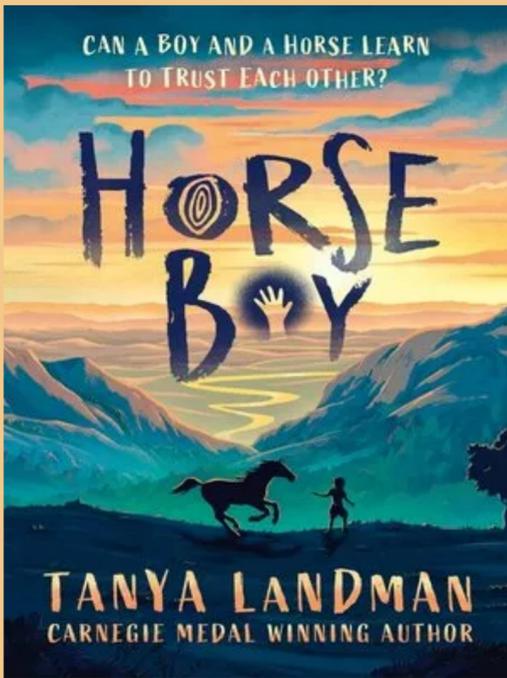
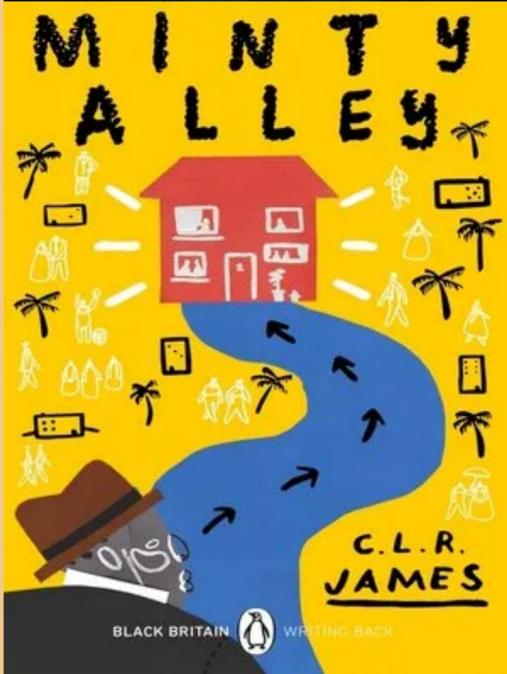
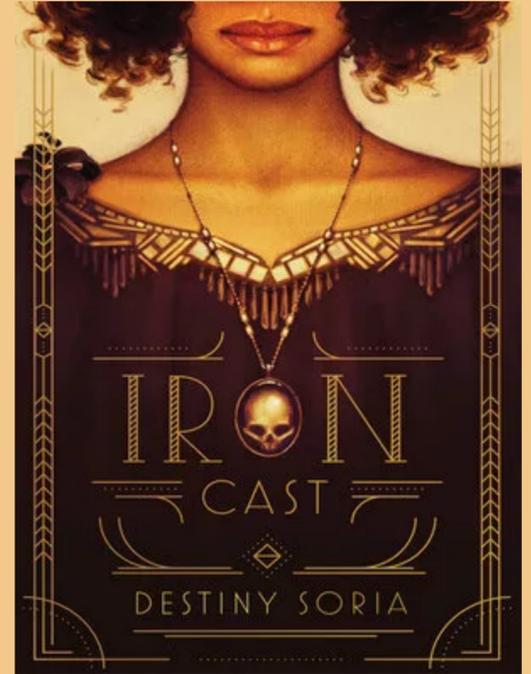


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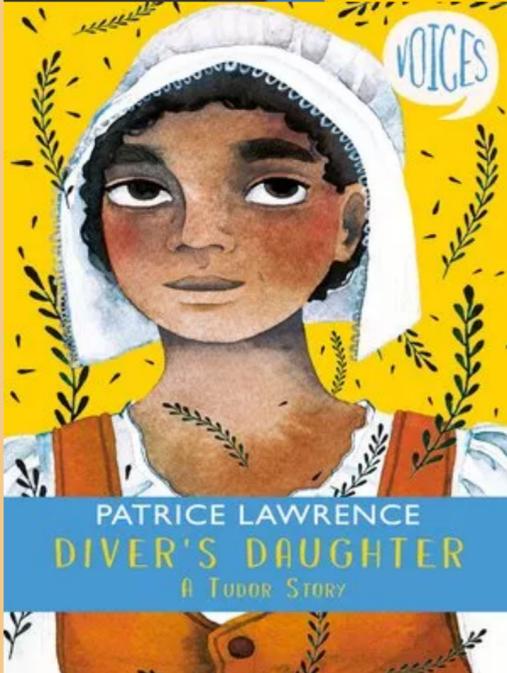
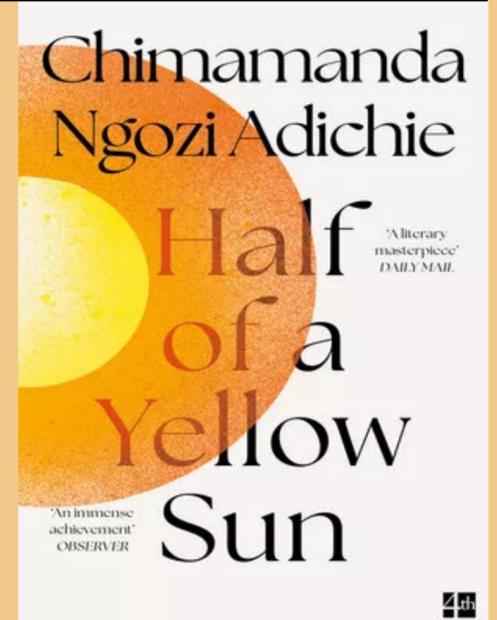
Horse Boy by Tanya Landman – Set in 18th-century England, this novel follows a young boy's journey through a world of horses, hardship, and adventure during a time when social class and personal survival were closely tied.

