

# **Compiled List of Black History Month Resources**

**% Calgary Public Library & CBC Kids**

## **Videos:**

Incredible Black Albertans:

The Story of Violet King

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XXLFe8UmYVE>

The Story of Oliver Bowen

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aF\\_TWbFJdko](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aF_TWbFJdko)

The Story of Virnetta Anderson

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E2A5oexE-y0>

The Story of Charles Daniels

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HnNutRwLm7I>

The Story of John and Mildred Ware

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7FCFYeZECAM>

## **Books**

### **Adults:**

Vanguard by Martha S. Jones

The Yellow House by Sarah M. Broom

How To Be An Antiracist by Ibram X. Kendi

The Skin We're In by Desmond Cole

Willie by Willie O'Ree

Viola Desmond's Canada by Graham Reynold

The Night Piece by Andre Alexis

Saga Boy by Antonis Michael Downing

Black History Month by Cynthia O'Brien  
Timelines from Black History by Mireille Harper  
She Raised her Voice by Jordannah Elizabeth  
Black Women who Dared by Naomi M. Moyer  
When We Say Black Lives Matter by Shani M. King  
Stamped (For Kids) by Sonja Cherry-Paul  
Atrocities in Action by Kevin P. Winn  
The Kids Book of Black Canadian History by Rosemary Sadler  
Last Days in Africville by Dorothy Perkyns  
Meet Viola Desmond by Elizabeth MacLeod  
Oscar Lives Next Door by Bonnie Farmer  
This Book is Anti-Racist by Tiffany Jewell  
Africville by Shauntay Grant

## **% The University of Calgary**

Black Albertans You Should Know

<https://www.ucalgary.ca/equity-diversity-inclusion/literacy-and-education/albertans>

## **% CBC**

Black on the Prairies

A project including a variety of media that recognizes and teaches about Black history in this area and what it means to be Black in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

2021:

<https://www.cbc.ca/newsinteractives/features/black-on-the-prairies>

2022:

<https://www.cbc.ca/newsinteractives/features/editors-letter>

Activities/Interactive Resources for Children

<https://www.cbc.ca/kidscbc2/the-feed/all-about-black-history-month>

## **% Government of Canada**

Timeline of Black History in Canada

<https://www.canada.ca/en/canadian-heritage/campaigns/black-history-month/historic-black-communities.html>

## **% National Film Board Canada & FamilyEducation.com**

### **Adult:**

Speak It! From the Heart of Black Nova Scotia

The Road Taken

Speakers for the Dead

Just Mercy

13th

Selma

### **Children/Family:**

Christopher Changes His Name

Hidden Figures

Ruby Bridges

The Color of Friendship

## **Black Owned Restaurants in Calgary**

Abyssinia (abyssiniarestaurant.ca)

Bolo Cakery & Cafe (bolocakery.ca)

Flavours Restaurant (flavourcuisineandcatering.com)

Joycee's Caribbean Food

KFS BBQ Smokehouse (kfsbbqsmokehouse.com)

Krazy Jerk (krazyjerk.com)

Lloyd's Patty Plus (restaurantji.com)

Marathon Ethiopian Restaurant (marathonrestaurant.ca)

Nile Cafe (nilecafe.ca)

Simply Irie (simplyirie.ca)

