Selected resources for teaching about contemporary immigrant and worker rights*

Children's books about current advocacy for labor rights today (not in the past)

- *¡Sí Se Puede!/ Yes We Can! Janitors Strike in L.A.*, by Diana Cohn
- Joelito's Big Decision, by Ann Berlak (Fight for \$15 movement)
- Jimmy's Carwash Adventure, by Victor Narro (car wash workers organizing)
- Undocumented: A Worker's Fight, by Duncan Tonatiuh (wage theft of immigrant workers)
- For All/ Para Todos, by Alejandra Domenzain (rights of undocumented workers)

Children's books about current advocacy for immigration <u>rights</u> (addressing laws/policies)

- For All/ Para Todos, by Alejandra Domenzain
- No Voice Too Small, by Jeanette Bradley (a Dreamer is included in this collection of young people making a difference)

Teen/young adult books about advocacy for immigration rights

- We Are Here to Stay: Voices of Undocumented Adults, by Susan Kuklin
- Organizing While Undocumented: Immigrant Youth's Political Activism Under the Law, by Kevin Escuerdo
- Dear America: Young Reader's Edition: The Story of an Undocumented Citizen, by Jose Antonio Vargas (also his documentary: "Documented")
- No Voice Too Small, No Voice Too Small: Fourteen Young Americans Making History, by 14 different poets, includes one about a Quinceanera protest at the Texas capitol
- *Immigration Nation: The American Identity in the Twenty-first Century*, by Judy Dodge Cummings
- Dreamers: An Immigrant Generation's Fight for Their American Dream, by Eileen Truax
- Dreams Deported: Immigrant Youth and Families Resist Deportation, edited by the UCLA Labor Center (Spanish language version available)

Middle grade/YA books with voices of undocumented youth

- List of non-fiction books by undocumented youth about their experience
- Collections of voices of undocumented youth
 - Papers: Stories by Undocumented Youth, Edited by José Manuel, Cesar Pineda, Anne Galisky, and Rebecca Shine
 - Voces Sin Fronteras: Our Stories, Our Truth, by the Latino Youth Leadership Council of LAYC
 - *Kids Like Me: Voices of the Immigrant Experience*, by Judith M. Blohm

Resources for teaching about the U.S. Mexico border and family separations

- Books for children about experiences related to the Mexico-U.S. border
- Middle grade/teen books showing family separations in detention centers
 - Land of the Cranes, by Aida Salazar
 - We Are Not From Here, by Jenny Torres Sanchez
 - Efren Divided, by Ernesto Cisneros
 - *Mama's Nightingale: A Story of Immigration and Separation*, by Edwidge Danticat

Resources for teaching about social change

- Learning for Justice
- <u>Rethinking Schools</u>
- Teaching Books
- We Need Diverse Books
- <u>Teaching for Change</u>
 - <u>A Plan Book for Social Justice Educators</u>
- <u>Reimagining Migration</u>
- Social Justice Books
 - <u>Teaching about immigration</u>
 - Teaching about activism and organizing
 - Teaching about immigration
 - <u>Teaching about labor</u>

Brightly book lists

- Children's books about activism
- Children's books about making your voices heard
- Stories about real life kids who changed the world
- The immigrant experience in America
- Non-fiction books about activism for teens

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