

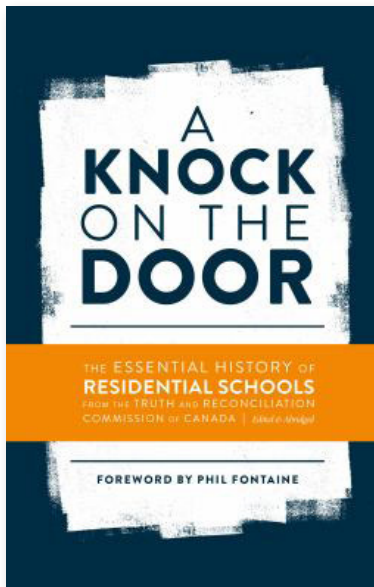
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Recommended Reading for Adults & Teens



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MEMOIRS & BIOGRAPHIES

Nishga
by Jordan Abel / 2020 E

Genocidal Love: A life After Residential School
by Bevann Fox / 2020

Broken Circle: The dark legacy of Indian Residential Schools
by Theodore Fontaine / 2010 E

Finding My Talk: How Fourteen Native Women Reclaimed Their Lives After Residential School
by Agnes Grant / 2004

Song of Rita Joe: Autobiography of a Mi'kmaq Poet
by Rita Joe / 1996

Indian School Days
by Basil Johnston / 1989

The Reason You Walk
by Wab Kinew / 2015
E, EA, DAISY



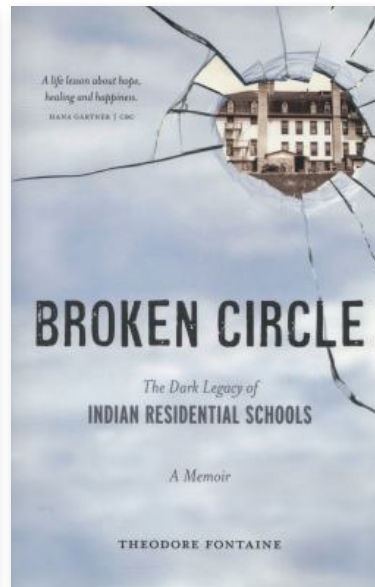
The Education of Augie Merasty: A Residential School Memoir
by Joseph Auguste Merasty / 2015
E, DAISY

Up Ghost River: A Chief's Journey Through the Turbulent Waters of Native History
by Edmund Metatawabin / 2014 E

From Bear Rock Mountain: The Life and Times of a Dene Residential School Survivor
by Antoine Mountain / 2019

Call Me Indian: From the Trauma of Residential School to Becoming the NHL's First Treaty Indigenous Player
by Fred Sasakamoose / 2021
E, EA

Beauval Indian Residential School 1944-1954: A Residential School Memoir
by Raphael Victor Paul / 2017



They Called Me Number One: Secrets and Survival at an Indian Residential School
by Bev Sellars / 2013
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POETRY

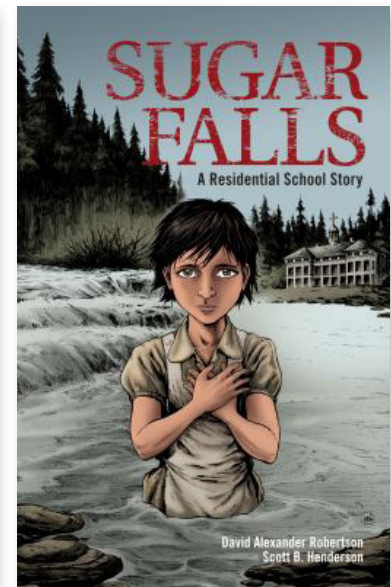
Burning in this Midnight Dream
by Louise Bernice Halfe / 2016 E

The Red Files
by Lisa Bird-Wilson / 2016 E

Calling Down the Sky
by Rosanna Deerchild / 2015

NON-FICTION

Where are the Children? Healing the Legacy of the Residential Schools
In French: **Que sont les enfants devenus? : l'expérience des pensionnats autochtones**
by Aboriginal Healing Foundation / 2003



