Reading for Children

PICTURE BOOKS

Sam is My Sister by Ashley Rhodes-Courter
I Am A Rainbow by Mark Kanemura
What Are Your Words?: A Book About Pronouns by Katherine Locke
My Moms Love Me by Anna Membrino
My Maddy by Gayle Pitman
Kapaemahu by Hinaleimoana Wong-Kalu

FICTION

Moonflower by Kacen Callender
Frankie & Bug by Gayle Forman
Alice Austen Lived Here by Alex Gino
Nikhil Out Loud by Maulik Pancholy
Small Town Pride by Phil Stamper

Lulu Sinagtala and the City of Noble Warriors (series) by Gail D. Villanueva

NONFICTION

You Be You! by Jonathan Branfman
The Stonewall Riots: Coming Out in the Streets by Gayle E. Pitman
Rainbow Revolutionaries: 50 LGBTQ+ People Who Made History by Sarah Prager
The Meaning of Pride by Rossie Thor
Kind Like Marsha: Learning from LGBTQ+ Leaders by Sarah Prager

E-Books Books & Streaming via Hoopla & Libby (Overdrive)

DIGITAL AUDIOBOOKS

In Libby, search keyword LGBTQIA+ then filter results by subject into fiction, non-fiction or topic.

In Hoopla, go to LGBTQ+ under www.hoopladigital.com/audiobook/categories/collections

STREAMING VIDEO

Kanopy streaming service has an LGBTQ Cinema Category. Go to www.kanopy.com/en/brightonlibrary, then click browse.

Hoopla streaming videos include an LGBTQ Collection of Movies and TV shows. Go to www.hoopladigital.com/movie/categories/collections, then select LGBTQ+.

DVDs

Before Stonewall DVD 306.766 BEF
Born to Be DVD 617.952 BOR
The Capote Tapes DVD 791.43 CAP
Chrissy Judy DVD CHR
Conversion DVD 306.76 CON
Freedom to Marry DVD 306.89 FRE
Madame DVD FOREIGN MAD
The Most Dangerous Year DVD MOS
Portrait of a Lady on Fire DVD FOREIGN POR
Wild Nights with Emily DVD WIL

Online Resources

ACT UP: Oral History Project actuporalhistory.org
Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Pride Month www.loc.gov/lgbt-pride-month/
National Library of Medicine Reading Club: LGBTQIA+ Health nnlm.gov/reading-club/topic/268
New York Public Library Blog, LGBTQ+ Channel www.nypl.org/blog/all?channel=740
Rochester Rainbow Union Community Resource Center and Library rochesterrainbowunion.com
People with a History: An Online Guide to LGBT History sourcebooks.web.fordham.edu/pwh
Pronouns Matter: Resources on Personal Pronouns mypronouns.org
Rainbow: A Roundtable of the American Library Association www.ala.org/rt/rrt/tools
Trillium Health: LGBTQ+ Education “words matter.” trilliumhealth.org/patient-and-community-services/lgbtq-resources/lgbtq-education

FOR PARENTS

CDC Adolescent and School Health, Parents’ Influence Fact Sheet www.cdc.gov/healthy/youth/protective/factsheets/parents_influence_lgb.htm
FamilyEquality.org www.familyequality.org
My Kid is Gay: Helping Families Understand Their LGBTQ Kids www.mykidisgay.com

