Black History Film Series 2020

**Back to Natural**

A Documentary film
Thursday, Feb. 13

Back to Natural reveals the shocking truth about hair, politics, and racial identity in black communities and beyond. It is a powerful call for healing that takes a grassroots approach to exploring the globalized policing of natural black hair. This documentary explores universal aspects of the Black Experience and the "New Natural Hair Movement." Join us on this journey of enlightenment while celebrating our history and natural styles that are taking the world by storm.

**College Behind Bars**

Thursday, Feb. 27

College Behind Bars tells the story of a small group of incarcerated men and women struggling to earn college degrees and turn their lives around in one of the most rigorous and effective prison education programs in the United States – the Bard Prison Initiative. The film takes viewers on an intimate journey into one of the most pressing issues of our time – our failure to provide meaningful rehabilitation for the over two million Americans living behind bars.

Register at:
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Each screening will be followed by a discussion on the theme of the documentary. These FREE events will take place at Shanker Hall, 52 Broadway from 4:30 to 7 p.m.