

ATN NEWSLETTER

If your feminism isn't intersectional, it isn't feminism!



REFLECTING ON ONE YEAR SINCE OUR BOMBASTIC BEGINNING!

From the desks of the Antiracist Teachers Network:

Welcome back to International Women's History Month!
Our tenth issue of the ATN Newsletter marks one year since we sent our first newsletter through Local Lines with the catch-line:

"In a profession dominated by women, we should learn to celebrate them!"

Our team of four (which has now expanded to seven) is thankful for everyone who has stuck with our newsletter since that first line, sent kind words our way, provided feedback, shared our work within their schools and even joined the ATN by sending an email to our network lead!

For this anniversary issue, we've decided to present to our readers a variety of resources focusing on...

Women in Protest!

The resources for this month will help guide your independent or classroom explorations highlighting how women throughout history have stood up for equity, inclusion and fought against injustice. We hope this sparks some interesting investigations and conversations.

DATES OF NOTE FOR MARCH

All Month: International Women's History Month
(Theme: Celebrating Women Who Tell Our Stories)

March 8th - International Women's Day

(#EmbraceEquity)

March 15th - International Day Against Police Brutality

March 20th - Spring Equinox

March 21st - International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination

March 22nd to April 20th - Ramadan



OUR MONTHLY BOOK RECCS

From the ATN Resource Bank!

K to 4 - A is for Activist by Innosanto Nagara, **The Pink Hat** by Andrew Joyner, **Stories for South Asian Supergirls** by Raj Kaur Khaira, **The Little Book of Little Activists** compiled by Penguin Young Readers, **Rad Women Worldwide: Artists and Athletes, Pirates and Punks, and Other Revolutionaries Who Shaped History** by Kate Schatz, **IntersectionAllies: We Make Room for All** by Chelsea Johnson, LaToya Council, and Carolyn Choi

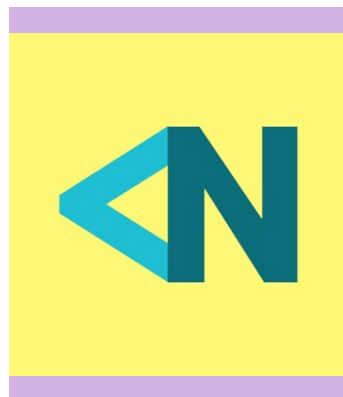
5 to 9 - She Dared: True Stories of Heroines, Scoundrels and Renegades by Ed Butts, **Fierce: Women Who Shaped Canada** by Lisa Dalrymple, **Audacity** by Melanie Crowder, **This Book Is Feminist: An Intersectional Primer for Next-Gen Changemakers** by Jamia Wilson

10 to 12 - Colonize This! Young Women of Color on Today's Feminism edited by Daisy Hernández and Bushra Rehman, **Bygone Badass Broads: 52 Forgotten Women Who Changed the World** by Mackenzi Lee, **Disability Visibility** by Alice Wong, **Girls Resist! A Guide to Activism, Leadership, and Starting a Revolution** by Kaelyn Rich

For Teachers - Sister Outsider by Audre Lorde, **Year of the Tiger: An Activist's Life** by Alice Wong, **Caste: The Origins of Our Discontents** by Isabel Wilkerson, **Against White Feminism** by Rafia Zakaria, **Warrior Life: Indigenous Resistance and Resurgence** by Pam Palmater, **Hood Feminism** by Mikki Kendall, **For Brown Girls with Sharp Edges and Tender Hearts** by Prisca Dorcas Mojica Rodriguez, **White Tears/Brown Scars** by Ruby Hamad.

COOL STUFF!

- **Google Arts and Culture** has a visual guide to [8 Women's Protests From Around The World](#) which can help to start conversations in classrooms using historical photographs
- **The Government of British Columbia** has developed an [Anti-Racism Curricular Guide](#) with accompanying [Anti-Racism Posters](#) and [Anti-Racism Interactive Reminders](#) that can be used across all grade levels.
- **Rise Up! : A digital archive of feminist activism** breaks down different Feminist movements into timelines, publications and lesson plans suited for High School settings.
- **Warrior Life by Pam Palmater** is an Indigenous podcast about the warrior life - featuring the voices of Indigenous warriors, advocates & leaders on the front lines of Indigenous resistance, resurgence and revitalization, who are protecting our lands, peoples and sovereignty.
- **Warrior Kids Podcast** is an interactive podcast for Grades K-3 covering the topics of Warrior Life for younger audiences.
- **My Name is Pauli Murray (2021)** is a look at the life and ideas of **Pauli Murray**, a Non-Binary Black lawyer, activist and poet in the United States.
- **Encyclopedia Womanica** is a daily podcast where in under ten minutes a day you can learn about a different woman often ignored from history classes.



