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Library Media Center (LMC) Hours

Monday - Friday

7:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Library Media Specialist (LMS)

Mrs. Richard

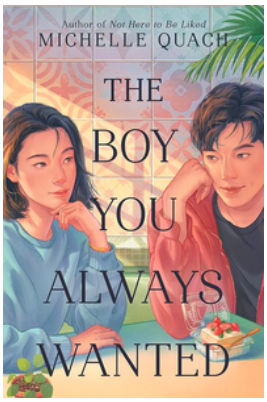
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*"Veterans Day is the day set aside to thank and honor **ALL** those who served honorably in the military - in wartime or peacetime. In fact, Veterans Day is largely intended to thank **LIVING** veterans for their service, to acknowledge that their contributions to our national security are appreciated, and to underscore the fact that all those who served - not only those who died - have sacrificed and done their duty."*

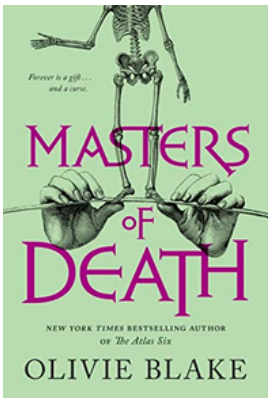
For more information on Veterans Day, which is celebrated on November 11th, please check out this link below:

https://www.va.gov/opa/vetsday/vetday_faq.asp

New arrivals in the LMC!



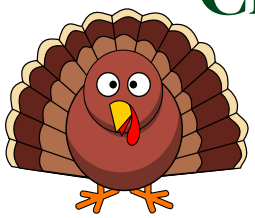












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Technology Tip

Need journal articles or peer-reviewed sources for your next writing assignment? Try Google Scholar! "Google Scholar is a freely accessible web search engine that locates scholarly literature across an array of publishing formats and disciplines" Check it out at https://scholar.google.com/

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Password Reset

- Students can be sent to the LMC with a pass for PowerSchool password reset if needed

Lamination Requests

- Lamination services are provided by the LMS - just bring your item to the library and service will be provided promptly

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Author Spotlight Neil Gaiman

The author of the month for November is Neil Gaiman. Gaiman was born in Hampshire, England on November 10, 1960. He always had a love for reading as a child and spent most of his time at libraries. After graduating from Whitgift School in Croydon, England, he worked as a freelance journalist. In 1987 Gaiman's first book was released which was a biography on the music group, Duran Duran. His second biography was on Douglas Adams. This was followed by a graphic novel, *Black Orchid*, which was published by DC Comics. Gaiman's groundbreaking series, *Sandman*, was the first comic ever to receive a literary award.

Gaiman is one of those unique writers who is able to cross over to many other genres-whether it is prose, poetry, film, journalism, comics, song lyrics, drama, science fiction, or fantasy. He is able to write for all age groups. For example, picture books for the young audience would include such works as *M is for Magic* (2007), *Interworld* (2007), *The Day I Swapped My Dad for Two Goldfish* (1997), *The Wolves in the Walls* (2003), *Crazy Hair* (2009), and *Blueberry Girl* (2009). His acclaimed science fiction book, *Coraline*, has won numerous awards ranging from the British Science Fiction Award to the American Elizabeth Burr/Worzalla Award. In addition to writing for children and Sci-Fi, Gaiman also creates books for adults. Some examples of his more mature creations include *Nowhere* (1995), *Stardust* (1999), *Hugo and Nebulla* (Award winning), *American Gods* (2001), *Anasi* (2005), and *Good Omens* (1990).

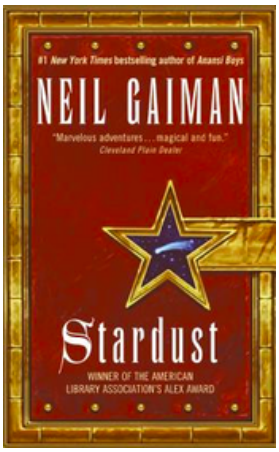
Gaiman has also written and directed two films: A Short Film About John Bolton (2002), and Sky Television's Statuesque (2009). Among his many literary accomplishments is, *The Graveyard Book*(2008), in which he became the first author to win the prized Newbery Medal and the Carnegie Medal. Neil Gaiman currently lives in Menomonie, Wisconsin, and continues to write. A new picture book is soon to be released at the end of October 2023.



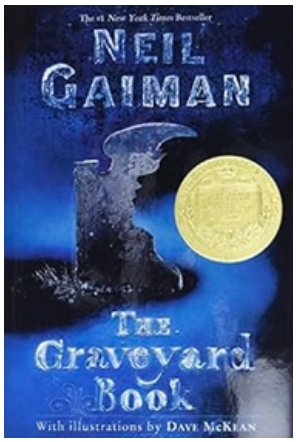
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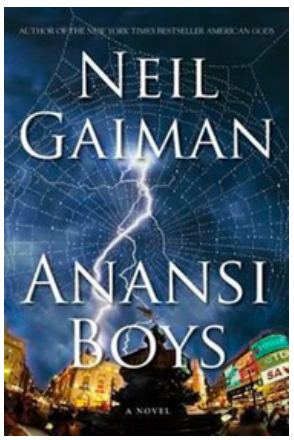
Neil Gaiman books listed at Crosby LMC:











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November Highlights

If you are a History fan then you might want to explore Historical Fiction Books! Here is a listing of those books that you might enjoy!

