

Session 2	<b>October 8th Community Matters Race Family Book Club</b>	
Introductions (Melanie)	<p>Welcome to Johnson County Library’s Community Matters: Race Family Book Club. We are so happy you are joining us this evening for what we know will be a time to connect, challenge, and create understanding together. Before we get started we would like to introduce ourselves to you.</p> <p><b>[INTRODUCTIONS]</b>- Melanie, Jenny, Christina, Chris, Mary, Leigh, Tiffany</p> <p><b>SURVEY QUESTION--How did you hear about the program?</b></p> <p>Participant Introductions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Question via poll: Would you rather Halloween candy scenarios</li> </ul> <p>Padlet: <a href="https://padlet.com/melanie326821/eqtrb2k36k7ffh31">https://padlet.com/melanie326821/eqtrb2k36k7ffh31</a></p>	
Goals (Melanie)	<b>Materials/Resources</b>	<b>Activity/Engagement</b>
	Create a brave space. Define brave space: Even if I am uncomfortable I am still safe. We need to be brave enough to lean into tough conversations.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Define and make background slide so it’s always showing (bonfire)</li> </ul>
Norms (Melanie)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Assume Good Intent</b> - seek to understand before reacting</li> <li>• <b>Be Gentle with Others and Yourself</b> - we may not always find the right words our first try; what matters is that we are trying; see above</li> <li>• <b>Accept Feedback with Gratitude</b> - we are here to learn and grow; even good intent can</li> </ul>	Which one will you focus on for this session? Write it down as a reminder to yourself as we begin the reading.

	<p>have harmful impact; be open to learning how to do better</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Respect Vulnerability</b> - these are personal topics and people will be sharing difficult things; be sensitive to it</li> <li>● <b>Expect Discomfort</b> - these are hard topics and considering them can feel bad; that is okay and prods growth</li> <li>● <b>Take Turns; Include All</b> - listen first; be aware everyone is given the chance to participate, especially the slower to speak</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Read Aloud by (Mary and Melanie)</b></p>	<p><b>Text:</b> <u>Martin and Anne: The Kindred Spirits of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr, and Anne Frank</u> by Nancy Churnin</p> <p>Theme: activism</p>	<p><b>Activity/Questions:</b></p> <p>What is activism? What types exist?  In what ways were Martin and Anne activists?  In what ways do we see activism today? Why are these causes important?</p>
<p><b>Collaboration (team)</b></p>	<p>Book 1: <a href="#">One Crazy Summer</a></p> <p>Book 2: <a href="#">We Rise, We Resist, We Raise Our Voices</a></p>	<p><b>Discussion Questions/Themes:</b></p> <p>What groups might the characters or individuals identify with?  What is bravery? How did we see that reflected in the book?  What change were the characters or individuals trying to bring forth? How did they become an activist for this cause?</p>
<p><b>Closing (Melanie)</b></p>	<p>Come back to main room and discuss Padlet in relation to texts</p>	<p><b>Reader's Advisory:</b></p> <p>Text titles Chris suggested in chat</p>