



## Métis Book & Resource List Spring 2020

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*Please note that this is not an exhaustive list & will be updated periodically.  
If you have a book that you believe RCTL should add, feel free to contact us:*  
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<b>Graphic Novels</b>	"A Girl Called Echo" Pemmican Wars- Katherena Vermette "A Girl Called Echo" Red River Resistance - Katherena Vermette "A Girl Called Echo" Northwest Resistance - Katherena Vermette The Rebel Gabriel Dumont - David Alexander Robertson Louis Riel "a comic-strip biography" - Chester Brown Attack of the Roogaroos - based on stories by Gilbert Pelletier, Norman Fleury, Joe Welsh, & Norma Welsh How Michif Was Lost - based on a story by Jeanne Pelletier Sins of the Righteous - based on stories by Gilbert Pelletier, Norman Fleury, Joe Welsh, & Norma Welsh Whistle for Protection - based on stories by Jeanne Pelletier Chi-Jean and the Red Willows - based on a story by Gilbert Pelletier & Norman Fleury Louis Riel, Patriot - Robert Freynet
<b>Picture Books</b>	Métis Camp Circle: A Bison Culture Way of Life - Leah Dorian & Norman Fleury Peter Fiddler and the Métis- Donna Lee Dumont The Flower Beadwork People - Sherry Farrell Racette Manny's Memories - Ken Caron and Angela Caron The Métis Alphabet Book Study Prints - Joseph Jean Fauchon The Métis in Canada - Heather C. Hudak Louis Riel - Terry Barber The Giving Tree - Leah Marie Dorian My First Lobstick - Leah Marie Dorian Relatives With Roots - Leah Marie Dorian Métis Christmas Mittens - Leah Marie Dorian Owls See Clearly at Night - Julie Flett Fiddle Dancer - Anne Patton and Wilfred Burton Dancing in My Bones - Anne Patton and Wilfred Burton Road Allowance Kitten - Wilfred Burton Call of the Fiddle - Wilfred Burton Rugaroo Mickey - Wilfred Burton

	<p>The Diamond Willow Walking Stick - Leah Marie Dorion</p> <p>Jenneli's Dance - Elizabeth Denny</p> <p>Kohkum's Babushka: A Magical Métis/Ukrainian Tale - Lawrence, Flamand, Fleury</p> <p>The Girl and the Wolf - Katherena Vermette</p> <p>Girls Dance, Boys Fiddle - Carole Lindstrom</p> <p>Stolen Words (refers to Cree language) - Melanie Florence</p> <p>When We Were Alone - David A Robertson &amp; Julie Flett</p> <p>Métis Community - Laura K Murray</p> <p>Kawlija's Blueberry Promise - Audrey Guiboche</p> <p>Little Métis and the Métis Sash - Deborah L. Delaronde</p> <p>The Traditional Métis World - Kirt Bobbie &amp; Achilles Gentle</p> <p>Proud to be Métis - Sandra Samatte</p> <p>Sometimes I Feel Like A Fox - Danielle Daniel</p> <p>When Flowers Bloom and Sparrows Sing - John Weier</p> <p>I Loved Her - Shezza Ansloos</p> <p>A Journey Through the Circle of Life - Desirée Gillespie</p> <p>The Tiny Voyageur "A Young Girl's Discovery of Métis History" - Rebekah Wilson</p> <p>The Métis (Flip Perspective) Riel - Traitor or Hero?- Scholastic</p>
<b>Colouring Books</b>	<p>Mother Earth "colouring &amp; activity book" - Leah Dorion</p> <p>Métis Colouring Book - Native Reflections</p>
<b>Series</b>	<p>Taanishi Books - Emergent Reader Series</p> <p>This levelled reader set contains 27 books under 9 different themes, all relating to Métis culture.</p> <p>Mama/Papa Series - Native Reflections *may not reflect Métis Nation of Alberta understandings</p> <p>Strong Nations/Strong Stories - Leah Marie Dorion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <i>How the Moon Came to Be</i></li> <li>● <i>Métis and Dandelions</i></li> <li>● <i>Métis Singing Sticks: A Story About Métis Musical Traditions</i></li> <li>● <i>Pemmican Berries</i></li> <li>● <i>Poems to Honour Mother Earth</i></li> <li>● <i>The Helpful Sasquatch</i></li> <li>● <i>Métis Transport Boxes</i></li> <li>● <i>The Story of the Tamarack Tree</i></li> </ul> <p>Michif Children's Series, Thomas and the Métis Cart - Bonnie Murray</p>
<b>Chapter Books</b>	<p>A People on the Move - The Métis of the Western Plains - Irene Ternier Gordon</p> <p>The Incredible Adventures of Louis Riel - Cat Klerks</p> <p>Gabriel Dumont Speaks - Michael Barnholden</p> <p>April Raintree -Beatrice Mosionier (different levels for various ages)</p> <p>The Métis Princess - Annette Saint-Pierre</p> <p>Belle of Batoche - Jacqueline Guest</p> <p>Gabriel Dumont - George Woodcock</p>

