



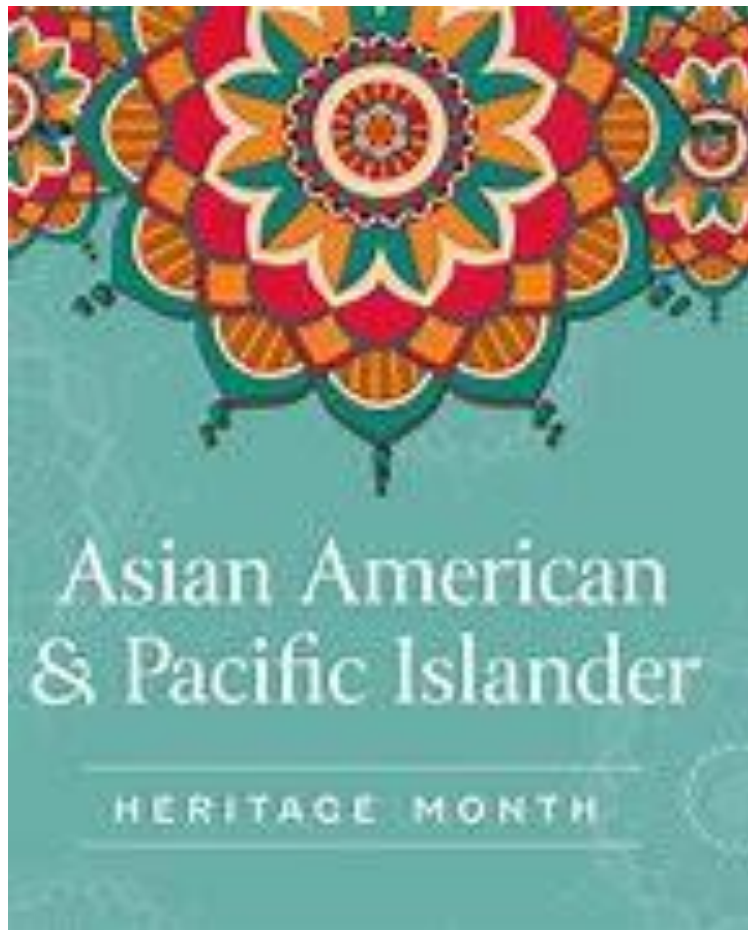


**Organizations/Websites Offering Resources (Partial List)**

	<p>Anti-Defamation League <a href="http://www.adl.org">www.adl.org</a></p>		<p>Asian American Education Project <a href="http://www.asianamerican.edu">www.asianamerican.edu</a></p>
	<p>Asian Americans Advancing Justice <a href="http://www.advancingjustice.org">www.advancingjustice.org</a></p>		<p>Asian Pacific American Center – Smithsonian <a href="http://www.smithsonianapa.org">www.smithsonianapa.org</a></p>
	<p><a href="http://www.colorincolorado.org">Colorín Colorado</a> <a href="http://www.colorincolorado.org">www.colorincolorado.org</a></p>		<p>Critical Media Project <a href="http://www.criticalmediaproject.org">www.criticalmediaproject.org</a></p>
	<p>Federal Asian Pacific American Council <a href="http://www.fapac.org">www.fapac.org</a></p>		<p>Facing History and Ourselves <a href="http://www.facinghistory.org">www.facinghistory.org</a></p>
 <p>Google Arts &amp; Culture</p>	<p>Google Arts and Culture <a href="http://www.artsandculture.google.com">www.artsandculture.google.com</a></p>		<p>HISTORY.COM <a href="http://www.history.com">www.history.com</a></p>
	<p>Learning for Justice <a href="http://www.learningforjustice.org">www.learningforjustice.org</a></p>		<p>Library of Congress <a href="http://www.loc.gov">www.loc.gov</a></p>
	<p>National Endowment for the Humanities NEH Edsitement <a href="http://www.edsitement.neh.gov">www.edsitement.neh.gov</a></p>		<p>National Geographic <a href="http://www.nationalgeographic.org">www.nationalgeographic.org</a></p>
	<p>National Park Service <a href="http://www.nps.gov">www.nps.gov</a></p>		<p>PBS LearningMedia <a href="http://www.pbslearningmedia.org">www.pbslearningmedia.org</a></p>
	<p>read write think NCTE <a href="http://www.readwritethink.org">www.readwritethink.org</a></p>		<p>YouTube <a href="http://www.youtube.com">www.youtube.com</a></p>



As educators, we should provide as many year-round learning experiences as possible that reflect our students' intersecting identities along with the lessons that offer insights into others with whom they may not have a deep understanding or appreciation. The value of offering these *mirrors and windows* is well established and should be provided thoughtfully and consistently in our nation's classrooms.

