quantilope's Juneteenth Resource Guide 2022

Media

Black Directors

- Films by Solomon Sir Jones (1924-1928) The Solomon Sir Jones films consist of 29 silent black and white films documenting African-American communities in Oklahoma from 1924 to 1928.
- Do The Right Thing by Spike Lee (Available to rent on streaming services, filmed in Brooklyn and then visit Do The Right Thing Way the first time New York Clty has ever named a street after a film!)
- Moonlight by Barry Jenkins (Won "Best Motion Picture" at the Oscars 2017, filmed in Miami)
- Harriet by Kasi Lemmons
- Belle by Amma Asante
- <u>Judas and the Black Messiah</u>; directed by Shaka King and Daniel Kaluuya won Best Supporting Actor for his role as Fred Hampton

Movies

- 12 Years a Slave by Steve McQueen
- Glory by Edward Zwick
- Hidden Figures by Theodore Melfi
- A Raisin in the Sun by Daniel Petrie
- The Color Purple by Steven Spielberg
- Loving by Jeff Nichols
- *Malcolm X* by Spike Lee
- Best of enemies (Netflix)
- The Help
- Project Power (Fantasy)
- Fatherhood (Netflix)
- Passing (Netflix)
- Sorry To Bother You (Netflix)
- Roxanne, Roxanne (Netflix)
- American Son (Netflix)
- The United States vs. Billie Holiday (Hulu)

- The Hate You Give (Hulu)
- Vacation Friends (Hulu)
- Just Mercy (Hulu)
- For Colored Girls (Hulu)

Documentaries

- African-Americans: Many Rivers to Cross by Henry Louis Gates (PBS)
- February 1: The Story of the Greensboro Four
- King: Man of Peace in a Time of War
- Modern Day Slavery: From Plantations to Prisons
- The death and lies of Marsha P. Johnson (LGBTQ+) Netflix
- Becoming (Netflix)

Ted Talks

• Ron Finley: Guerilla Gardener in South Central LA

Websites

- Library of Congress: Voices Remembering Slavery: Freed People Tell Their Stories
- <u>Juneteenth.com</u>

TV Shows

- Blackish (ABC)
- Roots (HBO)
- In Living Color (FX)
- The Bernie Mac Show (Hulu)
- Insecure (HBO)
- Atlanta (FX)
- We Own This City (HBO)
- I May Destroy You (HBO)
- Dear White People (Netflix)
- Lovecraft Country (HBO)
- When They See Us (Netflix)
- Living Single (Hulu)
- Black Lighting (Netflix)
- Girlfriends (Netflix)
- Queen Sugar (Hulu)
- For Life (Hulu)
- Pose (Hulu)
- Woke (Hulu)
- Women of the movement (Hulu)

• Colin black and white (Netflix)

Music/Podcasts

- Leadbelly
- Dorothy Ashby
- Funkadelic
- The Read
- Black History Year
- Still Processing
- Code Switch
- Black Girl Podcast
- <u>Celebrate Juneteenth!</u> <u>Today, Explained, VOX</u>
- The History and Meaning of Juneteenth The Daily, New York Times
- Isabel Wilkerson Armchair Expert
- Black Magic: Chad Sanders Wisdom From The Top, NPR

Books *I recommend downloading the "Libby" app to see what books are available for free from your local library!

Fiction

- Juneteenth by Ralph Ellison
- Their Eyes Were Watching God by Zora Neale Hurston (Hurston lived in the first emancipated city in Florida Eatonville. She was a writer of the Harlem Renaissance, and this is a beautiful love story, set in turn of the century Florida)
- The Bluest Eye by Toni Morrison
- Legend Born bY Tracy Deonn
- Skye Falling by Mia Mckenzie
- Children of Blood and Bone series by Tomi Adeyemi
- Kindred, by Octavia E. Butler
- The Love Songs of W.E.B. Du Bois, by Honorée Fanonne Jeffers
- Invisible Man, by Ralph Ellison

Non-Fiction

- The New Jim Crow by Michele Alexander
- A Slave No More by David Blight
- How the World is Passed by Clint Smith
- *Invisible Child* by Andrea Elliot (This book is a Pulitzer Prize winner)

- Sister Outsider, by Audre Lorde
- Go Tell It on the Mountain, by James Baldwin
- The Warmth of Other Suns: The Epic Story of America's Great Migration, by Isabel Wilkerson
- The 1619 Project: A New Origin Story, by Nikole Hannah-Jones

Events

- New York City
 - o <u>Juneteenth Run/Walk/Roll</u> in Central Park
 - o <u>luneteenth 5k</u> at Brooklyn Bridge Pier Park
- Boston
 - o <u>1776 on Broadway</u> American Repertory Theater
- Look for events in your community!

Reflect

- Engage with, think, reflect and discuss at least 3 different sources of material within this guide
- Do your own research on Juneteenth

Act

- Support Black-owned businesses (<u>Amazon</u>; <u>NY Mag 200 Black Owned Business</u>; or search your local community!)
- Donate
 - Some organizations in our field:
 - Insights in color
 - Black girls who code

Add Your Own Sources Below!

- The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks
 - Movie and book!