Recommended Books and Films

General

An Indigenous Peoples History of the United States, by Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz

The Heartbeat of Wounded Knee: Native America from 1890 to the Present, by David Treuer

Everything You Know About Indians is Wrong, by Paul Chatt Smith

Conquest, by Andrea Smith

Like a Loaded Weapon: The Rehnquist Court, Indian Rights, and the Legal History of Racism in America, by Robert A. Williams, Jr.

Going Native: Indians in the American Cultural Imagination, by Shari M. Huhndorf

Playing Indian, by Phillip J. Deloria

Braiding Sweetgrass, by Robin Wall Kimmerer

1491: New Revelations of the Americas Before Columbus, by Charles Mann

Genocide of the Mind: New Native American Writing, MariJo Moore, ed.

Custer Died for Your Sins (and all his other books), by Vine Deloria, Jr.


The Doctrine of Discovery


Discovering Indigenous Lands: The Doctrine of Discovery in the English Colonies, by Robert Miller

(film) The Doctrine of Discovery: Unmasking the Domination Code

Dismantling the Doctrine of Discovery
The Indian Boarding Schools

Unsettling the Settler Within: Indian Residential Schools, Truth Telling, and Reconciliation in Canada, by Paulette Regan

Kill the Indian, Save the Man, the Genocidal Impact of American Indian Residential Schools, by Ward Churchill

Education for Extinction: American Indians and the Board School Experience 1875-1928, by David Wallace Adams

Boarding School Seasons, by Brenda J. Child

Stringing Rosaries: The History, the Unforgivable, and the Healing of Northern Plains American Indian Boarding School Survivors (Contemporary Voices of Indigenous Peoples), by Denise K. Lajimodiere

Films

Dawnland
Blood Memory
Our Spirits Don’t Speak English
Two Rivers
Indian Horse
We Still Live Here
The Thick Dark Fog
The Doctrine of Discovery: Unmasking the Domination Code
The Indian System: A Pathway to War in Minnesota