

Chicago Latina Trailblazers Vocabulary

Vocabulary for the Introduction is at the end.

Chapter 1

Yo Soy India: A Native, a Fighter, an Indigenous; Guadalupe Alcalá Reyes

Abiding Bicultural	Aggressive Bilingual	Aldermen Bureaucrats
Coconspirator Disoriented	Confronted DNA	Derogatory
Enterprise Eurocentric	Entrepreneurs Evict	Epileptic Excel
Hemorrhage Integrated	Incumbent Lamented	Innumerable Legislation
Malignant Notorious Programmatic	Negotiations Pervasive Recruiter	Negotiator Prognosis
Scholarships Tenement Visionaries	Slumlord Trustee Well-heeled	Subsided Vermin

Chapter 2

CARPE DIEM—"Seize the Day and Exploit Your Opportunities"; Mary Gonzales

Accommodate Articulate Cofounded	Activist Bankrupt	Agitating Chronological
Deindustrialization Disdain Disrepute	Despite Dismissive Fractious	Diabetes Disregarded Gentrification
Impaired Inflamed Leftist	Incrementally Interacted Legacy	Inexorably Irony
Mentor Nonconfrontational	Methodology Occupational Therapists	Moratorium Overwhelmed

Permeated
Progressive

Politicized
Reconcile

Predominantly
Redevelop

Resignations
Sophisticated

Sanctuaries
Strategizing

Self-effacing

Chapter 3

Mother to Family and Community; Carmen Mendoza

Bestowed
Eminently

Citations
Inauspicious

Confidante
Instilled

Jurisdictions
Pediatrics
Subcommittee

Midwifery
Penultimate

Obstetrics/Gynecology
Perseverance

Chapter 4

Accidental Public Servant: A Vice from Chicago's Southeast Side; Carmen Chico

Aspirations
Happenstance

Delegation
Intertwined

Discriminatory
Resilience

Temperament

Wallflower

Chapter 5

Siempre en la Lucha; María B. Cerda

Clout
Devastated

Contentious
Divisiveness

Dehumanized
Dogged

Empathy
Friction

Equitable
Inclusivity

Euphemism
Marginalization

Predominately
Sectors

Prominent
Siphoned

Resonated
Tenacity

Transition

Vocational

Vouched

Chapter 6

If You Survive the Teas, You Can Survive Anything; Aracelis Flecha Figueroa

Bureaucracy
Exhorting
Formidable

Canvass
Exodus
Gentrification

Cochaired
Facilitated
Hence

Incarcerated
Microbiology
Runoff Election

Incompetency
Precincts
Status Quo

Institutionalizing
Prevailed

Chapter 7

The Journey; Elena Mulcahy

Advocacy	Allocated	Anthropology
De Facto	Deterred	Envision
Envisioned	Indefatigable	Indigenous
Precedence	Prescient	Proficiency
Remedial	Supplement	Tenure
Trajectory	Vetted	

Chapter 8

Being Mexican Is Who I Am!; Carmen Velásquez

Bicultural	Comprehensive	Congeniality
Credential	Derogatory	Flourishing
Impediment	Indefatigable	Instilled
Myriad	Pungent	Vulnerable

Chapter 9

Latina Health Visionary; Aida Luz Maisonet Giachello

Absentee Landlords	Assertive	Coalition
Cohort	Curricula	Dissertation
Don Quixote Battling Windmills	Empowerment	Ethic
Everything Was in Flux	Fueled	Gestational Diabetes
Grassroots Organizations	Grievances	Hypotheses
Indelibly	Initiated	Medical Anthropologist
Notwithstanding	Preconceived	Prenatal Care
Psychosocial	Psychosomatic	Stereotypes
Surrogate	Umbrella Commission	Unique Perspective
Voraciously		

Chapter 10

Unfinished Business; Ada Nivia López

Adversarial	Birthright	Clichés
Coalitions	Decentralizing	Disengaged
Expunge	Ideologies	Monographs
Obstructionist	Paradoxically	Patriarchal Society
Pedagogical	Periphery	Polarized
Stark Disparity	Stigmatized	Tenure
Undercurrent of Change		