After five joint resolutions were introduced in the 95<sup>th</sup> Congress (1977-1978), *Asian/Pacific American Heritage Week* was designated on May 4, 1979 after being passed by a joint resolution of Congress. On March 28, 1979, President Jimmy Carter issued Proclamation 4650, the first presidential proclamation for Asian/Pacific American Week. He spoke of *the significant role Asian/Pacific Islanders have played in the creation of a dynamic and pluralistic society with their contributions to the sciences, arts, industry, government and commerce*. In May, 1990, President George H. W. Bush issued a proclamation designating May 1990 as the first *Asia/Pacific Islander Heritage Month*. All subsequent presidents have repeated this proclamation annually in the month of May.

While the custom of cultural monthly observances may seem out-of-date, please consider them as additional opportunities to highlight the achievements and contributions of a particular group of our citizenry in greater depth — a worthy goal. At a time when there is a critical need to promote acceptance, respect and harmony throughout our diverse communities, please consider engaging students in experiences that lead to a greater appreciation of the collective contributions made by others of similar, as well as differing, identities. Please also remember to provide adequate context to these accomplishments in light of the challenges our marginalized citizenry had to overcome to reach their goals. Hopefully, these learning experiences help students understand we are all woven into the rich cultural tapestry of humanity in this place we call *America*.

# Asian American/Pacific Islander Heritage Month Resource Guide

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## Lessons/Activities/Leveled Articles

### Elementary/Middle School/High School

- [9-ideas-for-teaching-asian-american-pacific-islander-heritage-month.pdf \(adl.org\)](#) **ADL**
- [Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month Fun Facts | Lesson Plan \(sharemylesson.com\)](#)
- [Smithsonian Education - The Japanese American Internment](#) Download lessons for K-2, 3-5, 6-8, 9-12, **Smithsonian Education**
- [Contributions of the Chinese Transcontinental Railroad Workers | lesson plan curriculum | The Asian American Education Project](#) Grade Levels: 5-12
- [AAEdu 3.6 Perpetual Foreigner \(asianamericanedu.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 5-12
- [AAEdu 4.7 Know History, Know Yourself \(asianamericanedu.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 5-12
- ["Victimized Twice": 9/11/2001, South Asian Americans & Islamophobia | lesson plan curriculum | The Asian American Education Project](#) Grade Levels: 5-12
- [Smithsonian Education - Creating Hawaii](#) Download lessons for K-2, 3-5, 6-8, 9-12, **Smithsonian Education**
- [People and Wildlife in India \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Level: 4-9
- [Lunar New Year \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 3-12
- [Imperial China's Dynasties \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 3-12
- [KQED: Bay Area Mosaic](#) Asian Pacific American Studies. Includes links to various resources, activities and lessons for grade levels 4-12
- [Celebrating AAPI Heritage Month - Education - Asian Art Museum](#) Includes links to 12 different AAPI artists with bios and lesson plans; grade levels include K-12, depending on the artist featured; also includes 10 additional activities with grade levels varied.

## Elementary

- [book-of-the-month-map-into-the-world\\_0.pdf \(adl.org\)](#) Age Levels: 5-9
- [mfb-watercress.pdf \(adl.org\)](#) Age Levels: 4-8
- [book-of-the-month-front-desk\\_1.pdf \(adl.org\)](#) Age Levels: 8-12
- [book-of-the-month-binnys-diwali.pdf \(adl.org\)](#) Age Levels: 4-8
- [book of the month amins voice educator guide.pdf \(adl.org\)](#) Age Levels: 8-12
- [book-of-the-month-fish-for-jimmy.pdf \(adl.org\)](#) Age Levels: 7-11
- [book-of-the-month-red-white-and-whole-parent-guide.pdf \(adl.org\)](#) Age Levels: 8-12
- [Koinobori-English \(internationalfolkart.org\)](#) **Koinobori: Japanese Carp Windsocks or Kites** Grade Levels: 3-5
- [Lions, Dragons, and Nian: Animals of the Chinese New Year | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 9-12
- [Lotus & Feather read by Michelle Yeoh | Lesson Plan \(sharemylesson.com\)](#) Grade Levels: 3-5
- [Morality "Tales" East and West: European Fables and Buddhist Jataka Tales | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: K-5

