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Scroll down for resources! :)

Resources and Further Reading on LGBTQ Identity and Inclusion

Compiled by Hannah Fisher for "LGBT Who? Affirming LGBTQ students in the music classroom"

Where to start:

- The Genderbread Person - my favorite way to explain different aspects of LGBTQ identity. <https://www.genderbread.org/explainers>
- <http://transwhat.org/confused/> - a straightforward, beginner-friendly guide to transgender identity. Other pages on the same site talk about allyship, frequent misconceptions, and terminology.
- www.practicewithpronouns.com/ - a way to practice using singular they and other non-gendered pronouns
- Teaching Tolerance's vetted reading lists for elementary, middle, and high school students as well as professional development. Also contains a glossary of LGBTQ terminology and historical figures - www.tolerance.org/sites/default/files/2018-09/TT-LGBTQ-Best-Practices-Guide-Appendix.pdf
- Student Introduction Cards - a way to ask your student's pronouns without putting them in an awkward position. <https://transreads.org/cards>
- Teaching Tolerance's Best Practices Guide for LGBTQ Inclusion - www.tolerance.org/magazine/fall-2018/tts-new-lgbtq-best-practices-guide
- Five guidelines for including transgender people on a daily basis. (Note that this was published during a brief push to abbreviate "transgender" as "trans*" with an asterisk. This is largely seen as unnecessary today.) www.socialjusticetoolbox.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/Top5TransAllyPrinciples.pdf

Research:

- Human Rights Campaign's 2018 LGBTQ Youth Report - www.hrc.org/resources/2018-lgbtq-youth-report
- The Trevor Project's Research Brief on Accepting Adults - www.thetrevorproject.org/2019/06/27/research-brief-accepting-adults-reduce-suicide-attempts-among-lgbtq-youth/
- The CDC's guide to LGBT Health - www.cdc.gov/lgbthealth/youth-resources.htm
- State by State breakdown of LGBTQ Rights Protections- www.lgbtmap.org/equality-maps/profile_state/NE

- Brown University's Queer Theory Reading List - www.brown.edu/campus-life/support/lgbtq/graduate-student-resources/queer-theory-reading-list
- *Transgender History* by Susan Stryker - a history of transgender people in the United States from the mid-twentieth century to the present.
- *A Queer History of the United States* by Michael Bronski - looking at American history through the eyes of LGBTQ individuals.
- Interviews of LGBTQ Youth conducted by Teen Vogue - www.teenvogue.com/story/what-its-like-to-be-out-as-lgbtq-at-school
- A map of gender-diverse cultures throughout history - www.pbs.org/independentlens/content/two-spirits_map-html/
- *A Guide to Gender: The Social Justice Advocate's Handbook* by Sam Killermann. Available as a pay-what-you-want PDF. An irreverent, quick-and-dirty introduction to the principles of social justice as they apply to gender.

For educators and leaders:

- Teaching Tolerance's vetted reading lists for elementary, middle, and high school students as well as professional development. Also contains a glossary of LGBTQ terminology and historical figures - www.tolerance.org/sites/default/files/2018-09/TT-LGBTQ-Best-Practices-Guide-Appendix.pdf
- GLSEN - dedicated to increasing acceptance and visibility for LGBTQ students in K-12 schools. Resources for inclusive classrooms and curricula - www.glsen.org
- Teaching Tolerance's Best Practices Guide for LGBTQ Inclusion - www.tolerance.org/magazine/fall-2018/tts-new-lgbtq-best-practices-guide
- www.accreditedschoolsonline.org/education-teaching-degree/lgbtq-youth/ - Resources and advice for incorporating LGBTQ issues into curriculum as well as FAQs and terminology.
- Student Introduction Cards - a way to ask your student's pronouns without putting them in an awkward position. <https://transreads.org/cards/>
- Black and Pink - fighting against the harm and injustice caused to queer people of color and especially queer Black people by the prison-industrial complex <https://www.blackandpink.org/>

When someone comes out to you:

- MyKidIsGay.com - resources for parents of LGBTQ children, but also useful to teachers! Includes information and resources for children and parents throughout the coming-out process and beyond - www.mykidisgay.com
- PFLAG - organization for parents and family members of LGBTQ people, useful to teachers as well - www.pflag.org

