

# Black Lives Matter At School Resource Toolkit for School Staff



[Starter Kit - BLM AT SCHOOL](#)

[13 Guiding Principles - BLM AT SCHOOL](#)

[Year of Purpose - BLM AT SCHOOL](#)

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[Guide for Racial Justice and Abolitionist Social and Emotional Learning By the Abolitionist Teaching Network](#)

## EDUCATING YOURSELF

### Resources for Preparing a Positive Classroom Environment:

- [Difficult Conversations - A Self Assessment](#) : a tool to reflect on your own vulnerabilities, strengths, and needs.
- [Responding to Strong Emotions](#): a tool to think about how you can create emotional safety in your classroom.
- [Teaching About Controversial or Difficult Issues](#): guidelines from the Morningside Center for Teaching Social Responsibility.
- [Teaching Young Children About Race](#): a guide for parents and teachers
- [Begin Within](#): a guide to help build confidence and prepare for conversations about race and racism.

### Resources for Learning About Black Lives Matter:

- [Black Lives Matter: Home](#)
- [An interview with the founders of Black Lives Matter](#)

## Early Childhood & Elementary Resources

[Black Lives Matter - Early Childhood and Elementary Resources](#) - this link will connect you to resources for early childhood and elementary including lessons as well as teaching ideas & stories, videos, books & book lists, readings for educators and general teaching guides.

[13 Principles for Elementary.jpg](#)

[13 Principles Talking to Young Kids.pdf](#)

[13 Principles Spanish Young Kids.pdf](#)

## Middle and High School Resources

[Black Lives Matter - Middle and High School Resources — DC Area Educators for Social Justice](#) - this link will connect you to resources for Middle School and High School including lessons as well as teaching ideas & stories, films, books & book lists, readings for educators and general teaching guides.

[13 Principles Posters Middle High](#)

[13 Principles Prompts Middle High.pdf](#)

[Teach This: “The Hill We Climb” and the 2021 Inauguration](#) - this is a link to guidance from Teaching Tolerance on how to utilize “The Hill We Climb” as a resource to teach students about creative expression as a commentary on democracy.