

## Recommended Reading

### **Fiction**

Go Tell It on the Mountain - *James Baldwin*  
If Beale Street Could Talk - *James Baldwin*  
Girl, Woman, Other - *Bernardine Evaristo*  
Their Eyes Were Watching God - *Zora Neale Hurston*  
The Bluest Eye - *Toni Morrison*  
Things Fall Apart - *Chinua Achebe*  
Small Island - *Andrea Levy*  
Ayiti - *Roxane Gay*

### **Non-fiction**

Assata - *Assata Shakur*  
The Autobiography of Malcolm X - *Malcolm X*  
Notes of a Native Son - *James Baldwin*  
Small Doses - *Amanda Seales*  
Sister, Outsider - *Audre Lorde*  
Bad Feminist - *Roxane Gay*  
Mom & Me & Mom - *Maya Angelou*  
Why I'm No Longer Talking to White People About Race - *Reni Eddo-Lodge*  
Brit(ish) - *Afua Hirsch*

### **Poetry**

Bone - *Yrsa Daley-Ward*  
Selected Poems - *Gwendolyn Brooks*  
Teaching My Mother How to Give Birth - *Warsan Shire*  
The January Children - *Safia Elhillo*  
Citizen - *Claudia Rankine*

### **Plays**

for colored girls who have considered suicide / when the rainbow is enuf - *Ntozake Shange*  
Barber Shop Chronicles - *Inua Ellams*

