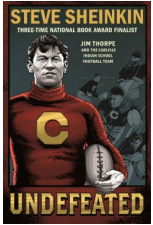




**Reawakening Our Ancestors' Lines:  
Revitalizing Inuit Traditional Tattooing**  
by Angela Hovak Johnston (she/her) - Y 391.65  
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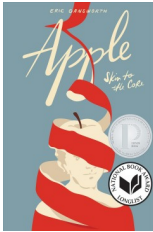
When Angela Hovak Johnston heard that the last Inuk woman tattooed in the old way had died, she set out to tattoo herself in tribute to this ancient custom and learn how to tattoo others.

What was at first a personal quest became a project to bring the art of traditional tattooing back to Inuit women across Nunavut.



**Undeclared: Astonishing Rise of Jim Thorpe and the Carlisle Indians Football Team**  
by Steve Sheinkin - Y 796.332 SHEINKIN

Presents the true story of how Jim Thorpe and Pop Warner created the legendary Carlisle Indians football team, one of the winningest teams in American football history



**Apple: Skin to the Core**  
by Eric Gansworth (he/him) - Y 970.004 GANSWORTH

The term "Apple" is a slur in Native communities across the country. It's for someone supposedly "red on the outside, white on the inside." Gansworth shatters that slur and reclaims it in verse and prose and imagery that truly lives up to the word heartbreaking.



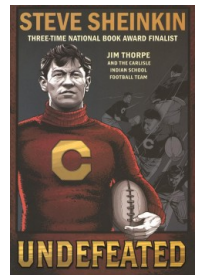
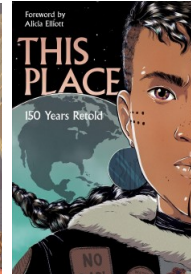
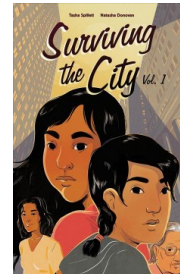
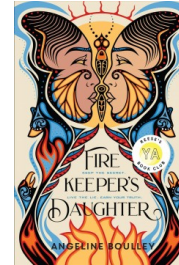
**#NotYourPrincess: Voices of Native American Women**  
by Lisa Charleyboy (she/her) - Y 971.004  
NOTYOURPRINCESS

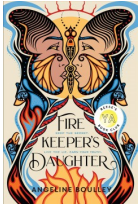
A collection of poems, essays, interviews, and art exhibits showcasing the voices of Indigenous women across North America.



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# INDIGENOUS REPRESENTATION IN YA





### Firekeeper's daughter

by Angeline Boulley (she/her) - Y BOULLEY

Treated like an outsider in both her hometown and on the Ojibwe reservation, a half-Native American science geek and star hockey player places her dreams on hold in the wake of a family tragedy.



### The Witch King

by H. E. Edgmon (he/they) - Y EDGMON

Wyatt, a transgender witch hiding in the human world, must face the royal fiancé he left behind and decide what is more important—his people or his freedom.



### Fire song

by Adam Garnet Jones (he/him) - Y JONES

A family tragedy forces Shane, a gay Native American teenager in Northern Ontario, to choose between staying home to help support his family or leaving for college and the freedom to be himself.



### A Snake Falls to Earth

by Darcie Little Badger (she/her) - Y LITTLE BADGER

Nina is a Lipan girl in our world. Oli is a cottonmouth kid, from the land of spirits and monsters. Nina and Oli have no idea the other exists. But a catastrophic event on Earth, and a strange sickness that befalls Oli's best friend, will drive their worlds together in ways they haven't been in centuries.



### Elatsoe

by Darcie Little Badger (she/her) - Y LITTLE BADGER

Imagine an America very similar to our own. This America been shaped dramatically by the magic, monsters, knowledge, and legends of its peoples. Elatsoe lives in this slightly stranger America. She can raise the ghosts of dead animals, a skill passed down through generations of her Lipan Apache family.



### Apple in the Middle

by Dawn Quigley (she/her) - Y QUIGLEY

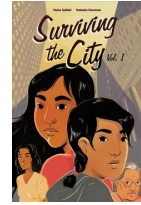
After her wealthy father gives her the boot one summer, Apple reluctantly agrees to visit her relatives on the Turtle Mountain Indian Reservation in northern North Dakota. She learns to deal with the culture shock of Indian customs and the Native Michif language, while she connecting with her deceased mother.



### Hearts Unbroken

by Cynthia Leitich Smith (she/her) - Y SMITH

Breaking up with her first real boyfriend when he makes racist remarks about her Native American heritage, high school senior Louise Wolfe teams up with a fellow school newspaper editor to cover a multicultural casting of the school play and the racial hostilities it has exposed.



### Surviving the City

by Tasha Spillett (she/her) - YG SPILLETT

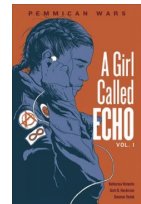
Indigenous teens Miikwan and Dez are best friends that navigate living in the city together, but when Dez's grandmother gets sick, Dez runs away instead of going to a group home, leaving Miikwan and the community to try and find her.



### This Place: 150 Years Retold

by Katherena Vermett (she/her) - YG THIS

A graphic novel anthology depicts the last one hundred fifty years of Canadian history as seen through the eyes of the Indigenous peoples who inhabited the land before the Europeans arrived.



### A girl called Echo : Pemmican Wars 1, Pemmican Wars

by Katherena Vermette (she/her/hers) - YG VERMETTE

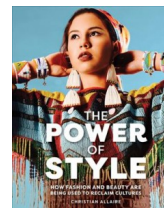
While adjusting to a new home and school, Echo finds herself traveling back in time to 1816 in the middle of a Métis bison hunt on the Saskatchewan prairie just before a deadly battle.



### Redbone : the true story of a Native American rock band

by Christian Staebler (he/him) - YG 782.42166 REDBONE

The history of the Native American rock band Redbone, who rose to fame while maintaining their cultural identity, as the American Indian Movement in the 1970s gained momentum.



### The power of style : how fashion and beauty are being used to reclaim cultures

by Christian Allaire - Y 391 ALLAIRE

As a fashion-obsessed Ojibwe teen, Christian Allaire rarely saw anyone that looked like him in the magazines or movies he looked to for inspiration. Now the Fashion and Style Writer for Vogue, he works to change that.