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### FICTION

**Find Me: A Novel** by Andre Aciman (also BOC)

**With Teeth** by Kristen Arnett

**Giovanni's Room** by James Baldwin

**Rubyfruit Jungle** by Rita Mae Brown

**Learned By Heart** by Emma Donoghue (also LP)

**Untamed** by Glennon Doyle (also BOCD)

**You Made a Fool of Death with Your Beauty** by Akwaeke Emezi

**Middlesex** by Jeffrey Eugenides (also BOC)

**The Price of Salt** by Patricia Highsmith

**The Prophets** by Robert Jones Jr.

**The Thirty Names of Night** by Zeyn Joukhadar

**The Guncle** and **The Guncle Abroad** by Steven Rowley (also LP)

**Young Mungo** by Douglas Stuart (also BOC)

**Sorry, Bro** by Taleen Voskuni

**Lot: Stories** by Bryan Washington (also LP)

**To Paradise** by Hanya Yanagihara

### NONFICTION

**What’s Your Pronoun?: Beyond He and She** by Dennis Baron 425.55 BAR

**The Secret to Superhuman Strength** (graphic novel) by Alison Bechdel 741.5973 BEC

**Punch Me Up to the Gods** by Brian Broome 306.76 BRO

**Dear Senthuran: A Black Spirit Memoir** by Akwaeke Emezi BIO EMEZE

**The Book of Pride: LGBTQ Heroes Who Changed the World** by Mason Funke 920 FUN

**How We Fight For Our Lives** by Saeed Jones BIO JONES (also BOC)

**This is a Book for Parents of Gay Kids** by Dannielle Owens-Reid 306.766 OWE

**Our Work is Everywhere: An Illustrated Oral History of Queer & Trans Resistance** (graphic novel) by Syan Rose 741 ROS

**House of Hidden Meanings** by RuPaul BIO RUPAUL (also Playaway)

**I Heard Her Call My Name: A Memoir of Transition** by Lucy Sante 306.768 SAN

**Sissy: A Coming-of-Gender Story** by Jacob Tobia 305.3057 TOB

**Love That Story: Observations from a Gorgeously Queer Life** by Jonathan Van Ness 791.4502 VAN

**The Big Reveal: An Illustrated Manifesto of Drag** by Sasha Velour 306.77 VEL

### FICTION (CONTINUED)

**Juliet Takes a Breath** (graphic novel) by Gabby Rivera

**Six Times We Almost Kissed (and One Time We Did)** by Tess Sharpe

**The Sunbearer Trials** by Aiden Thomas

**Bianca Torre Is Afraid of Everything** by Justine Pucella Winans

### NONFICTION (CONTINUED)

**A Queer History of the United States** by Michael Bronski YA 306.766 CHE

**The Great Nijinsky: God of Dance** by Lynn Curlee YA 702.8092 CUR

**This Book is Gay** by Juno Dawson YA 306.766 DAW

**What’s the T?** by June Dawson YA 306.768 DAW

**The New Queer Conscience** by Adam Eli YA 306.76 ELI

### FICTION (ocos)

**Going Bicoastal** by Dahlia Adler

**Another Dimension of Us** by Mike Albo

**Unexpected** by Jen Bailey

**This Poison Heart** (series) by Kalynn Bayron

**Blood Debts** (series) by Terry J. Benton-Walker

**Infinity Alchemist** (series) by Kacen Callender

**Basil and Oregano** (graphic novel) by Melissa Capriglione

**Friday I’m in Love** by Camryn Garrett

**The Perfect Guy Doesn’t Exist** by Sophie Gonzales

**A-Okay** (graphic novel) by Jarad Greene

**Howl!** by Shaun David Hutchinson (also BOC)

**Magical Boy** (series) (graphic novel) by The Kao

**The Breakup Lists** by Adib Khorram

**I’ll Take Everything You Have** by James Klise

**Destination Unknown** by Bill Konigsberg

**A Scatter of Light** by Malina Lo

**Take a Bow, Noah Mitchell** by Tobias Madden

**The Minus-One Club** by Kekla Magoon

**Self-Made Boys** by Anna-Marie McLemore

**Planning Perfect** by Haley Neil

**Heartstopper** (series) (graphic novels) by Alice Oseman

**The Girl From the Sea** (graphic novel) by Molly Knox Ostertag

### KEY:
- **LP** = Large Print
- **BOC** = Book on CD

*Some titles listed in this brochure may be available in eBook or eAudiobook formats through the Libby app and/or Hoopla.*