The Iron Cast by Destiny Soria – Set in 1919 Boston, this historical fantasy explores the lives of young women with magical abilities during the Jazz Age and post-World War I era.



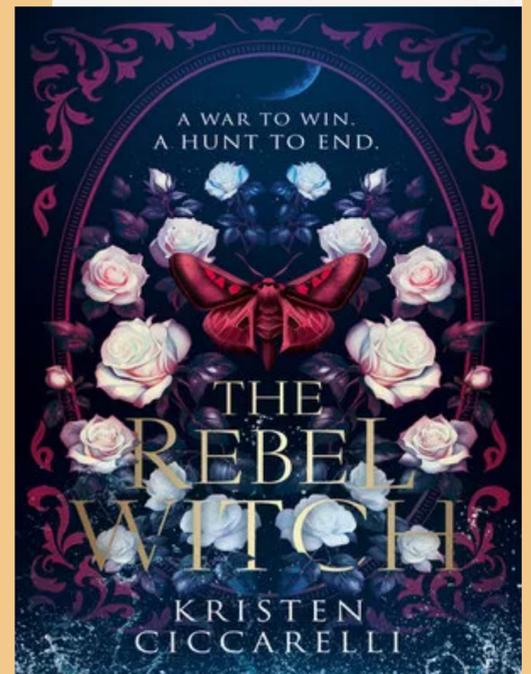
Minty Alley by C.L.R. James – Set in early 20th-century Trinidad, this novel paints a vivid picture of colonial life and the struggles of the working class in a rapidly changing society.

Half of a Yellow Sun by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie – Set during the Nigerian Civil War (1967-1970), this novel explores the impact of the conflict on the lives of various characters in Nigeria.



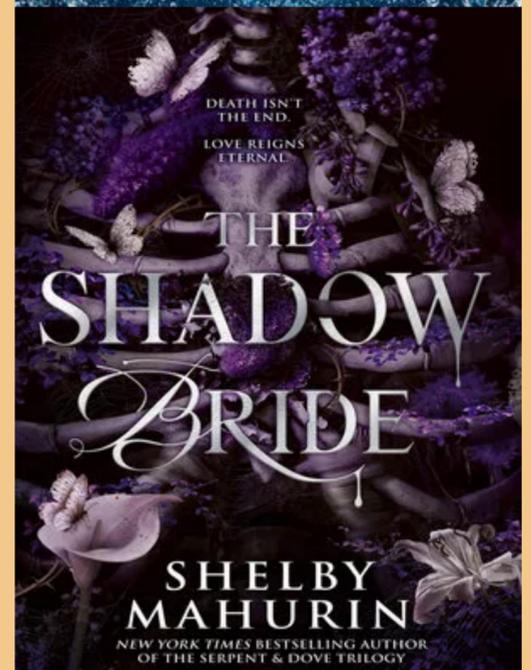
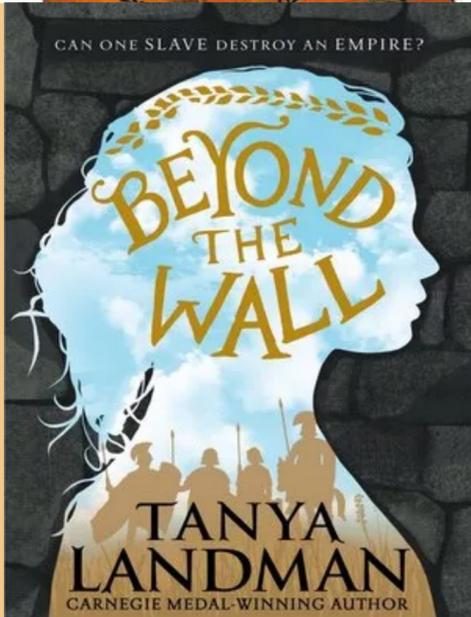
The Diver's Daughter by Patrice Lawrence – Set in 16th-century England, this historical novel focuses on the challenges faced by a young girl of African descent during the reign of Queen Elizabeth I.

The Rebel Witch by Kristen Ciccarelli – Set in a fictional world inspired by medieval Europe, this novel takes place in a time of political intrigue, magic, and witchcraft.