For LGBTQ people who are struggling:

- The "It Gets Better" Project - encouraging videos from LGBTQ adults about their experiences finding their place in the world - itgetsbetter.org/
- The Trevor Project - a suicide prevention and general advocacy organization for LGBTQ youth. Also has a massive list of resources on LGBTQ issues, mental health, etc. - www.thetrevorproject.org
- advocatesforyouth.org/resources-tools - a truly massive, consistently updated collection of tools and fact sheets on a wide range of social justice issues that affect youth.
- What is Gender Dysphoria? An explanation for people struggling with their gender: <https://www.pinknews.co.uk/2020/04/20/what-is-gender-dysphoria-meaning-definition/>

Intersex:

- Intersex Society of North America - isna.org/faq/what_is_intersex/

Gender:

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- www.huffingtonpost.com/gena-ricciardi/be-a-better-ally-how-to-support-your-transgender-friends_b_4274061.html - article about being an ally to trans people

- Riki Wilkins: "Get to Know the New Pronouns" - Riki Wilkins, who coined the term "genderqueer," talks about the recent shifts in our understanding and perception of gender - <https://www.advocate.com/commentary/2017/3/13/get-know-new-pronouns-they-theirs-and-them>
- <youtu.be/81-FEauK9II> & <youtu.be/kJ9ly4cK9tg> Ash Hardell gets way into the weeds and explores some of the complicated, nuanced ways that different people describe their genders.
- <youtu.be/46ehrFk-gLk> - a quick linguistic exploration of singular "they."
- Dennis Baron - *What's Your Pronoun?: Beyond He and She*. Linguist Dennis Baron explores the different pronouns people have used throughout history - from Shakespeare to the present.
- www.practicewithpronouns.com/ - a way to practice using singular they and other non-gendered pronouns
- www.genderspectrum.org - comprehensive website with detailed explanations about gender identity, presentation, and fluidity.
- "On Becoming a Woman": a poem written by a Jewish person in 1322. Often interpreted as a transgender woman narrating her experience of gender dysphoria. As with most historical figures, there's no way for us to tell how this person would identify today. Original text and translation here: <https://www.sefaria.org/sheets/115323?lang=bi>
- <http://www.artforourselves.org/reviews/11-genderqueernon-binary-people-of-color-you-should-know>

Non-fiction:

- "Queery" with Cameron Espisito. A podcast where a lesbian comedian sits down with LGBTQ creators and activists to talk about life, identity, and what it means to be queer. podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/queery-with-cameron-esposito/id1268343859 or wherever you find your podcasts.
- *How to Survive a Plague* (2012) - a documentary film about the remarkable work of LGBTQ activists during the AIDS epidemic. Again: heavy content, not recommended for kids.
- Hannah Gadsby - *Nanette* - a Netflix comedy special by a queer, gender-nonconforming woman. Funny, heartbreaking, and informative in equal measures. Heavy content, not recommended for kids.

- *NonBinary: Memoirs of Gender and Identity* edited by Micah Rajunov and Scott Duane
- *Gender: Your Guide* by Lee Airton, PhD
- *How to Be You* by Jeffrey Marsh. Non-binary activist Jeffrey Marsh (they/them) explores self-acceptance, self-compassion, and identity. If you're on Twitter and need some positivity in your life, you can (and should!) follow them at @thejeffreymarsh
- Archive of queer magazines and periodicals from the 50s, 60s, 70s, 80s, and 90s - <https://daily.jstor.org/reveal-digital-lgbtq-publications/>
- Kimberlé Crenshaw, who coined the term "intersectionality," talks about its uses in modern conversations about race, class, gender, disability, and more.
 - <https://www.law.columbia.edu/news/archive/kimberle-crenshaw-intersectionality-more-two-decades-later>
 - <https://www.racialequitytools.org/resourcefiles/mapping-margins.pdf>
 - https://www.ted.com/talks/kimberle_crenshaw_the_urgency_of_intersectionality?language=en

Fiction:

- BookRiot's compilation of queer fiction by queer authors - <https://bookriot.com/best-queer-books/>
- San Francisco Public Library's list of queer fiction by queer people of color - <https://sfpl.bibliocommons.com/list/share/464094417/1415548987>