Chapter 11

Chicana Lawyer; Virginia Martínez

Abstract

Happenstance

Innocuous

Metamorphosis

Philosophy

Stipend

Chapter 12

Ripples of Advocacy; Luz María B. Solís

Catalyst

Intrapersonal Intelligence

Linguistic Intelligence

Linguistically Diverse

Musical Intelligence

Repercussions

Spatial Intelligence

Vindicated

Chapter 13

Creating a World without Fronteras; Reverend Emma Lozano

Marginalization

Sanctuary

Chapter 14

The Audacity of a Dreamer; Ana Castillo

Aspirations

Audacity

Era

Menial

Proximity

Rescinding

Underscore

Chapter 15

Weaving the Tapestry: Legacies, Intersections, and the Future

Pedagogies

Rhetorics

Transnational

Introduction

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Vocabulary - Words that may be difficult for students. Too many words to teach in this section.

- *Alchemy*
- *Binary (gender/social context)*
- *Chronologically*
- *Conferred*
- *Descendance*
- *Displacement*
- *Empowerment*
- *Espoused*
- *Facilitators*
- *Firsthand*
- *Gatekeepers (figurative)*
- *Hierarchy*
- *Assimilationist*
- *Coalitional*
- *Contemporaries*
- *Dichotomy*
- *Documentaries*
- *Enduring*
- *Essentializing*
- *Familial*
- *Fluidity*
- *Guadalupana*
- *Holistic*
- *Autobiographical*
- *Comprehensive*
- *Countercultural*
- *Discourse*
- *Entrenched*
- *Ethnography*
- *Feminist*
- *Forge (figurative)*
- *Heteronormative*

• <i>Idealism</i>	<i>Implementation</i>	<i>Incrementally</i>
• <i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Inequities</i>	<i>Institutional</i>
• <i>Interconnectedness</i>	<i>Interdisciplinary</i>	<i>Intergenerational</i>
• <i>Intersectional</i>	<i>Invoking</i>	<i>Liberation</i>
• <i>Mantra</i>	<i>Methodology</i>	<i>Mobilized</i>
• <i>Monumentally</i>	<i>Multimedia</i>	<i>Narratives</i>
• <i>Nuanced</i>	<i>Oppression</i>	<i>Organically (figurative use)</i>
• <i>Paradigm</i>	<i>Patriarchal</i>	<i>Perpetuated</i>
• <i>Philosophical</i>	<i>Pivotal</i>	<i>Praxis</i>
• <i>Prevailing</i>	<i>Progressive</i>	
• <i>Radicalism</i>	<i>Racialization</i>	<i>Rectified</i>
• <i>Reggio Emilia</i>	<i>Relocation</i>	<i>Reminisced</i>
• <i>Resilience</i>	<i>Resourceful</i>	
• <i>Segregated</i>	<i>Sociopolitical</i>	<i>Stereotypic</i>
• <i>Subordination</i>	<i>Supplementary</i>	<i>Synthetic</i>
• <i>Systemic</i>	<i>Testimonio</i>	
• <i>Testimoniar</i>	<i>Theorized</i>	<i>Trailblazer</i>
• <i>Tribulations</i>		
• <i>Ubiquitous</i>	<i>Unbeknownst</i>	<i>Unprecedented</i>
• <i>Uphold</i>		
• <i>Vanguard</i>	<i>Vetted</i>	<i>Visionary</i>

Spanish / Cultural Terms Worth Teaching

• <i>Ama de casa</i>	<i>Comadres</i>	<i>Herstory</i>
• <i>Indígena</i>	<i>La lucha</i>	<i>Lengua</i>
• <i>Mestizaje</i>	<i>Pueblo</i>	<i>Renganchista</i>
• <i>Sitio</i>	<i>Testimonio</i>	<i>Virgen de Guadalupe</i>

Vocabulary Recommendation

*A focused list of **high-value words** from the introduction would likely be:*

• <i>Countercultural</i>	<i>Empowerment</i>	<i>Hierarchy</i>
• <i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Intergenerational</i>	<i>Intersectional</i>
• <i>Mobilized</i>	<i>Patriarchal</i>	<i>Praxis</i>
• <i>Racialization</i>	<i>Rectified</i>	<i>Resilience</i>
• <i>Resourceful</i>	<i>Systemic</i>	<i>Testimonio</i>