Beyond the Wall by Tanya Landman – Set in Roman Britain, this story unfolds during the Roman occupation of Britain and the conflicts between the occupying forces and local tribes.

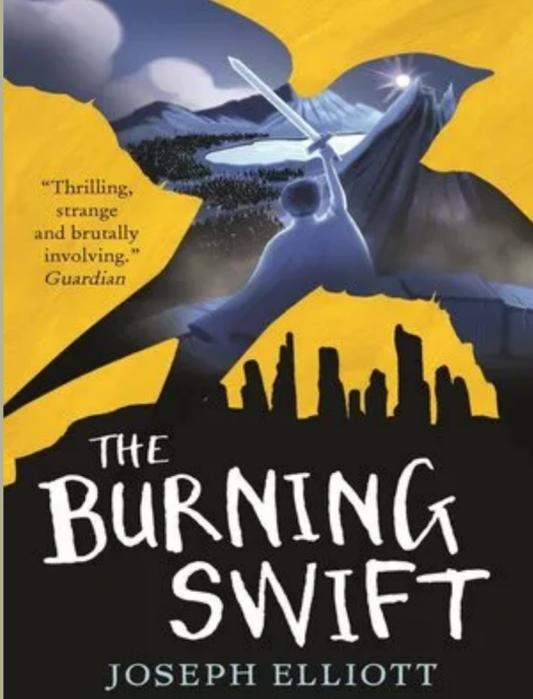
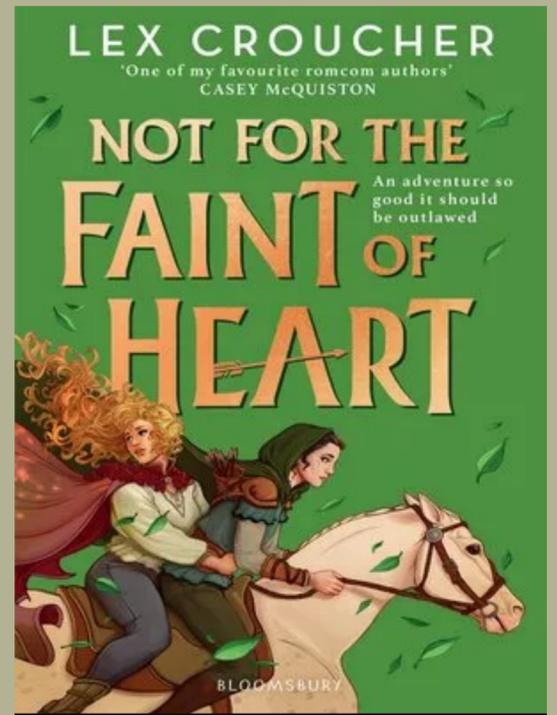
The Shadow Bride by Shelby Mahurin – Set in a world inspired by 17th-century Europe, this historical fantasy weaves together themes of magic, power, and political intrigue during a time of shifting dynasties and supernatural turmoil.





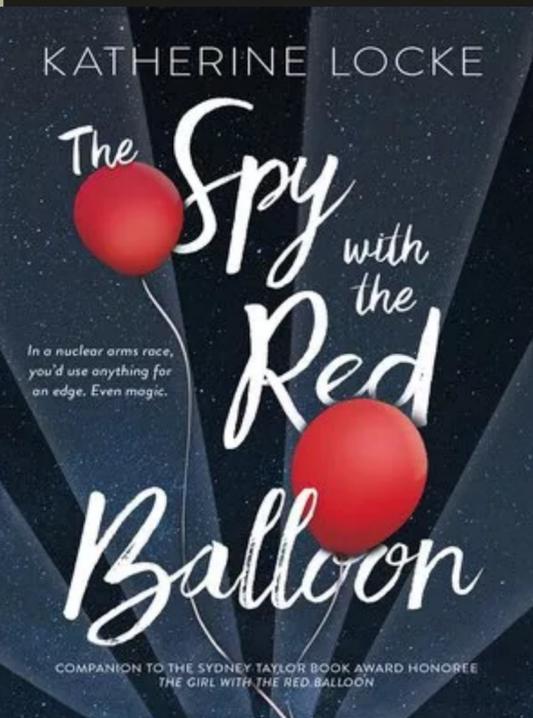
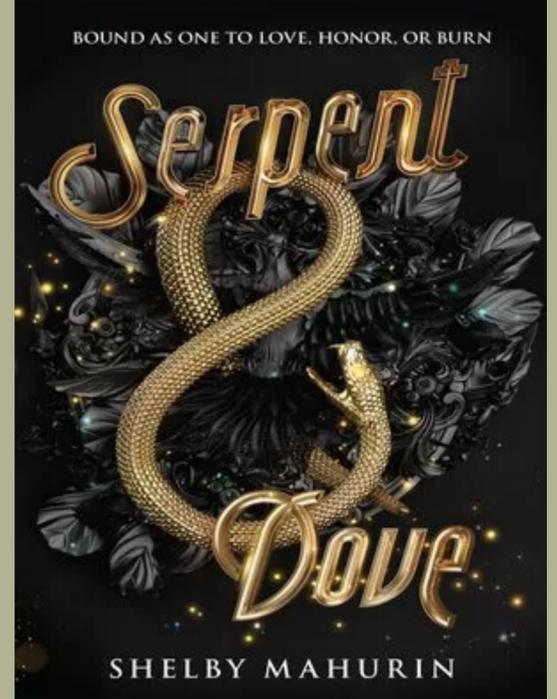
This Rebel Heart by Katherine Locke - In 1950s Prague, a Jewish girl with magical abilities becomes entangled in resistance efforts against Soviet oppression.

