

THE BOOK THIEF Markus Zusak

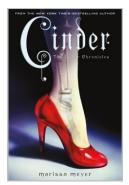
Trying to make sense of the horrors of World War II, Death relates the story of Liesel--a young German girl whose book-stealing and story-telling talents help sustain her family and the Jewish man they are hiding.





RUNNING DREAM Wendelin Van Draanen

When a school bus accident leaves sixteen-year-old Jessica an amputee, she returns to school with a prosthetic limb and her track team finds a wonderful way to help rekindle her dream of running again. YA PB VAN



CINDERMarissa Meyer

As plague ravages the overcrowded Earth, observed by a ruthless lunar people, Cinder, a gifted mechanic and cyborg, becomes involved with handsome Prince Kai and must uncover secrets about her past in order to protect the world in this futuristic take on the Cinderella story.

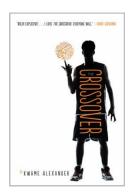
YA PB MEY



SCYTHE Neal Shusterman

In a world where disease has been eliminated, the only way to die is to be randomly killed ('gleaned') by professional reapers ('scythes'). Two teens must compete with each other to become a scythe--a position neither of them wants. The one who becomes a scythe must kill the one who doesn't.

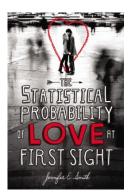
YA PB SHU



THE CROSSOVER Kwame Alexander

Fourteen-year-old twins, Josh and Jordan must come to grips with growing up on and off the court as their father ignores his declining health. Breaking the rules comes with a terrible price as their story's heart-stopping climax proves a game-changer for the entire family.

YA PB ALEXANDER



STATISTICAL PROBABILITY OF LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT Jennifer E. Smith

Hadley and Oliver fall in love on the flight from New York to London, but after a cinematic kiss they lose track of each other at the airport until fate brings them back together on a very momentous day.

YA PB SMITH



FALSE PRINCE Jennifer Nielsen

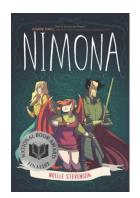
Sage is an orphan in the kingdom, until a nobleman chooses him to be part of a devious plan. With the kingdom on the brink of war, he needs something to unite the people. By turning the boy into the lost son of the king, the nobleman hopes to use him as a way to avert war. But Sage begins to suspect the plan is something else entirely.

YA PB NIE



WELL, THAT WAS AWKWARD Rachel Vail

Setting aside her crush on a boy who prefers her best friend, Gracie plays Cyrano de Bergerac to help her friend write clever texts to the boy, whose equally witty replies suggest that he may be getting assistance with his own romantic communiques. JUV FICTION VAIL, R.



NIMONA Noelle Stevenson

Nimona is a shapeshifter with a knack for villainy. Blackheart is a villain with a vendetta. As sidekick and supervillain, Nimona and Blackheart are about to wreak some serious havoc. Their mission: prove to the kingdom that Goldenloin and his buddies aren't the heroes everyone thinks they are.

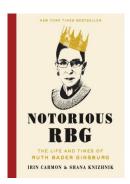
YA GRAPHIC STE



GOLDIE VANCE Faith Erin Hicks

When in-house detective Charlie comes up against a case he can't crack, he calls upon sixteen-year-old Goldie, who uses her skills, smarts, and connections to solve the case.

YA GRAPHIC LAR



NOTORIOUS RBG

Irin Carmon

An intimate and unprecedented look at the Justice and how she changed the world. From Ginsburg's refusal to let the slammed doors of sexism stop her to her innovative legal work, from her before its time marriage to her perch on the nation's highest court, with the fierce dissents to match, get to know RBG as never before.

YA BIO GINSBERG, R.



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John David Anderson

When cell phones are banned at their school, Frost and his friends start communicating through sticky notes left all over the school before other kids start following their example, triggering a wave of bullying activities in the wake of a new girl's arrival.

