

Looking for America

At the Museum & Library!

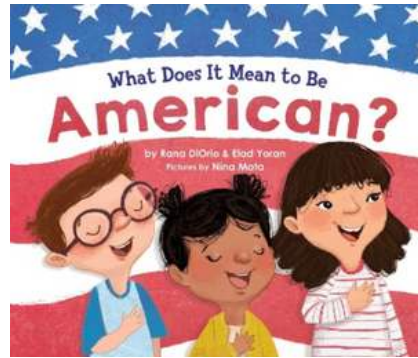
This year marks the 250th anniversary of the signing of Declaration of Independence. Learn about our history by reading the books below at the Ogunquit Memorial Library and finishing the scavenger hunt at the Ogunquit Museum of American Art right down the road!

Read 5 books, complete the scavenger hunt, and return this worksheet to a staff member at the Museum to win a prize!

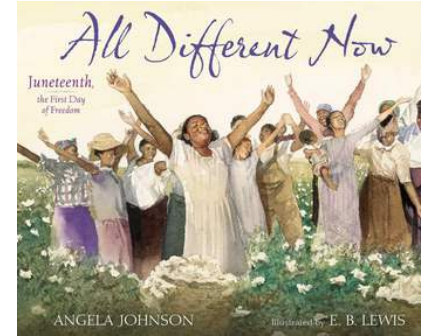
Pick up a pass at the library to visit the Museum for free!



Blue Sky, White Stars
by Sarvinder Naberhaus



What Does It Mean To Be American
by Rana DiOrio



All Different Now, Juneteenth, the First Day of Freedom
by Angela Johnson



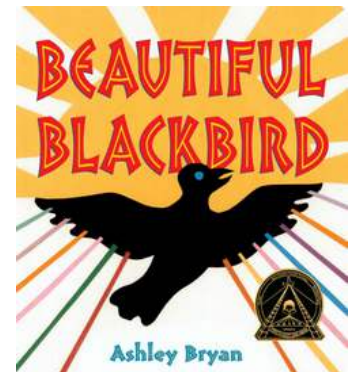
Her Name Was Mary Katherine,
The Only Woman Whose Name
Is On The Declaration of Independence
by Ella Schwartz



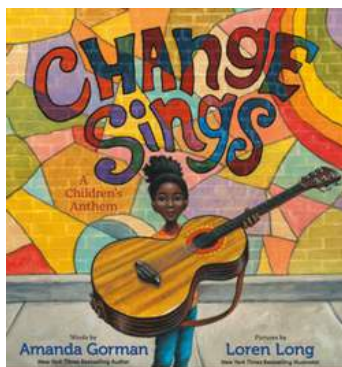
Blue
by Nana Ekua Brew-Hammond



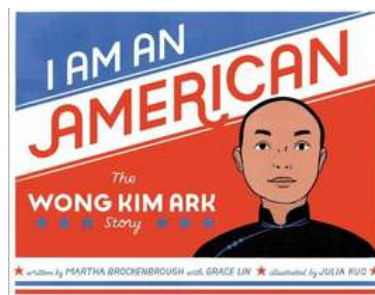
I'm an American
by Darshana Khiani



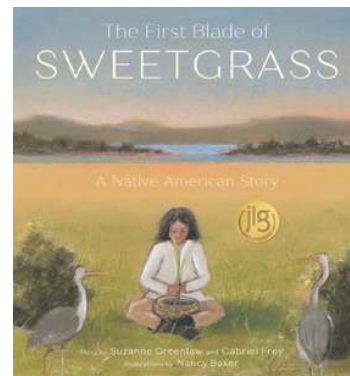
Beautiful Blackbird
by Ashley Bryan



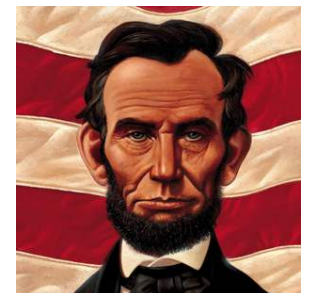
Change Sings
by Amanda Gorman



I Am an American, The Wong Kim Ark Story
by Martha Brockenbrough



The First Blade of Sweetgrass,
A Native American Story
by Suzanne Greenlaw



Abe's Honest Words,
the Life of Abraham Lincoln
by Doreen Rappaport

Choose your favorite book and share why you liked it! Consider how the illustrations helped you understand the story.

Museum Activity Side

Find a work of art that reminds you of one of the stories you read. Share what makes you think of this comparison:

Title of book: _____

Title of artwork: _____

Find three artworks that represent nature or the landscape.

1. Title _____

2. Title _____

3. Title _____

What details do you notice that all three share?

What do you notice about the work of art now that you've taken time to sketch it?

Find a sculpture outside that also acts like a bench. What does the shape of the bench look like?

Why do you think the bench is shaped like this?

Can you think of a book you have read that connects to these ideas?

Find a work of art that catches your eye. This could be because you like it, don't like it, have questions about what it means, or are just drawn to it. Take a few moments to sketch the work of art and all the details you see:
