

# Imagine Your Story

Week 6, July 20-24, 2020

## WHAT COULD WE BE, IF WE WORK TOGETHER

Suggested reading for ages 12 – 18 years

**YA 353.48 Brian A. Stevenson**

***Just Mercy: Adapted for Young Adults, a True Story of a Fight for Justice***

Recounts the author's work as a lawyer in the U.S. criminal justice system on behalf of those who experienced discrimination and/or have been wrongly accused of a crime. They deserve a powerful advocate and due justice under the law.

**YA 650.1 Chelsea Clinton**

***It's Your World: Get Informed, Get Inspired & Get Going***

In a book that tackles the biggest challenges facing us today, Chelsea Clinton combines facts, charts, photographs, and stories to give readers a deep understanding of the world around them -- and how anyone can make a difference.

**YA Fiction Renee Watson**

***Watch Us Rise***

Jasmine and Chelsea are best friends on a mission. They are tired of the way women are treated, even at their progressive NYC high school, so they decide to start a Women's Rights Club.

**J Fiction Wade Hudson**

***We Resist, We Raise our Voices***

What do we tell our children when the world seems bleak, and prejudice and racism run rampant? With 96 lavishly designed pages of original art and prose, fifty diverse creators lend voice to young activists.

**Adult 305.896073 Jesmyn Ward**

***The Fire This Time: A New Generation Speaks About Race***

Jesmyn Ward takes James Baldwin's 1963 examination of race in America, *The Fire Next Time*, as a jumping off point for this groundbreaking collection of essays and poems about race from one of the most important voices of her generation.