Not for the Faint of Heart by Lex Croucher A queer retelling of Robin Hood, blending romance and rebellion as Mariel and Clem challenge historical narratives in Sherwood.



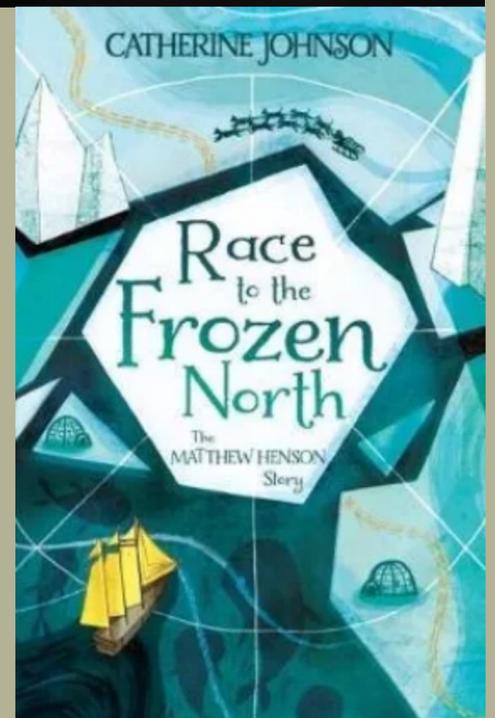
The Burning Swift by Joseph Elliott - A gripping fantasy where elemental powers clash, prophecies unfold, and destinies intertwine in a world on the brink.

Serpent & Dove by Shelby Mahurin - A witch and a witch hunter are forced into marriage, navigating love, betrayal, and magic in a divided world.

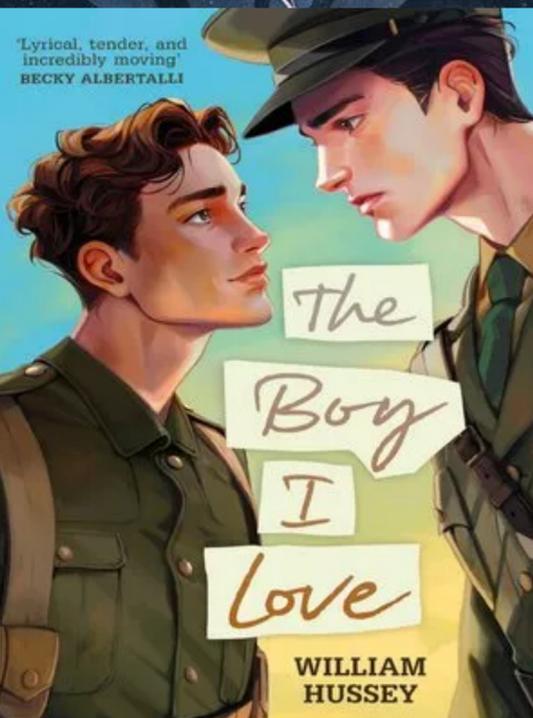


The Spy with the Red Balloon by Katherine Locke - During WWII, siblings with magical blood navigate espionage and moral dilemmas, questioning loyalty and identity in a divided world.

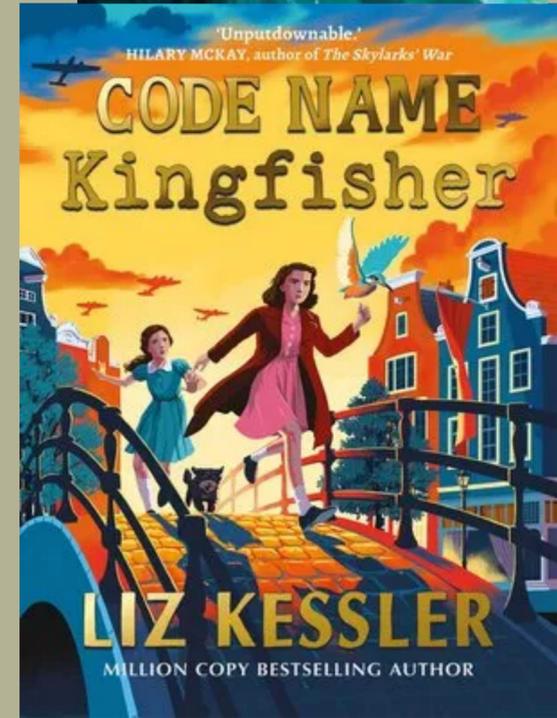
Matthew Henson's Race to the Frozen North tells of his Arctic journey, overcoming racism and hardship to reach the North Pole in 1909.

