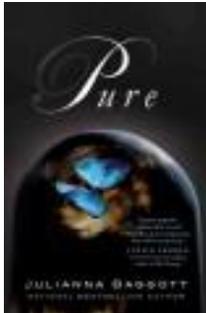


Adult Reads for Teens

These books are in Adult Fiction or Adult Mystery but have teen appeal.

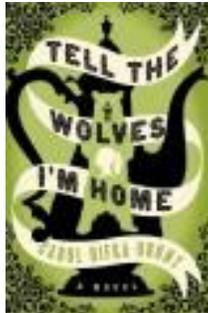


Pure*

F Baggott, J

Science Fiction

In a post-apocalyptic world, Pressia, a sixteen-year-old survivor with a doll's head fused onto her left hand meets Partridge, a "Pure" dome-dweller who is searching for his mother, sure that she has survived the cataclysm.



Tell the Wolves I'm Home

F Brunt, C

Historical

It is 1987, and only one person has ever truly understood fourteen-year-old June, her uncle. June can only be herself in Finn's company. When he dies, June's world is turned upside down. But Finn's death brings a surprise acquaintance into June's life -- someone who will help her to heal.

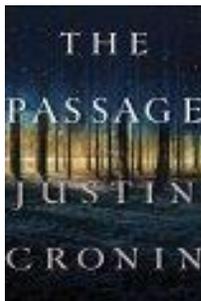


Whistling Past the Graveyard

F Crandall, S

Historical

Determined to get to Nashville to find her mother in 1963, nine-year-old spitfire Starla Claudelle runs away from her strict grandmother's Mississippi home, eventually accepting a ride from Eula, a black woman traveling alone with a white baby.

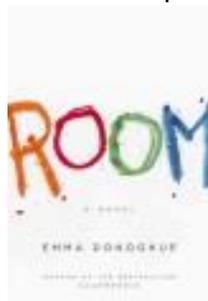


The Passage*

F Cronin, J

Horror

A security breach at a secret U.S. government facility unleashes the monstrous product of a chilling military experiment that only six-year-old orphan Amy Harper Bellafonte can stop.

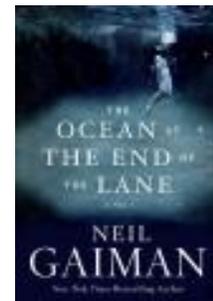


Room

F Donoghue, E

Realistic

Jack's mother was kidnapped seven years earlier when she was 19. They live in a tiny soundproofed cell in a shed in the kidnapper's yard. Ma, proves to be resilient and resourceful--and attempts a nail-biting escape.



The Ocean at the End of the Lane

F Gaiman, N

Fantasy

It began for our narrator forty years ago when the family lodger stole their car and committed suicide in it, stirring up ancient powers best left undisturbed. Dark creatures from beyond the world are on the loose, and it will take everything our narrator has just to

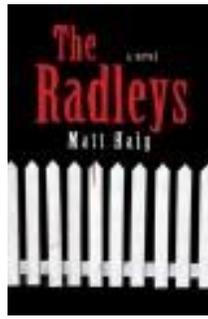


The Magicians*

F Grossman, L

Fantasy

Quentin Coldwater is brilliant but miserable. He's still preoccupied with a series of fantasy novels he read as a child. Imagine his surprise when he finds himself unexpectedly admitted to a secret, college of magic in upstate New York, where he receives an education in sorcery.



The Radleys

F Haig, M

Paranormal

Struggling with overwork and parenting angst, English village doctor Peter Radley endeavors to hide his family's vampire nature until their daughter's oddly satisfying act of violence reveals the truth, an event that is complicated by the arrival of a practicing vampire family member.

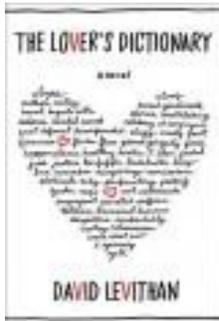


The Spark and the Drive

F Harrison, W

Realistic

Forging a close bond with a talented mechanic he worships, seventeen-year-old Justin is forced to choose between his mentor and the man's wife in the aftermath of a tragedy that compromises the older man's skills.

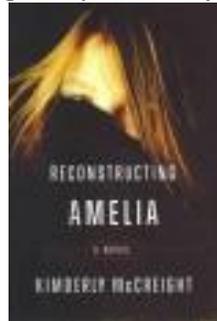


The Lover's Dictionary

F Levithan, D

Romance/Chick Lit

A modern love story told through a series of dictionary-style entries is a sequence of intimate windows into the large and small events that shape the course of a romantic relationship.

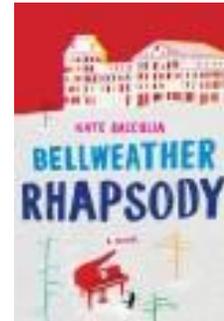


Reconstructing Amelia

M McCreight, K

Mystery

When her high-achieving 15-year-old daughter Amelia supposedly commits suicide after she is caught cheating, litigation lawyer and single mother Kate Baron, leveled by grief, must reconstruct the pieces of Amelia's life to find the truth and vindicate the memory of the daughter whose life she could not save.



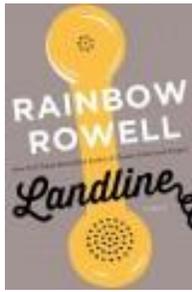
Bellweather Rhapsody

F Racculia, K

Mystery

A young music prodigy goes missing from a hotel room that was the site of an infamous murder-suicide fifteen years earlier, renewing trauma for a bridesmaid who witnessed the first crime and rallying an eccentric cast of characters during a snowstorm that traps everyone on the grounds.

stay alive.



Landline

F Rowell, R

Romance/Chick Lit

Recognizing that her marriage is in deep trouble in spite of her abiding and mutual love for her husband, television writer Georgie excludes herself from a Christmas family visit before discovering a way to reconnect with the man her husband used to be.



Help for the Haunted

F Searles, J

Paranormal

Struggling with the loss of her parents, who helped haunted souls find peace, Sylvie Mason pursues the mystery, moving closer to the truth of what happened that night as she comes to terms with her family's past.

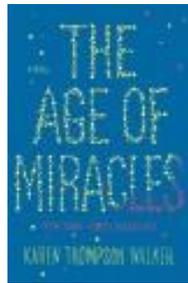


Mr. Penumbra's 24-Hour Bookstore

F Sloan, R

Adventure

After a layoff during the Great Recession sidelines his tech career, Clay Jannon takes a job at the titular bookstore in San Francisco, and soon realizes that the establishment is a facade for a strange secret.



The Age of Miracles

F Walker, K

Science Fiction

Imagines the coming-of-age story of young Julia, whose world is thrown into upheaval when it is discovered that the Earth's rotation has suddenly begun to slow, posing a catastrophic threat to all life.

* Starred books are part of a series!