

October Heritage Month Celebrations

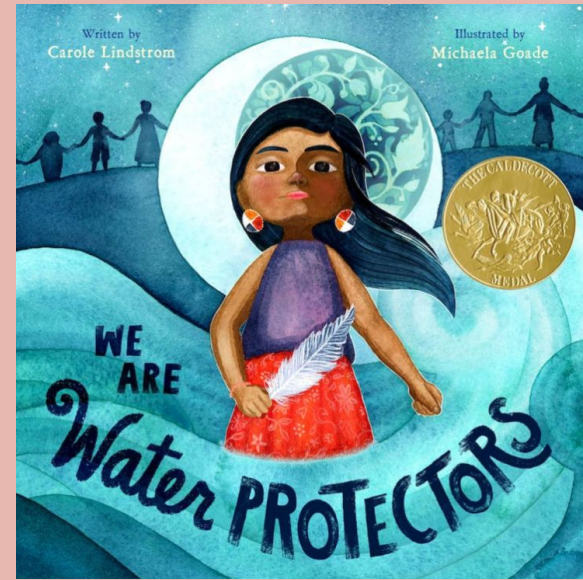
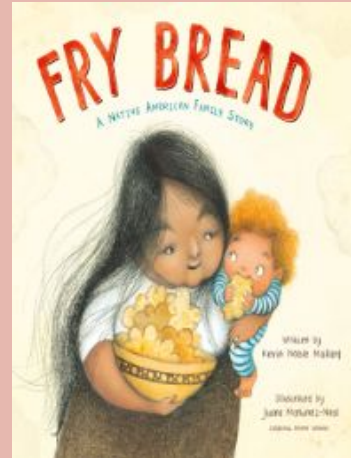
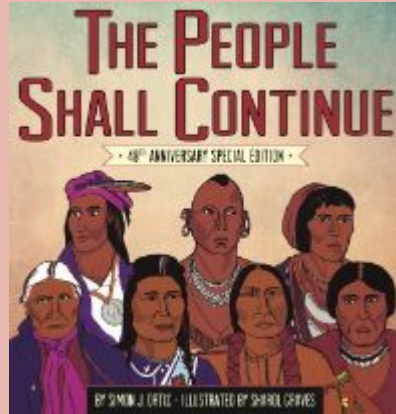
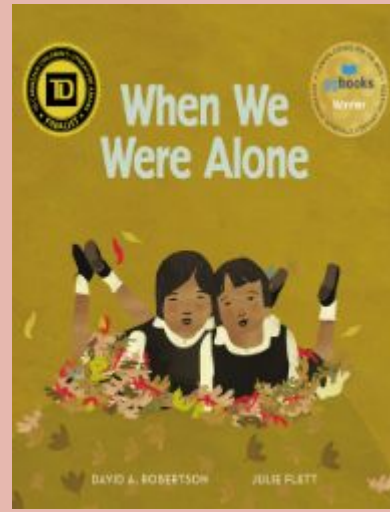
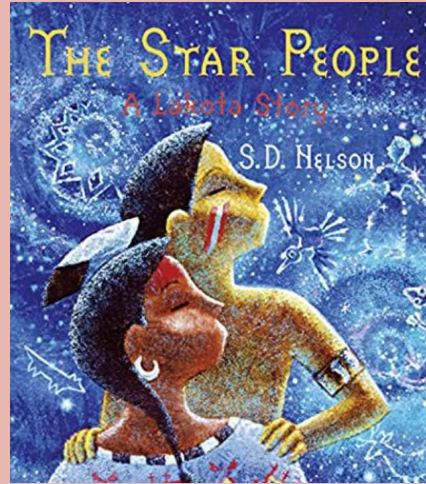
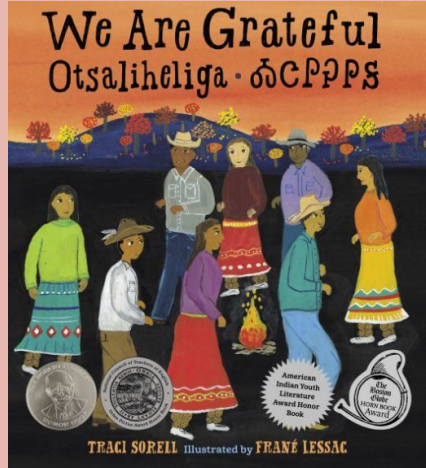
October 9 - Indigenous Peoples' Day, [slide 2](#)
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What is Indigenous Peoples Day?

- “Indigenous peoples” refers to populations that are the original inhabitants of any given geographic region in the world. “Native American” and “American Indian” are widely used, but remember that the term Indian exists because Columbus believed he had reached the Indian Ocean.



Read Alouds



Indigenous Tribes in America



Mexican American Indian

Navajo Nation

Cherokee Nation

Sioux

Ojibwe (Chippewa)

Choctaw

Apache Nations

Lumbee

Pueblo

Muscogee (Creek) Nation

Yup'ik

Haudenosaunee (Iroquois) Nations

Inupiat

Blackfeet

Resources for Teachers

- <https://ny.pbslearningmedia.org/collection/NativeAmericanHeritage/>
- <https://www.weareteachers.com/indigenous-stories-for-the-classroom/>
- <https://www.powwows.com/beautiful-indigenous-photos-take-realskins-hashtag-instagram/>
- <https://www.standingrock.org/>

What is Italian American Heritage Month?

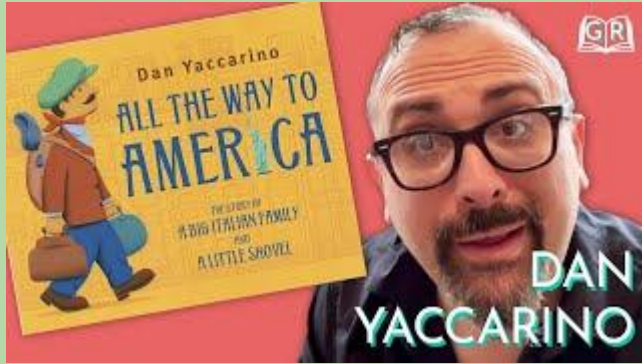
Italian American Heritage month happens every October. It coincides with the federal holiday of Columbus Day. During Italian American Heritage month, we celebrate the contributions of Italian immigrants and their descendents living in the United States.

For more information use the following link: [Order Sons and Daughters of Italy in America](#)



Read-Alouds

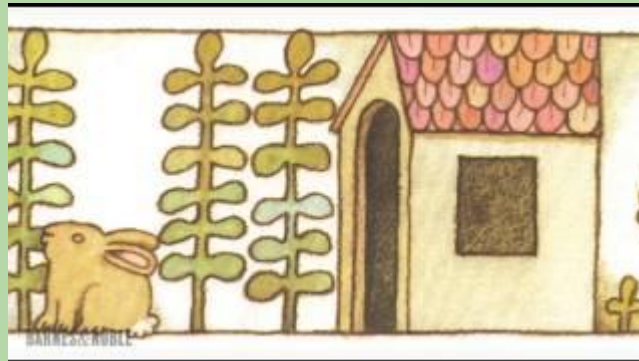
All the Way to America ~ about 6 minutes



The Little Peach Who Spoke Italian ~ about 6 minutes



Strega Nona ~ about 10 minutes



Videos



Fun Facts about Italy ~ about 3 minutes



News clip about Little Italy ~ About 2 minutes

Learn Italian



Each video is about 6 minutes long