

Psst...

Like the movie?

The book was better



Speak

By Laurie Halse Anderson

YA ANDERSON

A traumatic event near the end of the summer has a devastating effect on Melinda's freshman year in high school.

The Perks of Being a Wallflower

By Stephen Chbosky

YA CHBOSKY

A high school freshman, always watching from the sidelines, is taken under the wings of two seniors who welcome him to the real world.

City of Bones

By Cassandra Clare

YA CLARE

Suddenly able to see demons and the Darkhunters who are dedicated to returning them to their own dimension, fifteen-year-old Clary Fray is drawn into this bizarre world when her mother disappears and Clary herself is almost killed by a monster.

Nick & Norah's Infinite Playlist

By Rachel Cohn & David Levithan

YA COHN

High school student Nick O'Leary, member of a rock band, meets college-bound Norah Silverberg and asks her to be his girlfriend for five minutes in order to avoid his ex-sweetheart.

The Hunger Games

By Suzanne Collins

YA COLLINS

In a future North America, where the rulers of Panem maintain control through an annual televised survival competition pitting young people from each of the twelve districts against one another, sixteen-year-old Katniss's skills are put to the test when she voluntarily takes her younger sister's place.

The Maze Runner

By James Dashner

YA DASHNER

Sixteen-year-old Thomas wakes up with no memory in the middle of a maze and realizes he must work with the community in which he finds himself if he is to escape.

If I Stay

By Gayle Forman

YA FORMAN

While in a coma following an automobile accident that killed her parents and younger brother, seventeen-year-old Mia, a gifted cellist, weighs whether to live with her grief or join her family in death.

Inkheart

By Cornelia Funke

YA FUNKE

Twelve-year-old Meggie learns that her father, who repairs and binds books for a living, can "read" fictional characters to life when one of those characters abducts them and tries to force him into service.

Beautiful Creatures

By Kami Garcia & Margaret Stohl

YA GARCIA

In a small South Carolina town, where it seems little has changed since the Civil War, sixteen-year-old Ethan is powerfully drawn to Lena, a new classmate with whom he shares a psychic connection and whose family hides a dark secret that may be revealed on her sixteenth birthday.

The Fault in Our Stars

By John Green

YA GREEN

Sixteen-year-old Hazel, a stage IV thyroid cancer patient, has accepted her terminal diagnosis until a chance meeting with a boy at cancer support group forces her to reexamine her perspective on love, loss, and life.

Paper Towns

By John Green

YA GREEN

One month before graduating from his Central Florida high school, Quentin "Q" Jacobsen basks in the predictable boringness of his life until the beautiful and exciting Margo Roth Spiegelman, Q's neighbor and classmate, takes him on a midnight adventure and then mysteriously disappears.

The Outsiders

By S. E. Hinton

YA HINTON

The struggle of three brothers to stay together after their parent's death and their quest for identity among the conflicting values of their adolescent society.

Howl's Moving Castle

By Diana Wynne Jones

YA JONES

Eldest of three sisters in a land where it is considered to be a misfortune, Sophie is resigned to her fate as a hat shop apprentice until a witch turns her into an old woman and she finds herself in the castle of the greatly feared wizard Howl.

The DUFF: Designated Ugly Fat Friend

By Kody Keplinger

YA KEPLINGER

Seventeen-year-old Bianca Piper starts sleeping with Wesley Rush, a notorious womanizer who disgusts her, in order to distract her from her personal problems, and to her surprise, the two of them find they have a lot in common and are able to help each other find more productive ways to deal with their difficulties.

Blood and Chocolate

By Annette Curtis Klause

YA KLAUSE

Having fallen for a human boy, a beautiful teenage werewolf must battle both her packmates and the fear of the townspeople to decide where she belongs and with whom.

I am Number Four

By Pittacus Lore

YA 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.

The Giver

By Lois Lowry

YA LOWRY

Given his lifetime assignment at the Ceremony of Twelve, Jonas becomes the receiver of memories shared by only one other in his community and discovers the terrible truth about the society in which he lives.

Twilight

By Stephenie Meyer

YA MEYER

When seventeen-year-old Bella leaves Phoenix to live with her father in Forks, Washington, she meets an exquisitely handsome boy at school for whom she feels an overwhelming attraction and who she comes to realize is not wholly human.

Scott Pilgrim: Precious Little Life

By Bryan Lee O'Malley

YA GRAPHIC SCOTT Vol 1

Scott Pilgrim's life is fantastic. He's 23 years old, in a rock band, between jobs, and dating a cute high school girl. Everything's awesome until a seriously mind-blowing delivery girl named Ramona Flowers enters his life.

Eragon

By Christopher Paolini

YA PAOLINI

In Aagaesia, a fifteen-year-old boy of unknown lineage called Eragon finds a mysterious stone that weaves his life into an intricate tapestry of destiny, magic, and power, peopled with dragons, elves, and monsters.

The Golden Compass

By Philip Pullman

YA PULLMAN

Accompanied by her daemon, Lyra Belacqua sets out to prevent her best friend and other kidnapped

children from becoming the subject of gruesome experiments in the Far North.

How I Live Now

By Meg Rosoff

YA ROSOFF

To get away from her pregnant stepmother in New York City, fifteen-year-old Daisy goes to England to stay with her aunt and cousins, with whom she instantly bonds, but soon war breaks out and rips apart the family while devastating the land.

Divergent

By Veronica Roth

YA ROTH

In a future Chicago, sixteen-year-old Beatrice Prior must choose among five predetermined factions to define her identity for the rest of her life, a decision made more difficult when she discovers that she is an anomaly who does not fit into any one group, and that the society she lives in is not perfect after all.

Confessions of a Teenage Drama Queen

By Dyan Sheldon

YA SHELDON

In her first year at a suburban New Jersey high school, Mary Elizabeth Cep, who now calls herself "Lola," sets her sights on the lead in the annual drama production, and finds herself in conflict with the most popular girl in school.

The Book Thief

By Markus Zusak

YA 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, as well as their neighbors.