

BLK Bestsellers — Juvenile Nonfiction — September 2026



Juvenile Nonfiction

#1

Brown Girl Dreaming

by Jacqueline Woodson • Nancy Paulsen Books (October 11, 2016) • 32 Months on List

#2

Hidden Figures Young Readers' Edition

by Margot Lee Shetterly • Harpercollins (November 29, 2016) • 32 Months on List

#3

Harlem Grown: How One Big Idea Transformed A Neighborhood

by Tony Hillery • Paula Wiseman Books (August 18, 2020) • 6 Months on List

#4

Who Is LeBron James?

by Crystal Hubbard • Penguin Workshop (February 7, 2023) • 32 Months on List

#5

Dream Big, Little Leader

by Vashti Harrison • Lb Kids (October 16, 2018) • 32 Months on List

#6

Priceless Facts About Money

by Mellody Hobson • Candlewick (October 1, 2024) • 23 Months on List

#7

The History Of We

by Nikkolas Smith • Kokila (May 20, 2025) • 4 Months on List

#8

Hidden Figures: The True Story Of Four Black Women And The Space Race

by Margot Lee Shetterly • Harpercollins (January 16, 2018) • 21 Months on List

#9

I Have A Dream

#10

Prince: A Little Golden Book Biography

by Martin Luther King, Jr. • Dragonfly Books
(November 26, 2024) • 6 Months on List

by Nikki Shannon Smith • Golden Books
(January 6, 2026) • 8 Months on List

#11

**Hidden Figures Young Readers'
Edition**

by Margot Lee Shetterly • Harpercollins
(November 29, 2016) • 2 Months on List

#12

**Baby Young, Gifted, And Black:
With A Mirror!**

by Jamia Wilson • Wide Eyed Editions (January
26, 2021) • 10 Months on List

#13

**Born On The Water: The 1619
Project**

by Nikole Hannah-jones And Renée Watson •
Kokila (November 16, 2021) • 21 Months on List

#14

**Heart And Soul: The Story Of
America And African Americans**

by Kadir Nelson • Balzer & Bray/harperteen
(December 23, 2013) • 10 Months on List

#15

**Celebrate Your Body (and Its
Changes, Too!): The Ultimate
Puberty Book For Girls**

by Sonya Renee Taylor • Rockridge Press (May
29, 2018) • 29 Months on List

#16

**What Is The Civil Rights
Movement?**

by Sherri L. Smith • Penguin Young Readers
Group (December 29, 2020) • 16 Months on List

#17

Locomotion

by Jacqueline Woodson • Nancy Paulsen
Books (January 7, 2010) • 5 Months on List

#18

The Abcs Of Black History

by Rio Cortez • Workman Publishing
(December 8, 2020) • 32 Months on List

#19

**Witnesses To Freedom: Young
People Who Fought For Civil
Rights**

by Belinda Rochelle • Puffin Books (February 1,
1997) • 5 Months on List

#20

**Stamped (for Kids): Racism,
Antiracism, And You**

by Jason Reynolds And Ibram X. Kendi • Little
Brown Books For Young Readers (April 9, 2024)
• 12 Months on List