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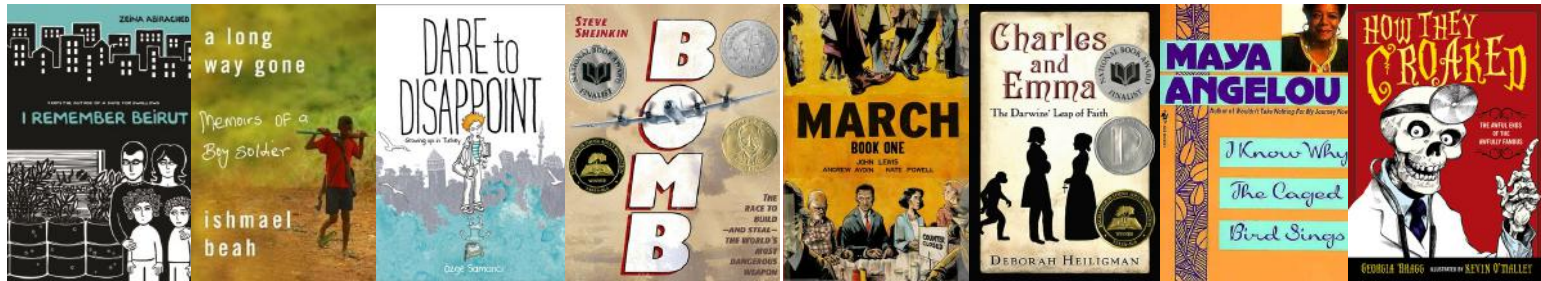
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GRAPHIC NOVELS

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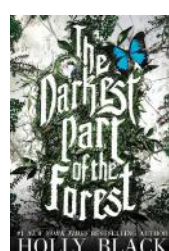
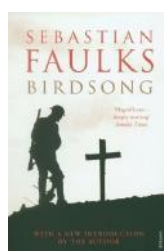
Graphic Novels

- All Summer Long, by Hope Larson
- American Born Chinese, by Gene Luen Yang
- Archie: Vol 1, by Mark Waid
- Astronaut Academy: Zero Gravity, by Dave Roman
- Boxers and Saints, by Gene Luen Yang
- Dare to Disappoint, by Ozge Samanci
- Friends with Boys, by Faith Erin Hicks
- The Graveyard Book: The Graphic Novel, by Neil Gaiman
- Hey Kiddo, by Jarret Krosoczka
- The Invisible Man: The Graphic Novel, by HG Wells
- I Remember Beirut, by Zeina Abirached
- In Real Life, by Cory Doctorow
- Just So Happens, by Fumio Obata
- March: Books 1, 2, 3, by John Lewis
- Making Friends, by Kristen Gudsruk
- Ms Marvel, by Willow Wilson
- The Other Side of the Wall, by Simon Schwartz
- This One Summer, by Mariko Tamaki
- Username: Evie, by Joe Sugg
- Will & Whit, by Laura Lee Gulledge

Non-Fiction

- Bomb: The Race to Build - and Steal - The World's Most Dangerous Weapon, by Steve Sheinkin
- The Boy in the Wooden Box: How the Impossible Became Possible - on Schindler's List, by Leon Leyson
- Brave New World, by Aldous Huxley
- Charles and Emma: The Darwin's Leap of Faith, by Deborah Heiligman
- Cornered: 14 Stories of Bullying and Defiance, by Rhoda Belleza
- Electric War: Edison, Tesla, Westinghouse, and the Race to Light the World, by Mike Winchell
- How They Croaked: The Awful Ends of the Awfully Famous, by Georgia Bragg
- A Long Way Gone: Memoirs of a Boy Soldier, by Ishmael Bae
- I Know Why the Caged Birds Sing, by Maya Angelou
- Most Dangerous: Daniel Ellsberg and the Secret History of the Vietnam War, by Steve Sheinkin
- Notes from a Small Island, by Bill Bryson
- The Last Train to Zona Verde: My Ultimate African Safari, by Paul Theroux

