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Library Collection Spotlight: African-American Studies

In February for Black History Month, the Library featured a display about African-American studies, highlighting select titles from our collection. The library provides lots of titles for your academic needs, but we also have many books for your personal enjoyment and learning. Select titles from this collection spotlight include: “Memories of the Southern Civil Rights Movement” by photojournalist Danny Lyon, who recalls in words and photographs his experiences as the first staff photographer of the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee during demonstrations in the 60s. Other highlights are: “Black Profiles in Courage: a Legacy of African American Achievement” by Kareem Abdul Jabar, the picture book “Duke Ellington: the Piano Prince and His Orchestra” by Angela Davis Pinkey, illustrated by Brian Pinkey, and “Ain’t I a Woman: Black Women and Feminism,” a work of feminist history and theory examining the impact of sexism and racism, written by the author and activist bell hooks.

This coming April, in conjunction with National Library Week, the library will also be hosting a talk with MassBay History Professor and American Civil Rights Activist Virginius Thornton III. Thornton worked with many other leaders of the Civil Rights Movement, including Dr Martin Luther King Jr., on non-violent strategies to end segregation. Come to the talk to learn more from Professor Thornton. Be on the look-out for more information about this and other National Library Week events!

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- Be courteous to all - help maintain a productive work and study environment for everyone in the Learning Resource Center (library, computer lab, tutoring centers).
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- Be careful – Keep your belongings with you at all times. Protect books and resources by drinking from covered containers and throwing away all trash. Leave the space you use as good as it was or better than when you used it.
- Be respectful - of fellow students, of staff and faculty, and of anyone who is using the Learning Resource Center.
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New Titles Available in the Framingham Campus Collection

- “Knowledge Development in Early Childhood: Sources of Learning and Classroom Implications,” edited by Ashley M. Pinkham, Tanya Kaefer, Susan B. Neuman
- “My Grandpa Had a Stroke,” written by Dori Hillestad Butler; illustrated by Nicole Wong
- “Queer Cinema: Schoolgirls, Vampires and Gay Cowboys,” by Barbara Mennel
- “Smoke Signals: a Social History of Marijuana: Medical, Recreational, and Scientific,” by Martin A. Lee
- “Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders: DSM-5”
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