## Elementary & Middle School

- [Manilamen The Filipino Settlement | lesson plan curriculum | The Asian American Education Project](#) Grade Levels: 4-8, **Asian American Education Project**
- [Lesson Plan - Hawaiian Star Compass \(nih.gov\)](#) **Hawaiian Archipelago and Star Compass**, Grade Levels: 4-6
- [Chinese Religions and Philosophies \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Level: 5-8
- [Buddhism \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Level: 5-8
- [Confucianism \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Level: 5-8
- [Taoism \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 5-8
- [Jainism \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Level: 5-8
- [Living in the Mount Everest Watershed \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 5-8

- [Biotechnologist and Entrepreneur: Dr. Hayat Sindi \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 5-8
- [Kublai Khan \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 5-8
- [The Mongol Khans \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 5-8
- [The Mongol Horde: An Unstoppable Force \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 5-8
- [The Great Wall of China \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 5-8
- [Huang He Valley \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 5-8

### **Middle School**

- [The World of Haiku | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Level: 6-8
- [Following the Great Wall of China | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Level: 6-8
- [Marco Polo Takes A Trip | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 6-8
- [Lesson 1: On the Road with Marco Polo: A Boy in 13th Century Venice | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 6-8
- [Lesson 2: On the Road with Marco Polo: From Venice to Hormuz | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 6-8
- [Lesson 3: On the Road with Marco Polo: From Hormuz to Kashgar | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 6-8
- [Lesson 4: On the Road with Marco Polo: Crossing the Deserts of China | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 6-8
- [Lesson 5: On the Road with Marco Polo: Marco Polo in China | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 6-8
- [Lesson 6: On the Road with Marco Polo: Sea Voyage to India | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 6-8
- [Angkor What? Angkor Wat! | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 6-8
- [Discovering Memory: Li-Young Lee's Poem "Mnemonic" and the Brain | Read Write Think](#) Grade Levels: 6-8

### **Middle School/High School**

- [coronavirus-and-infectious-racism\\_0.pdf \(adl.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 6-12
- [Solidarity against the Pandemic of Anti-Asian Hate | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 Includes links to 6 relevant videos.
- [X is for Intersectionality | ABC's of AAPIs | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 8-12

- [Episode 1, Lesson 4: The Fight For School Desegregation by Asian Americans | Asian Americans Advancing Justice - LA](#) Grade Levels: 7-12
- [Japanese Americans and Aleuts Incarceration Constitutional Violations | lesson plan curriculum | The Asian American Education Project](#) Lesson 2.1, Grade Levels: 6-12
- [Native Hawaiian Sovereignty Movement | lesson plan curriculum | The Asian American Education Project](#) Grade Levels: 6-12
- [Episode 3, Lesson 6: Asian Americans on the Big Screen: Responding to Stereotypes | Asian Americans Advancing Justice - LA](#) Grade Levels: 6-12
- [Episode 4, Lesson 5: Asian American Veterans and the Anti-War Movement | Asian Americans Advancing Justice - LA](#) Grade Levels: 6-12
- [Episode 4, Lesson 6: Southeast Asian Refugees | Asian Americans Advancing Justice - LA](#) Grade Levels: 6-12
- [Episode 5, Lesson 3: Building Community Consciousness and Coalitions | Asian Americans Advancing Justice - LA](#)
- [AAEdu 5.5 Tereza Lee and Undocumented Asian America \(asianamericanedu.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 6-12
- [Thompson\\_2017\\_Korea-2nz7ses.pdf \(cpb-us-w2.wpmucdn.com\)](#) *Korean Tales for Children*, Grade Level:7
- [Asian American & Pacific Islander Perspectives within Humanities Education | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 6-12
- [Hawai'i's Annexation and Statehood: How the Island Nation Became an American Frontier | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 6-12
- [Japanese American Internment Camps during WWII | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 6-12
- [Research Psychologist: Angela Duckworth \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 8-12+
- [Bioengineer: Kakani Katija \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 7-12+
- [Artist: Raghava KK \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 6-12+
- [Terra-Cotta Warriors Found \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 6-12
- [A is for Anna May Wong | ABC's of AAPIs | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12
- [F is for Fred Korematsu | ABC's of AAPIs | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12