MIDDLE GRADE FICTION



13 Little Blue Envelopes, by Maureen Johnson (YA)
The Alchemist War, by John Seven (MY)
All Fall Down, by Ally Carter (YA)
American Royals, by Katharine McGee
Ashes, by Laurie Halse Anderson (MY)
The Astonishing Color of After, by Emily Pan
Batman: Nightwalker, by Marie Lu
Birdsong, by Sebastian Faulks (YA)
Blackbird Fly, by Erin Entrada Kelly (MY)
The Book Thief, by Markus Zusak (MY)
Bounce, by Megan Shull (MY)
The Chocolate War, by Robert Cormier (MY)
A Christmas Carol, by Charles Dickens (MY)
Code of Honor, by Alan Gratz (YA)
The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time, by Mark Haddon (YA)
A Curse So Dark and Lonely, by Brigid Kemmerer
The Darkest Part of the Forest, by Holly Black (YA)
Death on the Nile, by Agatha Christie
Delirium, by Lauren Oliver (YA)
The Diamond of Drury Lane, by Julia Golding (MY)
Dry, by Neal Shusterman
Dodger, by Terry Pratchett (MY)

Echo, by Pam Munoz Ryan (MY)
Five Feet Apart, by Rachael Lipincott
Finding Violet Park, by Jenny Valentine (MY)
Geek Girl series, by Holly Smale (MY)
The Giver, by Lois Lowry (MY)
Gone series, by Michael Grant (YA)
The Harry Potter series, by J.K. Rowling (MY)
Here Lies Arthur, by Philip Reeve (MY)
The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy, by Douglas Adams (YA)
The Hobbit, by J.R.R. Tolkien (YA)
The Hound of the Baskervilles, by Arthur Conan Doyle (MY)
How I Live Now, by Meg Rosoff (YA)
The Hunger Games series, by Suzanne Collins (YA)
Hush, Hush, by Becca Fitzpatrick
I Am Number Four (Lorien Legacies series), by Pittacus Lore (MY)
The Lies They Tell, by Gillian French (YA)
Lord of the Flies, by William Golding (MY)
Marcelo in the Real World, by Francisco Stork (YA)
Mosquitoland, by David Arnold (YA)
Murder on the Orient Express, by Agatha Christie (YA)

MIDDLE GRADE FICTION

Noughts and Crosses, by Malorie Blackman (MY)
Of Mice and Men, by John Steinbeck (MY)
The Other Side of Truth, by Beverley Naidoo (MY)
Piecing Me Together, by Renée Watson
Private Peaceful, by Michael Morpurgo (YA)
Rebecca, by Daphne Du Maurier (YA)
The Scorpio Races, by Maggie Stiefwater (YA)
The Serpent King, by Jeff Zentner (YA)
Shadow and Bone, by Leigh Bardugo (YA)
The Shell House, by Linda Newberry (YA)
The Skin I'm In, by Sharon Flake (MY)
Speak, by Laurie Halse Anderson (YA)
The Start of Me and You, by Emery Lord (YA)
The Summer I Turned Pretty, by Jenny Han (YA)
The Sun is Also a Star, by Nicola Yoon (YA)
The Tales of Beedle the Bard, by J.K. Rowling
Teacher's Dead, by Benjamin Zephaniah (MY)
The Time Riders series, by Alex Scarrow (YA)
Tomorrow When the War Began, by John Marsden
Trash, by Andy Mulligan
To All the Boys I've Loved Before, by Jenny Han (YA)
Trapped, by Michael Northop
The Unlikely Hero of Room 13B, by Teresa Toten (YA)
The Wall, by William Sutcliffe
The Walls Around Us, by Nova Ren Suma (YA)
Where I Belong, by Gillian Cross (MY)
X: A Novel, by Ilyasah Shabazz (MY)