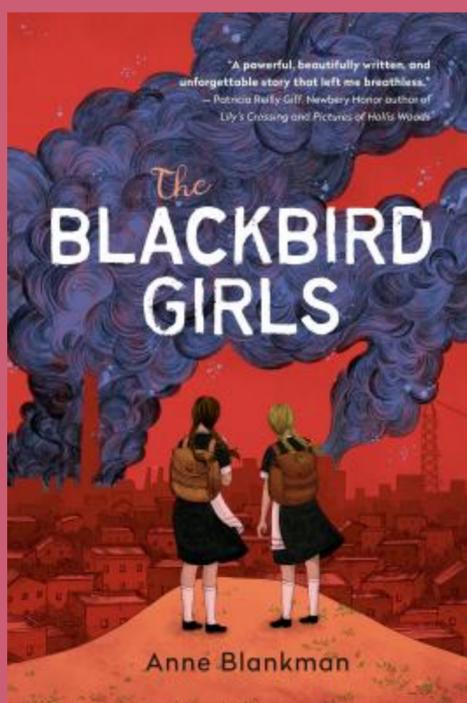


The Boy I Love by William Hussey - A heartfelt exploration of first love, identity, and acceptance as a teenager navigates the complexities of his feelings.



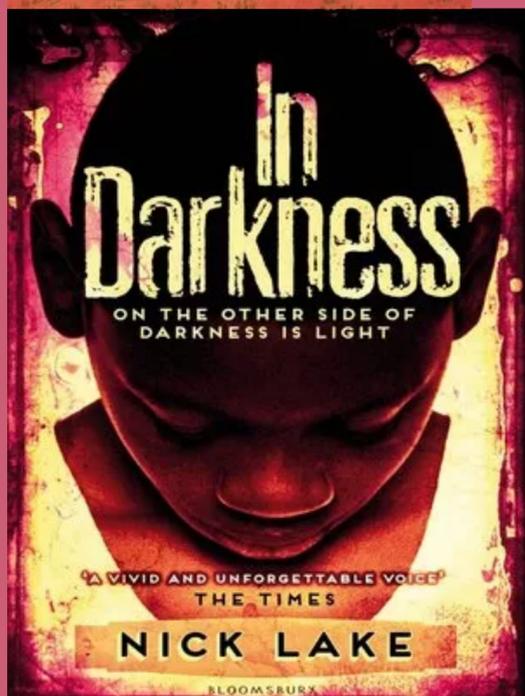
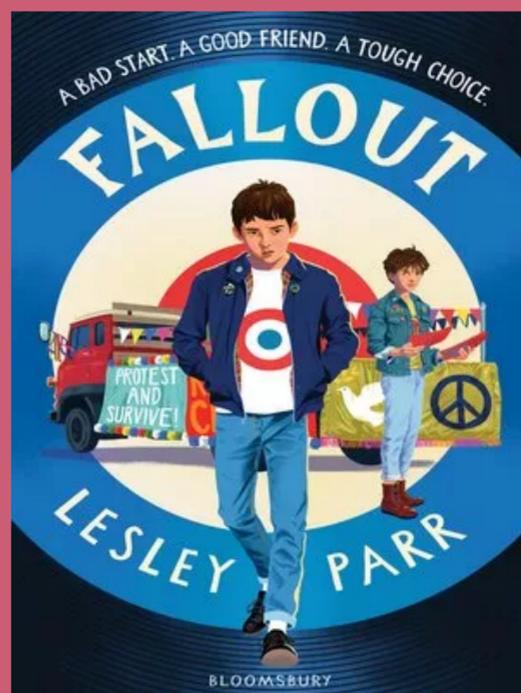
Code Name Kingfisher by Liz Kessler - Liv uncovers her grandmother's WWII past, revealing tales of resistance, bravery, and the enduring bonds of family.





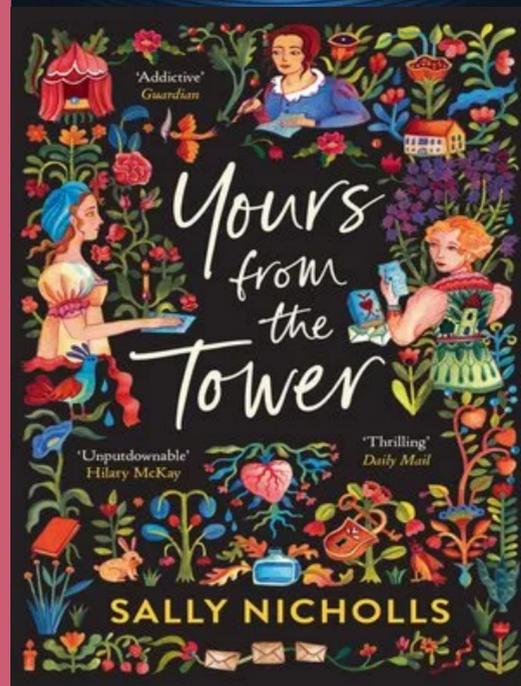
The Blackbird Girls by Anne Blankman - On a spring morning in 1986, neighbors Valentina Kaplan and Oksana Savchenko wake up to an angry red sky. A reactor at the nuclear power plant where their fathers work--Chernobyl--has exploded.

