STEM Books featuring black characters for Young Readers

(Ages 4-9 unless otherwise indicated/Black Authors/Illustrators indicated by *)

*<u>How Do Plants Grow?</u> by G.A. Sealy

*The Fight Between The Sun and The Moon by G.A. Sealy

*Have You Thanked an Inventor Today? by Patrice McLaurin , Dian Wang

*<u>Olivia's Doctor Adventures</u> by Dr. Ashley Denmark, Illustrated by Mike Motz

Ada Twist, Scientist by Andrea Beaty, Illustrated by David Roberts

*<u>Cece Love Science</u> by Kimberly Derting & Shelli R. Johannes, Illustrated by Vashti Harrison

*<u>Sasha Savvy Loves to Code</u> by Sasha Ariel Alston, Illustrated by Vanessa Brantley-Newton (7-10)

*<u>Abby Invents Unbreakable Crayons</u> by Dr. Arlyne Simon, Illustrated by Diana Necsulescu

*<u>Smart Sarah and the Magic of Science</u> by Jacqueline Sanders-Blackman, Illustrated by Zeeshan Shahid (6-10)

*<u>Doc Like Mommy</u> by Dr. Crystal Bowe, Illustrated by Mike Motz

*<u>Jada Jones: Sleepover Scientist</u> by Kelly Starling Lyons, Illustrated by Nneka Myers and Vanessa Brantley-Newton (8-12)

*<u>Sage Carrington Eighth Grade Science Sleuth</u> by Justin Scott Parr (8-12)

*<u>Mae AmongThe Stars</u> by Roda Ahmed, Illustrated by: Stasia Burrington

Counting on Katherine How Katherine Johnson Saved Apollo 13 by Helaine Becker,

Illustrated by Dow Phumiruk

*<u>Hidden Figures: The True Story of Four Black Women and the Space Race</u> by: Margot Lee Shetterly & Winifred Conkling Illustrated by: Laura Freeman

<u>The Girl With A Mind For Math: The Story of Raye Montague</u> by Julia Finley Mosca Illustrated by Daniel Rieley

<u>The Doctor With An Eye For Eyes: The Story of Dr. Patricia Bath</u> by Julia Finley Mosca Illustrated by Daniel Rieley 5 - 9 *<u>Seeds of Change: Wangari's Gift to the World</u> by Jen Cullerton Johnson, Illustrated by Sonia Lynn Sadler

You Should Meet: Katherine Johnson by Thea Feldman Illustrated by Alyssa Petersen

You Should Meet: Mae Jemison by Laurie Calkhoven, Illustrated by Monique Dong

Dragons and Marshmallows by: Asia Citro, Illustrated by Marion Lindsay

<u>Baby Loves Aerospace Engineering!</u> by: Ruth Spiro, Illustrated by: Irene Chan (0-3)

Little Robot by: Ben Hatke

*Ron's Big Mission by Rose Blue & Corinne Naden, illustrated by Don Tate

<u>Whoosh!: Lonnie Johnson's Super-Soaking Stream of Inventions</u> by Chris Barton, illustrated by Don Tate

*<u>The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind</u> by William Kamkwamba and Bryan Mealer

Who Was George Washington Carver? by Jim Gigliotti and Who HQ

*<u>Ben and the Outer-Space Race Paperback</u> by Justin Scott Parr

*Ben and the Great Big Garden Dig by Justin Scott Parr

*Ben and the Rub-a-Dub Bathtub Club Justin Scott Parr

*<u>What Color Is My World?: The Lost History of African-American Inventors</u>

by Kareem Abdul-Jabbar

Dreaming Up: A Celebration of Building by Christy Hale

*Look What Brown Can Do! by T. Marie Harris

Galimoto by Karen Lynn Williams

Magic Trash: A Story of Tyree Guyton and His Art by J.H. Shapiro

*<u>The Meteorologist In Me</u> by Brittney Shipp

*<u>Dad, Who Will I Be?</u> by G.Todd Taylor

*<u>Starstruck: The Cosmic Journey of Neil deGrasse Tyson</u> by Kathleen Krull & Paul Brewer, illustrated by Frank Morrison