

Braiding Sweetgrass for Young Adults: Indigenous Wisdom, Scientific Knowledge, and the Teachings of Plants

by Robin Wall Kimmerer

(she/her) - Y 305.897 KIMMERER

Drawing from her experiences as an Indigenous scientist, botanist Robin Wall Kimmerer demonstrates how all living things—from strawberries and witch hazel to water lilies and lichen—provide us with gifts and lessons every day



The Power of Style : How Fashion and Beauty are Being Used to Reclaim Cultures

by Christian Allaire (he/him) - Y 391 ALLAIRE

As a fashion-obsessed Ojibwe teen, Christian Allaire rarely saw anyone that looked like him in the magazines or movies he looked to for inspiration. Now the Fashion and Style Writer for Vogue, he is working to change that--because clothes are never just clothes.



Everything You Wanted to Know About Indians but Were Afraid to Ask : Young Readers Edition

by Anton Treuer (he/him) - Y 970.004 TREUER

An Ojibwe scholar and cultural preservationist answers the most commonly asked questions about Native Americans, both historical and modern.

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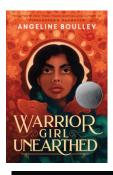




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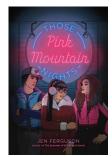








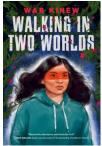
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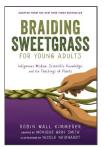








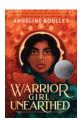












Warrior Girl Unearthed

by Angeline Boulley (she/her) - Y BOULLEY

With the rising number of missing Indigenous women, her family's involvement in a murder investigation and grave robbers profiting off her Anishinaabe tribe, Perry takes matters into her own hands to solve the mystery and reclaim her people's inheritance.



Looking for Smoke

by K. A. Cobell (she/her) - Y COBELL

When a classmate is murdered during a traditional Blackfeet giveaway, Mara, Loren, Brody and Eli, the last people to see her alive, must take matters into their own hands and clear their names—even though one of them may be the killer.



Funeral Songs for Dying Girls

by Cherie Dimaline (she/her) - Y DIMALINE

To save her father's job at the crematorium and the only home she's ever known, Winifred and her con-artist cousin start offering ghost tours until Winifred meets an actual ghost who causes her to question everything she believes about life, love and death.



Godly Heathens

by H. E. Edgmon (he/they) - Y EDGMON

Nonbinary Seminole teen Gem Echols is rescued by a strange new girl who reveals they are reincarnated gods who've known and loved each other across lifetimes—and who have made enemies, including the Goddess of Death.



Those Pink Mountain Nights

by Jenny Ferguson (she/her) - Y FERGUSON

While working at Pink Mountain Pizza, three teens—overachiever Berlin, high school dropout Cameron and rich girl Jessie—find their weekend taking unexpected turns, forcing them all to acknowledge the various ways they've been hurt—and how much they need each other to hold it all together.



My Good Man

by Eric Gansworth (he/him) - Y GANSWORTH

When a mysterious assault lands the brother of his mothers late boyfriend in the hospital, Brian, a 20-something Indigenous reporter, must pick up the threads of a life he abandoned, returning to the Tuscarora reservation to discover the truth.



Rez Ball

by Byron Graves (he/they) - Y GRAVES

When the varsity basketball team members take him under their wing, Tre Brun, representing his Ojibwe reservation, steps into his late brother's shoes as star player but soon learns he can't mess up—not on the court, not in school and not in love.



The Unfinished

by Cheryl Isaacs (she/her) - Y ISAACS

With the black water from a strange pond stalking her every move, Avery must connect to her Indigenous culture to save both her best friend—and longtime crush—and the town when people there begin disappearing, but is forced to make an impossible choice.



Walking in Two Worlds

by Wab Kinew (he/him) - Y KINEW

When Bugz, who is caught between the worlds of life on the Rez and the virtual world, meets Feng, they form an instant bond as outsiders and gamers and must both grapple with the impact of family challenges and community trauma.



A Snake Falls to Earth

by Darcie Little Badger - (she/her) - Y LITTLE BADGER Fifteen-year-olds Nina and Oli come from different words--she is a Lipan Apache living in Texas and he is a cottonmouth from the Reflecting World--but their lives intersect when Oli journeys to Earth to find a cure for his ailing friend and they end up helping each other save their families