	<p>I am a Métis: The Story of Gerry St. Germain - Peter O'Neil</p> <p>A Very Small Rebellion - Jan Truss</p>
<b>Adult</b>	<p>The North-West Is Our Mother - Jean Teillet</p> <p>Métis - Chris Anderson</p> <p>Halfbreed - Maria Campbell</p> <p>April Raintree -Beatrice Mosionier</p> <p>The Break - Katherena Vermette</p> <p>Walking in the Woods "A Métis Memoir" - Herb Belcourt</p> <p>The Ring, Memories of a Métis Grandmother - Lyn Hancock</p> <p>A Son of the Fur Trade - The Memoirs of Johnny Grant - John Francis Grant</p> <p>Following the River "Traces of Red River Women" - Lorri Neilsen Glenn</p> <p>From the Ashes: My Story of Being Métis, Homeless &amp; Finding My Way - Jesse Thistle</p> <p>One of the Family: Métis Culture in 19th Century Northwestern Saskatchewan - Brenda Macdougall</p> <p>Red Sun: Gabriel Dumont, The Folk Hero - Charles Duncan Thompson</p> <p>The Metis "Memorable Events &amp; Memorable Personalities - George &amp; Terry Goulet</p> <p>Prison of Grass - Howard Adams</p> <p>Thunder Through My Veins "a memoir" - Gregory Scofield</p> <p>Conversations with a Rattlesnake - Theo Fleury</p> <p>Playing with Fire - Theo Fleury</p>
<b>Poetry</b>	<p>A Really Good Brown Girl - Marilyn Dumont</p> <p>Pemmican Eaters - Marilyn Dumont</p> <p>kiyam - Naomi McIlwraith</p> <p>Louis: The Heretic Poems - Gregory Scofield</p> <p>Ekosi " A Métisse Retrospective of Poetry and Prose" - Anne Acco</p>
<b>Plays</b>	<p>DraMétis - Three Métis Plays - Greg Daniels, Marie Clements, Margo Kane</p> <p>Thousand Supperless Babes:<i>The Story of the Métis</i> - Lon Borgerson and SUNTEP</p>
<b>Research &amp; Reference</b>	<p>Digital Storytelling in Indigenous Education, A Decolonizing Journey for Métis Community - Dr. Yvonne Poitras-Pratt</p> <p>Métis - Chris Anderson</p> <p>Threads in the Sash: The Story of the Métis People - Fred Shore</p> <p>Rooster Town, The History of an Urban Métis Community, 1901–1961 - Evelyn Peters</p> <p>Métis and the Medicine Line - Michel Hogue</p> <p>Rekindling the Sacred Fire - Chantal Fiola</p> <p>Indigenous People Atlas of Canada - Canadian Geographic</p> <p>Medicines to Help Us - Christi Belcourt (book with cards)</p> <p>Canada's Residential Schools: The Métis Experience (TRC)</p>

