

Selected Bibliography of American Indian Studies Resources for Students in Grades 7-12

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I. Introductory Resources

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Suggestions Welcome!

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