Fallout by Lesley Parr - Set in post-WWII Britain, a group of children confronts secrets, friendships, and the shadows of war's aftermath.



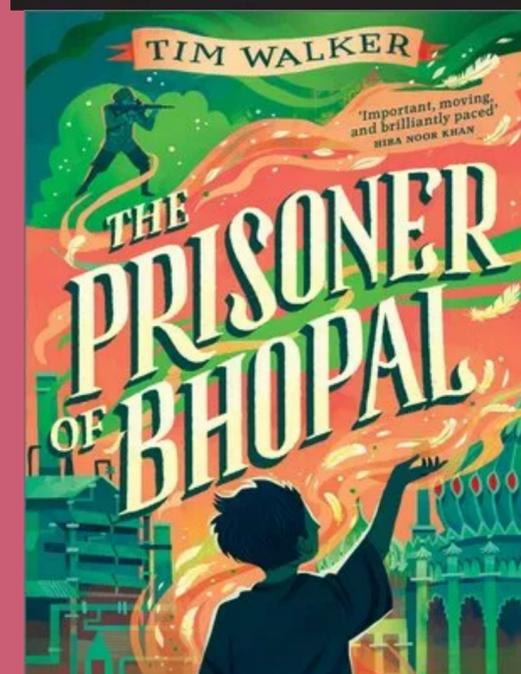
In Darkness by Nick Lake - this book follows Shorty, a Haitian boy trapped after the 2010 earthquake, as he finds strength through Toussaint Louverture's story.

Yours from the Tower by Sally Nicholls - A poignant tale of a young girl's correspondence with a prisoner in the Tower of London during the 16th century.



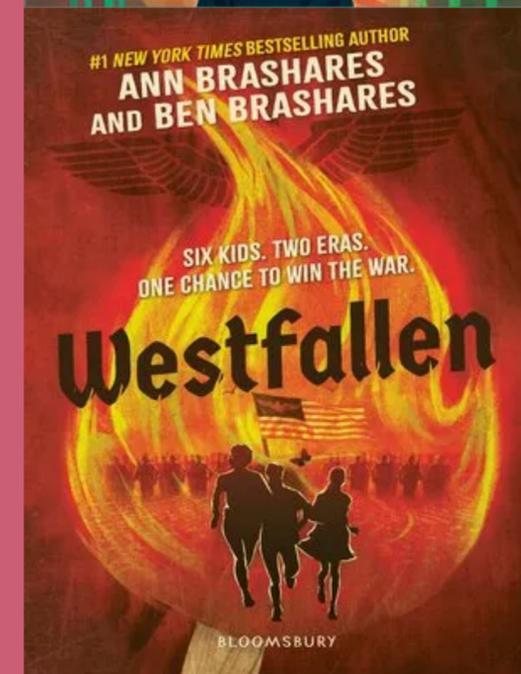
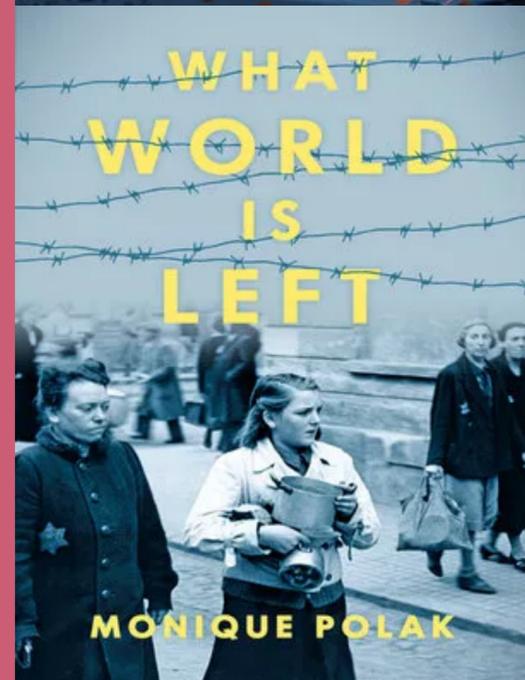
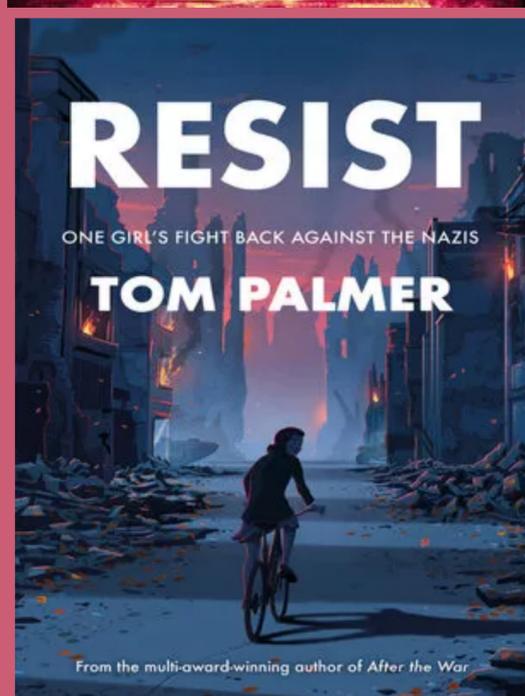
Resist by Tom Palmer - A gripping narrative of youth resistance during WWII, highlighting courage, friendship, and the fight against oppression.

