Educational resources on Filipino Heritage Month

Filipino Heritage Month is observed in Canada during the month of June to recognize, celebrate and raise awareness about the Filipino community in Canada and their valuable contributions throughout Canadian history.

ARTICLES, REPORTS, AND TOOLS

- Filipino Canadians share stories behind their unique names, CBC News (video)
- Filipino Canadians / Canadiens philippins (Philippino-canadiens), Canadian Encyclopedia
- Filipino Values Contribute to Canada’s Asian Heritage, Canadian Filipino Net
- Filipino-Canadian History, explorASIAN (Vancouver Asian Heritage Month Society)
- My Canadian immigrant story: From the Philippines to small town Ontario, BBC News

BOOKS

CCDI encourages you to check with your local bookstore or municipal library for availability of these publications.

- America is Not the Heart (Elaine Castillo)
- Babaylan: Filipinos and the Call of the Indigenous (Ed. Leny Mendoza Strobel)
- Fairest (Meredith Talusan)
- Ilustrado (Miguel Syjuco)
- In the Country (Mia Alvar)
- Letters to a Young Brown Girl (Barbara Jane Reyes)
- Lola’s House: Filipino Women Living with War (M. Evelina Galang)
- Malaya: Essays on Freedom (Cinelle Barnes)
- Once Upon a Sunset (Tif Marcelo)
- Something in Between (Melissa de la Cruz)
- Somewhere in the Middle (Deborah Francisco Douglas)
- The Body Papers (Grace Talusan)
- The Farm (Joanne Ramos)
- When the Elephants Dance (Tess Uriza Holthe)
FILM AND TELEVISION

Please note: There may be a cost related to watching this content and CCDI is not responsible for those costs.

- Becoming Labrador (Amazon Prime Video)
- Caregiver (AppleTV)
- I Propose We Never See Each Other Again After Tonight (Crave)
- Islands (select screenings)
- Kalinga (select screenings)
- The Fabulous Filipino Brothers (select screenings)
- Yellow Rose (Amazon Prime Video)

PODCASTS

- Recovering Filipino
- Kwentong Filipino Canadian Podcast with SLE Canada
- Pinoy Nation: an OMNI Filipino Podcast
- Filipino Fridays
- The Filipino American Woman Project
- Very Filipino Problems
- MeSearch: Featuring Filipino Perspectives

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