Métis Memories of Residential Schools - Métis Nation of Alberta  
 Métis History and Experience and Residential Schools in Canada - Aboriginal Healing Foundation Research Series  
 Forgotten - The Métis Residential School Experience - Legacy of Hope  
 Keetsahnak - Our Missing and Murdered Indigenous Sisters - Klm Anderson, Maria Campbell, Christi Belcourt  
 An Institute of Our Own "History of the Gabriel Dumont Institute" - Lisa Bird-Wilson  
 The Métis: A Visual History - Sherry Farrell Racette  
 Gabriel Dumont: Li Chef Michif In Images And In Words  
 Métis Pioneers - Doris Jeanne MacKinnon  
 Memories of a Metis Settlement "Eighty Years of East Prairie Metis Settlement"  
 Belonging Métis - Catherine Richardson  
 The Seven Oaks reader - Myrna Kostash  
 Calling Our Families Home "Métis Peoples' Experiences with Child Welfare" - Jeannine Carriere/Catherine Richardson  
 Saint-Laurent, Manitoba "Evolving Métis Identities, 1850-1914"-Nicole St-Onge  
 Defining Métis - Catholic Missionaries and the Idea of Civilization in Northwestern Saskatchewan 1845-1898 - Timothy P. Foran  
 Métis in Canada "History, Identity, Law & Politics" - Christopher Adams  
 The Dynamics of Native Politics "The Alberta Métis Experience" - Joe Sawchuk  
 The Free People (Li Gens Libres) "A History of the Métis Community of Batoche, Saskatchewan" - Diane P Payment  
 The Western Métis "Profile of a People" - Patrick C Douaud  
 From New Peoples to New Nations "Aspects of Métis History & Identity from the 18th to 21st Centuries" - Gerhard J. Ens & Joe Sawchuk  
 Native Chiefs and Famous Métis "Leadership & Bravery in the Canadian West" - Holly Quan  
 A People On The Move "The Métis of the Western Plains" - Irene Ternier Gordon  
 Gabriel Dumont Speaks - Michael Barnholden  
 Indigenous Writes "Guide to First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Issues in Canada" - Chelsea Vowel  
 Bringing Métis Children's Literature to Life (teacher guidebook for Gabriel Dumont Institute Publications) - Wilfred Burton  
 Buffalo Days and Nights - Peter Erasmus, Henry Thompson  
 Contours of a People: Métis Family, Mobility, and History - Nicole St-Onge  
 Saint-Laurent, Manitoba: Evolving Métis Identities, 1850-1914 - Nicole St-Onge  
 I Knew Two Women - Gregory A Scofield  
 Fingerweaving Untangled - illustrated beginners guide - Carol James  
 Bringing Métis Children's Literature to Life: Resource Kit -Gabriel Dumont Institute  
 Let Me See Your Fancy Steps: *Story of a Métis Dance Caller* - Sylvie Sara Roy, Jeanne Pelletier  
 Maskisina: A Guide to Northern-Style Métis Moccasins - Gregory A Scofield  
 Wapikwaniy: A Beginner's Guide to Métis Floral Beadwork - Gregory A Scofield

	<p>Métis Soldiers of Saskatchewan 1914-1953 - Cathy Littlejohn          Medicines to Help Us - Christi Belcourt (book with cards)          Métis Alphabet Book - Joseph Jean Fauchon          *Nêhiyawêwin mitâtaht: Michif ahci Cree - Vince Ahenakew          *Nêhiyawêwin Masinahikan = Michif/Cree dictionary - Vince Ahenakew          *La Lawng: Michif Peekishkwewin - The Canadian Michif Language Dictionary Intro Level</p>
<b>DVD's</b>	<p>Métis Communities Series:          The Story of the Crescent Lake Métis: Our Life on the Road Allowance          Kitaskinaw: The Land Gives Us Our Knowledge          Steps in Time II - Métis Dance &amp; Instruction featuring "The Métis Thunder" Dancers          Better That Way - Rita Bouvier          The Story of the Rabbit Dance - Jeanne Pelletier          The Beavers' Big House - J.D. Panas &amp; Olive Whitford</p>
<b>Music CD</b>	<p>Honouring Our Heroes - A Tribute to Métis Veterans - Gabriel Dumont Institute</p>
<p>Sashes can be purchased through the Métis Nation of Alberta:  <a href="http://albertametis.com/affiliates/cree-productions/">http://albertametis.com/affiliates/cree-productions/</a>  <u>Michif to Go - app</u>  <u>Métis Cookbook - downloadable</u>  <a href="https://www.mnbc.ca/app/webroot/uploads/Education/Metis_Cookbook_SecondEdition.pdf">https://www.mnbc.ca/app/webroot/uploads/Education/Metis_Cookbook_SecondEdition.pdf</a></p>	