Resistance and Renewal: Surviving the Indian Residential School
by Celia Haig-Brown / 1988

Surviving Canada: Indigenous Peoples Celebrate 150 Years of Betrayal
by Kiera Ladner & Myra Tait / 2017
E

Residential Schools: With the Words and Images of Survivors
by Larry Loyie (Oskiniko) / 2014

Spirit of the Grassroots People: Seeking Justice for Indigenous Survivors of Canada's Colonial Education System
by Raymond Mason / 2020

A National Crime: The Canadian Government and the Residential School System, 1879 to 1986
by John S. Milloy / 1999 E

THE TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION COMMISSION OF CANADA

The Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada Final Report, Canada's Residential Schools

Volume 1, The History, Part 1: Origins to 1939

Volume 1, The History, Part 2: 1939-2000

Volume 2: The Inuit and Northern Experience

Volume 3: The Métis Experience

Volume 4: Missing Children and Unmarked Burials

Volume 5: The Legacy

Volume 6: Reconciliation

by Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada / 2016

E (All volumes available in eBook)

Honorer la vérité, réconcilier pour l'avenir : sommaire du rapport final de la Commission de vérité et réconciliation du Canada
par Commission de vérité et réconciliation du Canada / 2015 **E**

A Knock on the Door: The Essential History of Residential Schools from the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada
by Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada
Foreword by Phil Fontaine / 2016 **E, EA**

They Came for the Children: Canada, Aboriginal peoples, and Residential School
Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada Interim Report / 2012



Picking Up the Pieces: Residential School Memories and the Making of the Witness Blanket

by Carey Newman & Kirstie Hudson / 2019 **E**

Did You See Us?: Reunion, Remembrance, and Reclamation at an Urban Indian Residential School

by Survivors of the Assiniboia Residential School / 2021

Seven Fallen Feathers: Racism, Death, and Hard Truths in a Northern City

by Tanya Talaga / 2017 **E, EA**

This Benevolent Experiment: Indigenous Boarding Schools, Genocide, and Redress in Canada and the United States

by Andrew Woolford / 2015

Response, Responsibility, and Renewal: Canada's Truth and Reconciliation Journey

by Greg Young-Ing, Mike DeGagné & Jonathan Dewar
Aboriginal Healing Foundation / 2009

FICTION

Indian Horse

by Richard Wagamese / 2012 **E**

The Marrow Thieves

by Cherie Dimaline / 2017 **E, EA**

Five Little Indians

by Michelle Good / 2020 **E, EA**

Sugar Falls: A Residential School Story

by David A. Robertson / 2011 **E**

Porcupines and China Dolls

by Robert Arthur Alexie / 2009

FRANÇAIS

Le nom de mama : poésie

par Rosanna Deerchild / 2018

Pilleurs de rêves

par Cherie Dimaline / 2019 **E**

La force de marcher

par Wab Kinew / 2017 **E**

L'éveil des survivants : récits des abus sexuels dans les pensionnats amérindiens du Québec

par Daniel Tremblay / 2018

Borrowing

All books are available through Winnipeg Public Library. Search for titles in our catalogue and place a hold for pickup at a location convenient for you.

Find more information with the help of our **Residential Schools Info Guide**. Designed both for people beginning to learn about residential schools and for those who want to do more in-depth research. Access a wide range of resources, updated regularly. Visit guides.wpl.winnipeg.ca.

Some of these recommended books are available in other formats. Look for the letters next to some listings:

E eBook (OverDrive/Libby for English; Cantook Station for French)

EA eAudiobook (OverDrive/Libby for English, Cantook Station for French)

DAISY Digital audiobooks for people with print disabilities

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Also available: *Residential Schools: Recommended Reading for Children*

Support Lines

The National Residential School Crisis Line 1-866-925-4419
For survivors and their families. 24/7

Hope for Wellness Line 1-855-242-3310
or connect to the online chat at hopeforwellness.ca
For all Indigenous Peoples across Canada. 24/7

RECOMMENDED RESOURCE

The National Centre for Truth and Reconciliation
nctr.ca