NEVERTHELESS PODCAST

Nevertheless Podcast focuses on analyzing the intersection of diversity and STEM fields from looking at current advances in science to exploring the unacknowledged achievements of Women of Colour in STEM. Even better- They have developed a series of **STEM Role Model posters in 8 different languages** to keep the learning going all year long.



GIRLS LEAD YYC

The Women's Centre Calgary offers summer programming to anyone identifying as a girl in Grades 10-12 who want to lead, influence, and participate in collective action to improve their schools, communities, and beyond. You can also access their **Girl's Leadership and Activism Toolkit for free!**



CANADIAN WOMEN IN FILM

The National Film Board of Canada (NFB) provides several films highlighting different stories of Canadian Women's fight for equity along with Education and Study Guides to accompany them. We recommend checking out: **Under the Willow Tree: Pioneer Chinese Women in Canada**, **May Two-Axe Earley: I Am Indian Again**, and **Sisters in the Struggle**

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE ANTIRACIST TEACHERS NETWORK



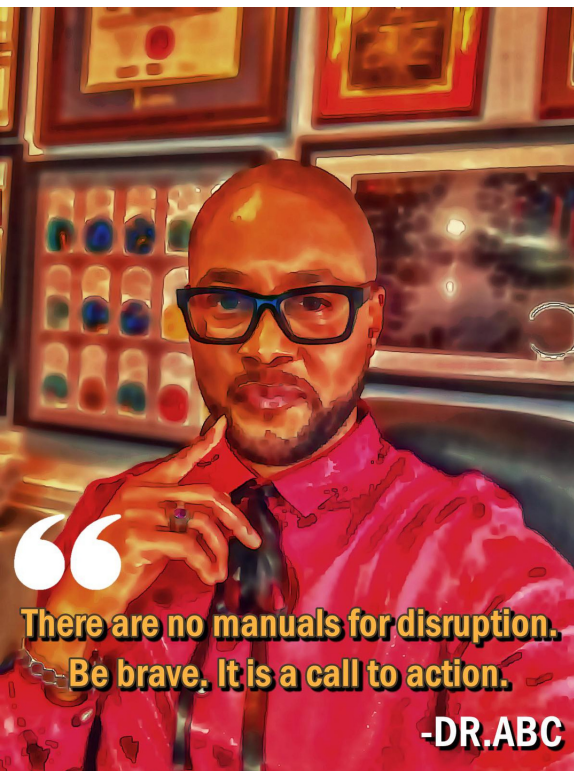
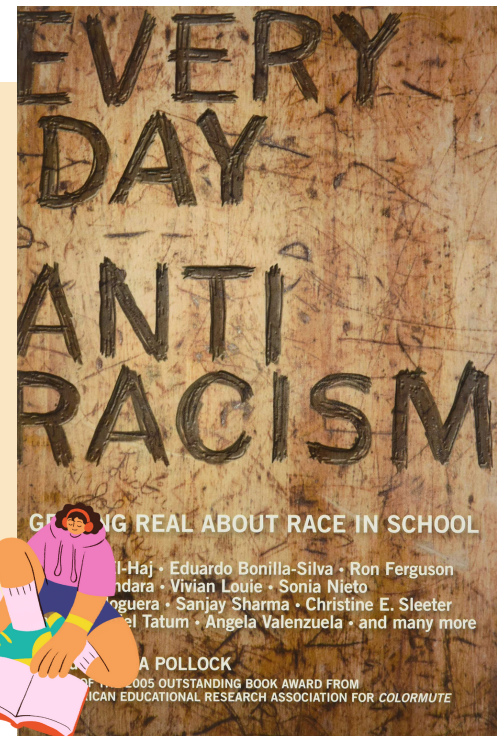
ATN BOOK CLUB!

Everyday Antiracism: Getting Real About Race in School edited by **Mica Pollock** is the first book club pick for the Antiracist Teachers Network Book Club!

First Book Club meeting will be on March 8th from 5:30-6:30pm to discuss the first 40 pages!

Open to all, [sign up here to register!](#)

Any questions? Email us at local38atn@gmail.com



ATN PD OPPORTUNITIES

***You must be an ATN Member to access these learning opportunities**

THURSDAY MARCH 16TH

Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Leadership Workshop with Dr. Andrew B. Campbell (Dr. ABC)



Interested in joining the ATN?
Email: local38atn@gmail.com
for more information!



Looking for previous ATN issues?
Find them under

[Antiracist Teacher Network Newsletter](#) here!