## High School

- [Episode 2, Lesson 2: Asian Americans in Military Service during WWII | Asian Americans Advancing Justice - LA](#)  
Grade Levels: 9-12
- [Righting a Wrong Poster Exhibition Educators' Guide 0.pdf \(si.edu\)](#) Grade Levels; 9-12, **Smithsonian's History Explorer**
- [Lessons of the Indian Epics: Following the Dharma | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 9-12
- [Haven't I Seen You Somewhere Before? Samsara and Karma in the Jataka Tales | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels; 9-12
- [Being in the Noh: An Introduction to Japanese Noh Plays | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Level: 9-12
- [Tanka: Japanese Poetry | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Level: 9-12
- [Hamlet Meets Chushingura: Traditions of the Revenge Tragedy | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Level: 9-12
- [Life in the Floating World: Ukiyo-e Prints and the Rise of the Merchant Class in Edo Period Japan | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 9-12
- [Lessons of the Indian Epics: The Ramayana | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 9-12
- [Lessons of the Indian Epics: Following the Dharma | NEH-Edsitement](#) Grade Levels: 9-12
- [Meet the Sherpa Bringing Wi-Fi to Everest \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Level: 12
- [Three Crowned Kings of Tamilakam \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Level: 12
- [The Art of War \(nationalgeographic.org\)](#) Grade Levels: 9-12+
- [PBS - "Ancestors in the Americas"](#) Links to 3 lessons for grades 9-12
- [Family Memoir: Getting Acquainted With Generations Before Us | Read Write Think](#) Grade Levels: 9-12
- [Exploring Language and Identity: Amy Tan's "Mother Tongue" and Beyond | Read Write Think](#) GR: 9-12



## Articles/Publications/Guides/Blogs

- [Teachers, Check Your Texts | Learning for Justice](#) by Henry Cody Miller, May 18, 2017
- [We Still Haven't Learned From This | Learning for Justice](#) by Cory Collins, Fall, 2020
- [I Am Asian American | Learning for Justice](#) by Andrea Bittle, Summer 2013
- [Toolkit for "I Am Asian American" | Learning for Justice](#)
- [Honoring Asian American and Pacific Islander Identities | Learning for Justice](#)
- [The Diversity of Asian American and Pacific Islander Identities | Learning for Justice](#)
- [After Atlanta: Teaching About Asian American Identity and History | Learning for Justice](#) by Elizabeth Kleinrock, March 17, 2021
- [\(In\)Visible Identity | Learning for Justice](#) by Vishavjit Singh, summer 2018
- [Learning Together \(smithsonianapa.org\)](#) Incredibly comprehensive resource with numerous links to AAPI lessons, activities, videos, literature, etc.
- [A New History of Being Asian-American | The New Yorker](#)
- [Asian American Pacific Islander Heritage Month Facts 2023 \(goodhousekeeping.com\)](#)
- [Asian American History Timeline \(us-immigration.com\)](#)
- [21 Ideas & Activities To Celebrate AAPI Heritage Month \(2023\) \(goodgoodgood.co\)](#)
- [Asian American & Pacific Islander Heritage Month | Managing American Spaces \(state.gov\)](#)
- [Resources - Stop AAPI Hate](#)
- [Discussing Anti-Asian Racism with Students: An Educator's Guide - Stop AAPI Hate](#)
- [Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month: May 2023 \(census.gov\)](#)
- [Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month - Origins, Themes & Populations \(history.com\)](#)
- [Facing Today - A Facing History Blog | Asian American and Pacific Islander History](#) Includes links to 10 articles
- [11 Resources for Teaching About AAPI Experiences \(facinghistory.org\)](#)
- [Complicating "Asian Americans" | Facing History and Ourselves](#)



