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Articles

- [Q&A: Critical Race Theory In America](#) Published by University of Denver
- [“What is Critical Race Theory and Why is it Under Attack?”](#) EdWeek. Explainer article about what’s happening with CRT nationally
- [“Why is the Country Panicking about Critical Race Theory?”](#) Background/timeline on the racist intentions of manufacturing a debate about CRT by New York Times Opinion
- [Definition of Critical Race Theory](#) from Encyclopedia Britannica
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Podcasts

- [“Critical Race Theory, Explained”](#) Episode of Vox’s *Today, Explained* Podcast (26 min) on bad-faith efforts by Republicans to ban CRT and their chilling effect in schools
- [“Professor Kimberlé Crenshaw On the Truth About Critical Race Theory”](#) Podcast *Undistracted with Brittany Packnett Cunningham* interviews Dr Kimberlé Crenshaw, one of the people who developed CRT. (37 min)
- [“Understanding the Republican opposition to Critical Race Theory”](#) NPR story with transcript (7 min)



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- [“The Critical Race Theory Debate”](#) Podcast *The Weeds* talks about understanding the CRT debate and links it to other issues in schools (1 hour)
- [Nice White Parents](#) 5 Episode podcast from The New York Times about “building a better school system and what gets in the way”
- [Seeing White](#) “A fourteen-part documentary series exploring whiteness in America—where it came from, what it means, and how it works.”

Videos

- [Kidlit4BlackLives Rally](#) The Brown Bookshelf is honoured to host the KidLit4BlackLives Rally that took place on June 4, 2020. Led by Kwame Alexander, Jacqueline Woodson, and Jason Reynolds, the Rally featured inspiring words, music, and numerous calls to action in support of equity and justice. (2 hrs)
- [“Critical race theory: Experts break down what it actually means”](#) Washington Post YouTube Video (6 min)
- [Author Kimberly Jones Explains Why People Protest, Riot & Loot During Racial Distress](#) From ThinkLogical (7 min)

Websites

- Racial Equity Tools <https://www.racialequitytools.org/resources/fundamentals/core-concepts/theory>
- Learning For Justice <https://www.learningforjustice.org/>



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Books

- Book: Critical Race Theory: An Introduction (Delgado and Stefancic)
- Book: Why Are All the Black Kids Sitting Together in the Cafeteria (Tatum)
- Book: The Rodrigo Chronicles (Delgado)
- Book: The Fire Next Time (Baldwin)
- Book: So You Want to Talk about Race (Oluo)
- Book: Faces at the Bottom of the Well (Bell)