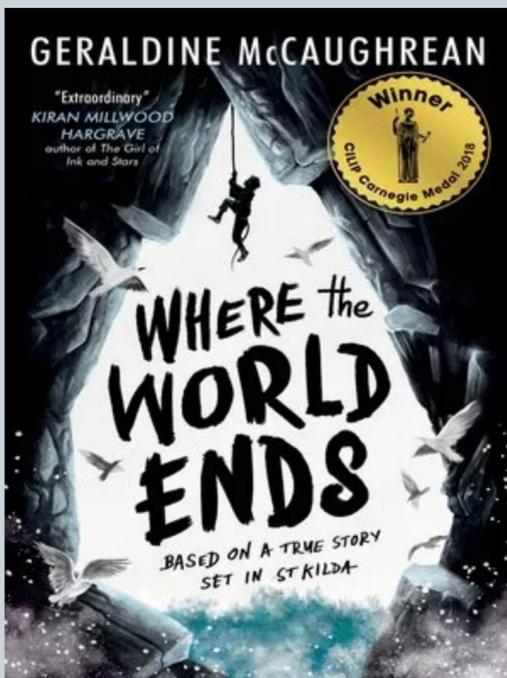
The Prisoner of Bhopal by Tim Walker - A harrowing account of survival and resilience following the 1984 Bhopal gas disaster, focusing on human rights and justice.



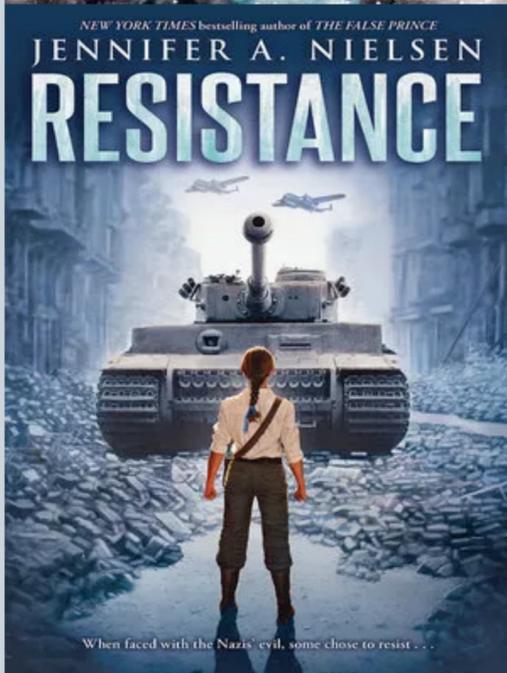
What World Is Left by Monique Polak - Through the eyes of a young girl, this novel explores the Holocaust's impact on family, identity, and survival.

Westfallen by Ann Brashares - In a dystopian future, a group of teens navigates love, loss, and rebellion in a divided and controlled society.

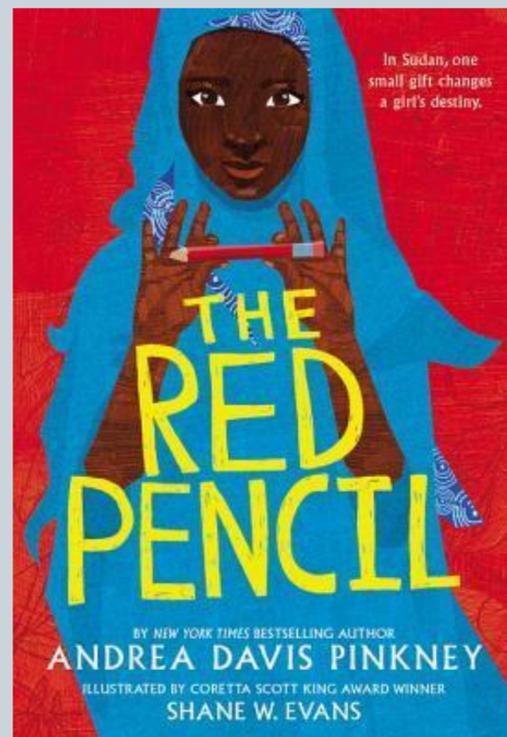




Where the World Ends by Geraldine McCaughrean follows stranded boys on a sea stac, facing survival, isolation, and despair in 18th century Scotland.