- [Search | Everything | Smithsonian Learning Lab \(si.edu\)](#) Provides over 3,000 links to Asian American Pacific Islander History
- [Education - Asian Art Museum](#) There are links to the following: Asian America, China, Japan, Korea, South Asia, Southeast Asia, The Diaspora, The Himalayas and Tibetan Buddhist World, The Persian World and West Asia
- [Asian Pacific American Heritage Month 2022 - For Teachers \(asianpacificheritage.gov\)](#) Includes links to: The Library of Congress, National Archives, National Endowment for the Humanities, National Gallery of Art, National Park Service, Smithsonian Institution, and the National Holocaust Memorial Museum
- [Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month: May 2021 \(census.gov\)](#)
- [Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage and History in the U.S. | NEH-Edsitement](#) Teacher's Guide with these links: *Background on Terminology; Asian Immigration; Model Minority Myth; AAPI Cultural Legacies; AAPI Poetry; AAPI in Media and Film; AAPI Experiences and Civics Education*
- [FAPAC - AAPI Resources](#) Provides numerous links to multiple AAPI resources, ***Federal Asian Pacific American Council***
- [The Asian American and Pacific Islander Collection - Asian American and Pacific Islander Materials: A Resource Guide - Research Guides at Library of Congress \(loc.gov\)](#) Provides links to 26 different collections related to AAPI history
- [Asian Pacific American Heritage Month | National Archives](#) The home page offers a photo gallery and links to articles, video, and additional resources related to the AAPI experience
- [Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage and History in the U.S. | NEH-Edsitement](#)
- [Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders - World War II \(U.S. National Park Service\) \(nps.gov\)](#) Offers 3 pages of articles related to AAPI groups and individuals in history
- [National Park System - Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage \(U.S. National Park Service\) \(nps.gov\)](#) Includes National Park Sites with AAPI connections
- [Resources for Fighting Anti-AAPI Racism | Blog | Share My Lesson](#)
- [Shedding Light on the Brutal Realities of Colonialism in India | Blog | Share My Lesson](#)
- [Have your students heard of Wong Kim Ark? | Blog | Share My Lesson](#)
- [Japanese Tradition Inspires Clothing Upcycling Trend | Share My Lesson](#)
- [sseasia.pdf \(metmuseum.org\)](#) ***The Art of South and Southeast Asia – A Resource for Educators, Metropolitan Museum of Art***

- [korea.pdf \(metmuseum.org\)](#) *The Arts of Korea – A Resource for Educators, Metropolitan Museum of Art*
- [Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage in the Collections | Smithsonian Institution](#)
- [Speaking Up Against Racism Around the Coronavirus | Learning for Justice](#) Coshandra Dillard, February 14, 2020, *Learning for Justice*
- [How to Respond to Coronavirus Racism | Learning for Justice](#) March 20, 2020, *Learning for Justice*
- [NCAPA Letter to House Leadership.pdf \(adl.org\)](#)
- [Min Jee’s Lunch | Learning for Justice](#) Elizabeth Kleinrock, Fall 2020, *Learning for Justice*
- [Strategies for ELL Success: A Guide for Educators | Colorín Colorado \(colorincolorado.org\)](#) The resources on this page are AAPI-inclusive.
- [Building Bridges to the Future | Colorín Colorado \(colorincolorado.org\)](#) This is an interview with Xiao-lin Yin-Croft, a Chinese immigrant 3<sup>rd</sup> grade teacher of Chinese bilingual students in San Francisco.
- [Meet Jin Park, The First DACA Recipient Awarded A Rhodes Scholarship : NPR](#) Includes a 4-minute video
- [8 Groundbreaking Contributions by Asian Americans Through History](#)
- [Larry Itliong - Biography, Achievements & Legacy \(history.com\)](#)
- [Hells Canyon Massacre - Timeline, Investigation & Memorial \(history.com\)](#)
- [The Rock Springs Massacre - Causes, Deaths & Aftermath \(history.com\)](#)
- [How the US and Japan Went From Enemies to Allies After WWII \(history.com\)](#)
- [When Chinese Americans Were Scapegoated for Bubonic Plague \(history.com\)](#)
- [How Survivors of Hiroshima and Nagasaki Organized for Nuclear Disarmament \(history.com\)](#)
- [How Asian Americans Helped Free a Wrongfully Convicted Prisoner from Death Row \(history.com\)](#)
- [The First Asian American Settlement Was Established by Filipino Fishermen \(history.com\)](#)
- [Angel Island Immigration Station - Facts, History & Legacy](#)
- [Chinese Poetry of Angel Island — Google Arts & Culture](#)
- [Chinese Exclusion Act: 1882, Definition & Immigrants - HISTORY](#)

