apocalypse. The teen daughter, Katie, is openly queer—subtly shown but meaningfully present.

The Bravest Knight (Hulu Original Film & Series)

Available on Hulu; Check Your Local Library

A knight tells his daughter stories from his life, including his marriage to another man. Highlights family, courage, and identity.

Craig of the Creek (TV Series):

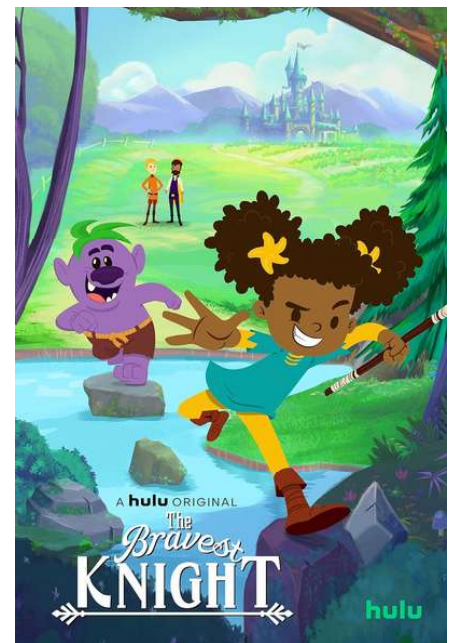
Created by Matt Burnett and Ben Levin

Available on Cartoon Network/ Max; Check Your Local Library

An adventurous and heartwarming animated series that follows Craig and his friends as they explore the magical world of their neighborhood creek.



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RESOURCES

LITERATURE AND MEDIA FOR TEENS

Melissa (Book): *Written By Alex Gino*

A trans girl finds her voice and identity while trying out for the class play.

The Best at It (Book): *Written by Maulik Pancholy*

A gay Indian American boy navigates middle school, anxiety, and self-discovery.

Too Bright to See (Book): *Written by Kyle Lukoff*

A ghost story and coming-out journey about a transgender boy exploring his identity.

Zenobia July (Book): *Written by Lisa Bunker*

A trans girl uses her coding skills to solve a cyber mystery while adjusting to a new life.

The Mighty Heart of Sunny St. James (Book):

Written by Ashley Herring Blake

After a heart transplant, Sunny sets out to "find a new best friend, do something brave, and kiss a girl."

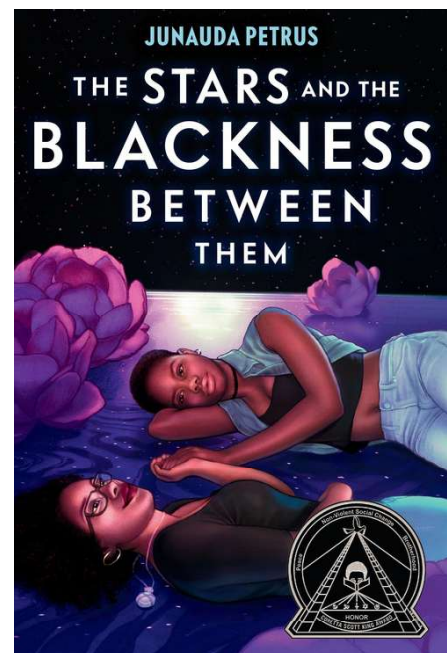
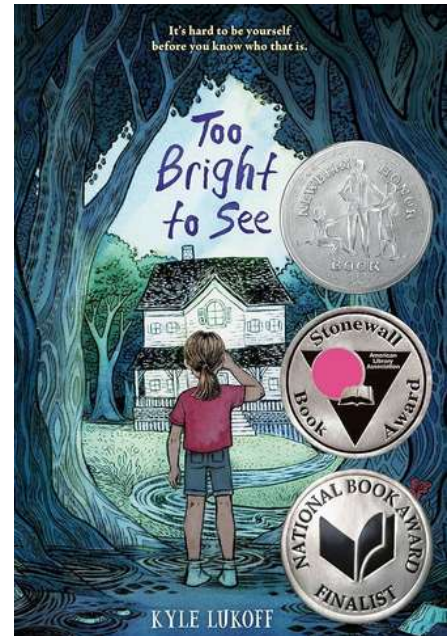
Camp (Book): *Written by L.C. Rosen*

A funny, heartfelt YA romance set at a queer summer camp, where Randy reinvents himself to win his crush—but ends up learning to love his true self.

The Stars and the Blackness Between Them (Book):

Written by Junauda Petrus

A poetic and emotionally rich novel following two Black girls—one from Trinidad, one from Minneapolis—as they fall in love and explore spirituality, identity, and mortality.



RESOURCES

LITERATURE AND MEDIA FOR TEENS

She-Ra and the Princesses of Power (TV Show):

Available on Netflix; Check Your Local Library

A magical girl series with LGBTQ+ characters and themes of friendship, resistance, and love.

The Owl House (TV Show):

Available on Disney+; Check Your Local Library

A queer Latina teen explores a magical world, forms deep friendships, and experiences a sweet same-gender love story.

Kipo and the Age of Wonderbeasts (TV Show):

Available on Netflix; Check Your Local Library

A vibrant, post-apocalyptic animated series featuring a Black gay teen and themes of inclusion, music, and found family.

Heartstopper (TV Show):

Available on Netflix; Check Your Local Library

A tender British series about two boys falling in love, navigating identity, bullying, and joy in queer youth.

Steven Universe (TV Show):

Available on HBO Max; Check Your Local Library

A groundbreaking series celebrating queer love, gender fluidity, self-acceptance, and emotional growth.

Nimona (Film)

Directed by Nick Bruno & Troy Quane

A rebellious shapeshifter teams up with a falsely accused knight in a futuristic medieval world. This animated adventure celebrates queerness, found family, and embracing who you are—even when the world fears you.



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