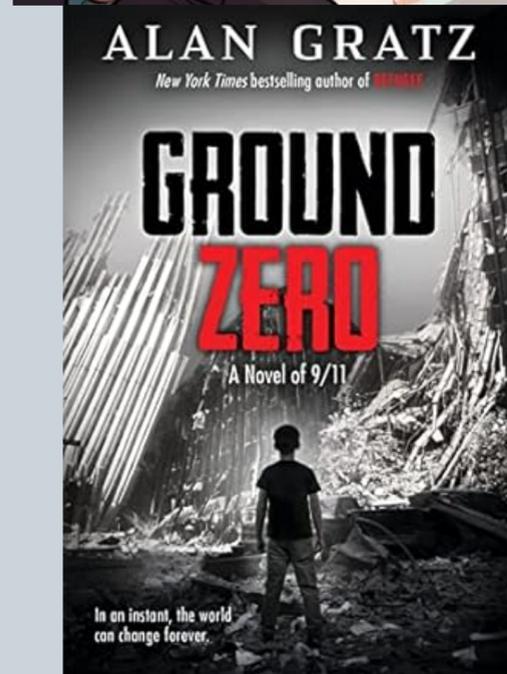
The Red Pencil by Andrea Davis Pinkney - The Red Pencil follows Amira, a Sudanese girl, as she overcomes war, displacement, and loss through the power of writing.



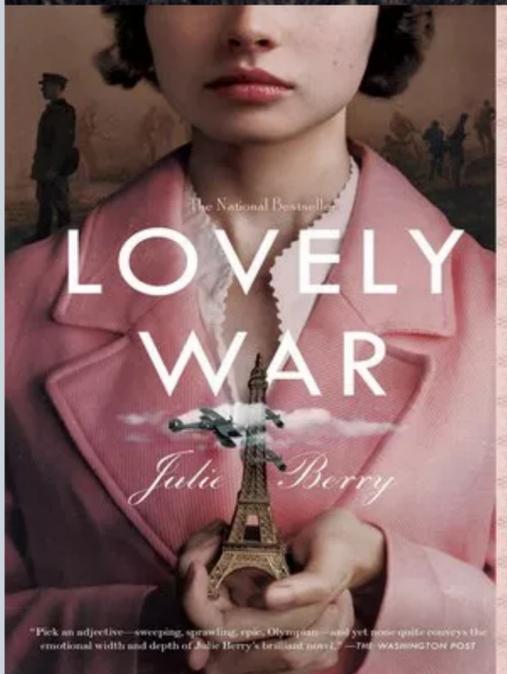
Resistance by Jennifer Nielsen - A tale of bravery and defiance as a young girl becomes a spy in Nazi-occupied France during WWII.



Displacement by Kiku Hughes - A graphic novel exploring the Japanese-American internment during WWII, blending historical events with personal discovery and identity.

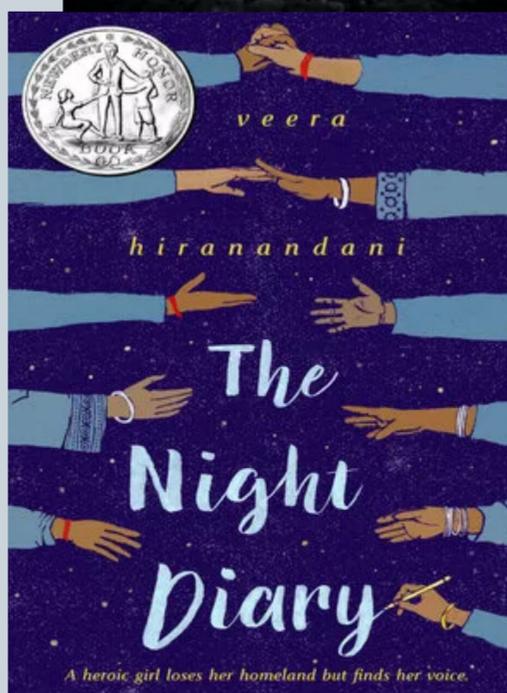


Projekt 1065 by Alan Gratz - A young German boy becomes a spy for the Allies during WWII, navigating danger and moral dilemmas.



Ground Zero by Alan Gratz - A dual narrative follows two children during 9/11, highlighting the day's impact on their lives and the world.

Lovely War by Julie Berry - Gods narrate intertwined love stories set during WWI and WWII, exploring themes of love, loss, and destiny.



The Night Diary by Veera Hiranandani - A young girl's diary entries illuminate the partition of India in 1947, capturing personal and historical upheaval.



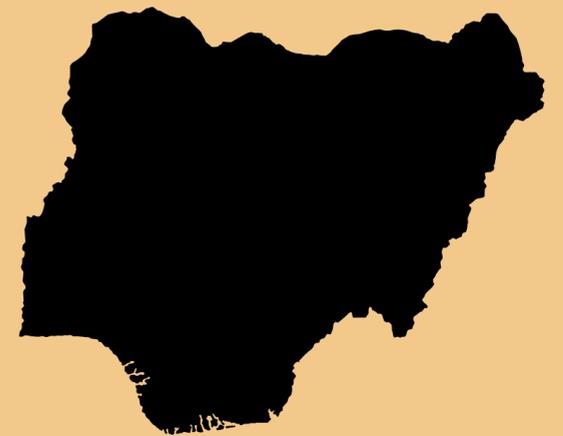
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