- [The 8-Year-Old Chinese American Girl Who Helped Desegregate Schools—in 1885 \(history.com\)](#)
- [How the 1982 Murder of Vincent Chin Ignited a Push for Asian American Rights \(history.com\)](#)
- [Free to Use and Reuse: Asian American Pacific Islander Heritage Month | Free to Use and Reuse Sets | Library of Congress \(loc.gov\)](#)
- [Asian American & Pacific Islander Changemakers — Google Arts & Culture](#) 6 individuals are featured
- [Asian American Storytellers — Google Arts & Culture](#)
- [Asian Americans & Citizenship — Google Arts & Culture](#)
- [Asian Pacific American Cultures — Google Arts & Culture](#) Incredible resource with numerous links to the arts: artists, poets, film, media, history, music, museums, etc.
- [9 Artists Explore the Pride and Joys of Being Asian American and Pacific Islander - YES! Magazine \(yesmagazine.org\)](#)
- [8 Artists Share What Asian American And Pacific Islander Heritage Month Means To Them \(forbes.com\)](#)
- [Van Troi Anti-Imperialist Youth Brigade in Los Angeles — Google Arts & Culture](#)
- [Beyond Bollywood — Google Arts & Culture](#)
- [Heart Mountain Through the Eyes of Yoshio Okumoto — Google Arts & Culture](#)
- [Life at Manzanar War Relocation Center — Google Arts & Culture](#)
- [An Immigrant's Journey — Google Arts & Culture](#)
- [With a Single Step: Stories in the Making of America — Google Arts & Culture](#)
- [Skaar Collection — Google Arts & Culture](#) Chinese immigrant artifacts in Grass Valley, CA



## **Booklists/Related Resources**

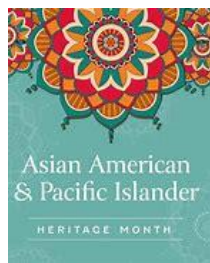
### **Booklists**

- [Asian Pacific Heritage: Booklists | Colorín Colorado \(colorincolorado.org\)](#) There are multiple links to booklists in the following categories: Cultural Traditions and Celebrations; Family Stories; History; Language and Learning; My World There are also links to booklists for Young Adults on this page.
- [Search | Lee & Low Books \(leeandlow.com\)](#) There are dozens of books listed here across the grade levels; Lexile levels, grade levels, and interest levels are included.
- [Asian American and Pacific Islander Recommended Titles | NEA](#) **National Education Association**
- [The May Book Project — Very Asian Foundation](#)
- <https://www.harpercollins.com/blogs/harperkids/asian-pacific-american-heritage-month-books>
- <https://www.readbrightly.com/books-written-by-asian-authors/> **10 Children’s and YA Books Written by Asian Authors**
- [11 Nonfiction Titles for Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month | School Library Journal \(slj.com\)](#)
- <https://www.rebekahgienapp.com/asian-american-childrens-books> **15 Children’s Books for Asian-American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month**
- <https://www.bestproducts.com/parenting/g32366322/kids-books-for-asian-american-pacific-islander-heritage-month/> **16 Exciting Books for Kids Featuring Asian and Pacific Islander Characters That They Won’t Be Able to Put Down**
- [20 Children's Books To Read by AAPI Writers and Illustrators \(bookriot.com\)](#)
- [75 Brilliant Asian Pacific American Heritage Month \(AAPI\) Children's Books - Imagination Soup](#)
- [Literature Awards – APALA \(apalaweb.org\)](#) **Asian/Pacific American Awards for Literature**, Links to lists from 2005/2006 to 2022/2023
- [Humanizing Asian Americans in the Classroom Through Children’s Literature | Learning for Justice](#)
- [Star Bright Books | Children's Books in 33 Languages](#) AAPI languages included among those offered
- [Remembering Our Co-Founder, Thomas Low | Lee & Low Blog \(leeandlow.com\)](#)
- [Celebrating Asian American & Pacific Islander Heritage | Colorín Colorado \(colorincolorado.org\)](#) Scroll down the page to find interviews with 15 different AAPI children’s book authors

