



Patriotism through Literacy Suggested Book List

7-8 Grade

- Dear America series (*Diary of Mary Driscoll: Irish Mill Girl*, *Patsy: A Freed Girl*, etc.)
- *Kira-Kira* by Cynthia Kadohata
- *What Was the Continental Congress?* & *Clara Barton* by Candice Ransom
- *Towers Falling* & *Ghost Boys* & *Sugar* by Jewell Parker Rhodes
- *My Life as an Ice Cream Sandwich* by Ibi Zoboi
- *Lily's Crossing* by Patricia Reilly Giff
- *All the Stars Denied* by Guadalupe Garcia McCall
- *Out of the Dust* by Karen Hesse
- *Betty Before X* by Ilyasah Shabazz
- *Summer of my German Soldier* by Bette Greene
- *Hattie Big Sky* by Kirby Larson
- *Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry* by Mildred D. Taylor
- *Fever 1793* & *Chains* & *Forge* by Laurie Halse Anderson

High School

- *Code Talker Stories* by Laura Tohe
- *Pure Grit: How American WWII Nurses Survived Battle...* by Mary Cronk Farrell
- *Hidden Figures: The American Dream & the Untold Story...* by Margot Lee Shetterly
- *A Very Large Expanse of Sea* by Tahera Mafi
- *The Memory of Things* by Gae Polisner
- *Chester Nez: A Navajo Codetalker's Story* by Joseph Bruchac
- *Fly Girls: Forgotten Women Airforce Service Pilots of WWII* by P. O'Connell Pearson
- *If I Ever Get Out of Here* by Eric Gansworth
- *Loving Vs. Virginia* by Patricia Hruby Powell
- *Johnny Tremain* by Esther Forbes
- *Sophia's War: A Tale of the Revolution* by Avi
- *Chasing Lincoln's Killer* by James L. Swanson
- *Sally Ride: America's First Woman in Space* by Lynn Sherr
- *Alexander Hamilton* by Ron Chernow