JUV FICTION ANDERSON



I AM NUMBER FOUR

Pittacus Lore

In rural Ohio, friendships and a beautiful girl prove distracting to a fifteen-year-old who has hidden on Earth for ten years waiting to develop the Legacies, or powers, he will need to rejoin the other six surviving Garde members and fight the Mogadorians who destroyed their planet, Lorien.

YA PB LOR



PITTACUS

I AM PRINCESS X Cherie Priest

Best friends Libby Deaton and May Harper invented Princess X when they were in fifth grade, but when the car Libby is in goes off a bridge, she is presumed dead, and the story came to an end--except now, three years later, Princess X is suddenly everywhere, with a whole underground culture focused on a webcomic, and May believes her friend must be alive.

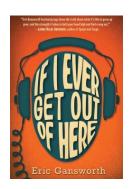
YA FICTION PRIEST, C.



THE PRISONER OF CELL 25 Richard Paul Evans

Michael Vey, a fourteen-year old who has Tourette's syndrome and special electric powers, finds there are others like him, and must rely on his powers to save himself and the others from a diabolical group seeking to control them.

YA PB EVA



IF I EVER GET OUT OF HERE Eric L. Gansworth

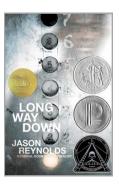
Seventh-grader Lewis "Shoe"
Blake from the Tuscarora
Reservation has a new friend,
George Haddonfield from the local
Air Force base, but in 1975 upstate
New York there is a lot of tension
and hatred between Native
Americans and whites--and Lewis is
not sure that he can rely on
friendship.

YA FICTION GANSWORTH, E.



IN REAL LIFE Cory Doctorow

Immersing herself in an online role -playing game where she enjoys fantasy heroics, Anda confronts a difficult choice when she befriends a disadvantaged Chinese kid who works illegally to collect valuable objects and sell them to other players for real money. YA GRAPHIC DOC



LONG WAY DOWN Jason Reynolds

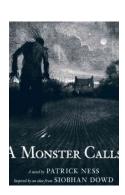
As Will, fifteen, sets out to avenge his brother Shawn's fatal shooting, seven ghosts who knew Shawn board the elevator and reveal truths Will needs to know.

YA FICTION REYNOLDS



LEGEND Marie Lu

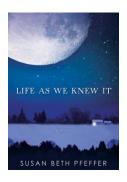
In a dark future, when North America has split into two warring nations, fifteen-year-old Day--a famous criminal, and prodigy June --the brilliant soldier hired to capture him, discover that they have a common enemy. YA PB LU



A MONSTER CALLS Patrick Ness

Thirteen-year-old Conor awakens one night to find a monster outside his bedroom window, but not the one from the recurring nightmare that began when his mother became ill--an ancient, wild creature that wants him to face truth and loss.

YA PB NESS



LIFE AS WE KNEW IT Susan Beth Pfeffer

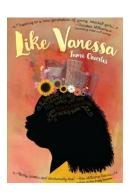
Miranda's disbelief turns to fear the second the meteor knocks the moon closer to the earth. Through journal entries, Miranda describes her family's struggle to survive after the hit, which causes worldwide tsunamis, earthquakes, volcanic eruptions, and widespread violence. YA FICTION PFEFFER, S.



NAME OF THE STAR Maureen Johnson

Rory, of Boueuxlieu, Louisiana, is spending a year at a London boarding school when she witnesses a murder by a Jack the Ripper copycat and becomes involved with the very unusual investigation.

YA FICTION JOHNSON, M.



LIKE VANESSA Tami Charles

It is 1983 and Vanessa Martin, a thirteen-year-old African American girl in Newark's public housing, dreams of following in the footsteps of the first black Miss America, Vanessa Williams. JUV FICTION CHARLES, T.



NAVIGATING EARLY Claire Vanderpool

Seventeen-year-old Cassie, who has a natural ability to read people, joins an elite group of criminal profilers at the FBI in order to help solve cold case.

JUV FICTION VANDERPOOL