### **Related Resources**

- [Diverse Books: Booklists and Related Resources | Colorín Colorado \(colorincolorado.org\)](#) **Diverse Booklists and Related Resources** (Multiple resource links are available on this page), **Colorín Colorado**

- [Choosing Children's Books: Cultural Relevance Rubric | Colorín Colorado \(colorincolorado.org\)](#) *Choosing Children's Books: Cultural Relevance Rubric*, by David and Yvonne Freeman, *Colorín Colorado*
- [5 Ways to Audit Your Classroom Library for Inclusion | Edutopia](#) *5 Ways to Audit Your Classroom Library for Inclusion* by Hoa P. Nguyen, August 4, 2021, *Edutopia*
- <http://hereweeread.com/2020/07/diversify-your-bookshelves-download-this-free-printable-checklist.html> *Diversify Your Bookshelves: Download This Free Printable Checklist*
- [Teaching-Tolerance-Reading-Diversity-Extended-Edition-2016-VFF.pdf \(learningforjustice.org\)](#) *Teaching Tolerance - Reading Diversity – Extended Edition*
- [Reading Diversity Lite—Teacher's Edition2.pdf \(learningforjustice.org\)](#) *Reading Diversity Lite – Teacher's Edition, Learning for Justice*
- [Why Diverse Books Matter: Mirrors and Windows | Colorín Colorado \(colorincolorado.org\)](#) *Why Diverse Books Matter: Mirrors and Windows* by Dr. Tracy Flores, Dr. Sandra Osorio, 2021, *Colorín Colorado*
- [How to Find Diverse Books | Colorín Colorado \(colorincolorado.org\)](#) *How to Find Diverse Books* by Dr. Tracie Flores, Dr. Sandra Osorio, *Colorín Colorado*
- [Using Diverse Books with Young Children | Colorín Colorado \(colorincolorado.org\)](#) *Using Diverse Books with Young Children, Colorín Colorado*
- [Diverse Books Project | AdLit](#) *Diverse Books Project, Adolescent Literacy/AdLit*
- [Using Books About Immigration in the Classroom | Colorín Colorado \(colorincolorado.org\)](#) *Using Books About Immigration in the Classroom, Colorín Colorado*



## Videos/YouTube Videos

### Videos – By Grade Levels

- [Celebrate Asian and Pacific American Heritage Month - AAPI Facts for Kids - YouTube](#) Grade Levels: Elementary 4:46
- [Community Activism against Anti-Asian Racism | PBS LearningMedia](#) Sikhs, Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 6:40

- [Community Activism against Anti-Asian Racism | PBS LearningMedia](#) Surge in Hate Crimes, Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 7:58
- [Japanese American Incarceration During World War II | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 3-5 7:01
- [Filipino American Farmworkers Fight for Their Rights | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 3-5 6:55
- [Women Advancing Equality | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 3-5, 6-8
- [Are You "AAPI" or "Asian American"? It's Complicated. | A People's History of Asian America - YouTube](#) Grade Levels: Middle School, High School 11:01
- [The Storyteller | be/longing: Asian Americans Now | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 5:43
- [Resilience and Community | be/longing: Asian Americans Now | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 5:37 Includes access to 3 additional videos in this series as well as 4 others further down the page.
- [Southeast Asian Refugees | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 8:59
- [Asian Americans Serving and Fighting in the Vietnam War | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 8:10
- [Last Days in Vietnam: Refugees | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 9-12 3:51
- [How the U.S. Has Treated Wartime Refugees | Retro Report | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 10:23
- [The Embassy Evacuation | Last Days in Vietnam | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 9-12 2:30
- [Angel Island and the Chinese Exclusion Act | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 5:25
- [The Fight for Ethnic Studies | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 7:04
- [Racial Identity and American Citizenship in the Court | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 4:40
- [Civil Liberties Act of 1988 | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 5:22
- [Asian American Voices in Politics | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 4:13
- [Early South Asian Immigration | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 6:48

- [The Chinese Transcontinental Railroad Workers | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 7:00
- [Redefine American | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 4:48
- [The Fight Against School Segregation | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8 9-12 4:48
- [Views from the Top and Bottom of Success in the Silicon Valley | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 6:10
- [The Model Minority Myth | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 5:29
- [The Impact of the Vincent Chin Case | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 7:22
- [Tereza Lee and Undocumented Asian America | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 4:45
- [9/11, South Asian Americans & Islamophobia | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 9-12 7:18
- [The Immigration and Nationality Act of 1965 | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 9-12 5:44
- [Constitutional Rights of American Citizens | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 3:22
- [Filipino American Farmworkers | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 6:55
- [Our History, Our Future | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 3:03
- [Asian American Veterans and the Anti-War Movement | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 2:36
- [Constitutional Violations during the Japanese American Incarceration | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 7:01
- [McCarthyism | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 Includes link to lesson plan for grades 7-12
- [Hawaii Statehood | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 Includes link to lesson plan for grades 7-12
- [Generation Rising: Asian Americans in the Arts | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 Includes link to lesson plan for grades 6-12

- [Asian Americans on the Big Screen: Responding to Stereotypes | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#)  
Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 Includes link to lesson plan for grades 6-12
- [Asian Americans in Military Service during WWII | Asian Americans | PBS LearningMedia](#) Grade Levels: 6-8, 9-12 Includes link to lesson plan for grades 9-12
- [asian & pacific islander Archives - Critical Media Project](#) There are links to 50 different videos; each comes with commentary and suggested questions for students for group discussion. Mostly appropriate for grades 9-12

### Videos - General

- [Celebrating Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage | The Metropolitan Museum of Art \(metmuseum.org\)](#) Includes links to 7 videos featuring differing AAPI artist; video length varies
- [Watch | Asian Americans | PBS](#) In order to watch these 5 videos, one must be a PBS donor or have access to PBS Passport. However, further down this page, there are links to 16 short videos with AAPI content that one may access without PBS membership; videos vary in length
- [Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander Heritage Month - NPS Commemorations and Celebrations \(U.S. National Park Service\)](#) Provides videos on the home page along with links to additional videos and articles related to AANHPI
- [Search — Google Arts & Culture](#) Asian Pacific American Cultures – Includes links to 203 videos
- [Search — Google Arts & Culture](#) Asian Pacific American Cultures – Includes links to 5548 articles via graphics
- [Search — Google Arts & Culture](#) Asian Pacific American Cultures Includes links to 167 “stories”
- [Search — Google Arts & Culture](#) Asian Pacific American Cultures Includes links to 55 art collections at museums across the U.S
- [The History of Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month - YouTube](#) 5:35
- [AWAKENING: An Anthemic Celebration of Asian America - YouTube](#) 7:21
- [Asian Americans Have A Long History Of Activism In The US - YouTube](#) 4:22
- [Celebrating Asian American Pacific Islander Heritage Month - YouTube](#) 2:15
- [AAPI Educators Empowering Students - YouTube](#) 2:53
- [Anna May Wong Set To Make History As First Asian-American On U.S. Currency - YouTube](#) 1:34
- [Unsung Asian American Pacific Islander Heroes of Film History - YouTube](#) 5:24



- [Asian Americans Who Made Military History - YouTube](#) 6:35
- [15 Awesome Asian American Athletes Who Broke Barriers - YouTube](#) 5:58
- [Members of the AAPI community discuss stereotypes and assumptions they face daily | Race and Culture - YouTube](#) 5:40
- [Being Asian in America - YouTube](#) 32:38
- [Equality, Identity & Hope: The Asian American Experience - YouTube](#) 44:07
- [These Asian Americans Boosted Technology To Next Level - YouTube](#) 5:19
- [A Discussion About Being An Asian American Scientist: AAPI Heritage Month - YouTube](#)
- [Breaking the Monolith— Unlearning Asian Pacific American Stereotypes - YouTube](#) 50:11