

# The Assassin's Guide to Babysitting

Parker, Natalie C.

Tru has spent her whole life hiding her Talent: an indestructible body. But when a babysitting job turns deadly, she's forced to run with the baby while uncovering the truth about her parents.

YAF PAR



#### Bittersweet in the Hollow

Pearsall. Kate

When a girl goes missing in her secluded Appalachian town, 17-year-old Linden, who can taste other people's emotions, recovers haunting memories of her own disappearance & explores the legend of the Moth-Wigned Man.

YAF PEA



#### Wilders Girls

Power, Rory

Friends Hetty, Byatt, & Reece go to extremes trying to uncover the dark truth about the mysterious disease that has had them quarantined at their boarding school on a Maine island.

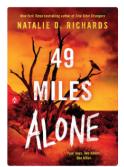
**YAF POW** 



#### Flash Flood

Prendergast, Gabrielle
In this high-interest accessible
novel for teen readers, foster
brothers Zack & Peter pull
together to survive after a flash
flood leaves them stranded in an
evacuated neighborhood of their
riverside town.

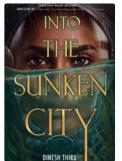
**YAF PRE** 



#### 49 Miles Alone

Richards, Natalie D.
Backpacking through the Utah
desert, Katie & Aster discard their
broken GPS phone after meeting a
woman who disappears after
claiming to be in danger. They set
out to save her, unaware they are
being tracked by a killer.

YAF RIC



#### Into the Sunken City

Thiru, Dinesh

In a world where the rain never stops, Jin Haldar is offered the score of a lifetime—a massive stash of gold hidden in the sunken ruins of Las Vegas & must do what she promised herself she'd never do again: dive.

**YAF THI** 



#### **The Worst Ronin**

Tokuda-Hall, Maggie

Determined to prove she's worthy of attending a prestigious samurai school, 16-year-old Chihiro teams up with her former idol, Tatsuo, on a treacherous journey full of battles and conspiracies.

**YAG TOK** 



# The Second Chance of Darius Logan

Walker. David F.

When a drug deal he never should've been involved in goes bad, Darius joins the Second Chance program of the Super Justice Force where he discovers his hidden strength.

YAF WAL

HIGH SCHOOL



# Adventure/ Survival

RECOMMENDED READING FOR GRADES 9-12



**Montgomery Campus -** 1111 Reading Drive, 60538 **Oswego Campus -** 32 West Jefferson, 60543

630-978-1655 www.oswego.lib.il.us



#### **Hearts Still Beating**

Archer, Brooke

Two teen girls navigate a complex web of love, infection, & survival as they reunite in an experimental resettlement program, grappling with the looming threat of the virus that once transformed one of them into a monster.

YAF ARC

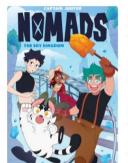


#### Ex Marks the Spot

Chao. Gloria

Gemma travels to Taiwan with her ex to claim a hidden inheritance left by the grandfather she never knew. Along the way, she learns more about her heritage, family secrets, & the possibility of love.

YAF CHA



#### Nomads: The Sky Kingdom

Juuter, Captain

New Nomad Lance sets out to find his missing brother & joins forces with the mysterious Satra & a magical cat, but their journey sparks chaos that turns them into fugitives across the Five Kingdoms.

YAG NOM



#### The Last Bookstore on Earth

Braun-Arnold, Lilv

In a dystopian world devastated by The Storm. 17-year-old Liz finds refuge in her old bookstore, but when Maeve breaks in seeking shelter from another storm, the two confront their inner demons as they fight for their lives.



#### **Aisle Nine**

Cho. Ian X.

When a hell portal opens up in aisle nine, checkout clerk Jasper teams up with his crush, who shares his frightening vison of the impending apocalypse, to save the world before this Black Friday becomes the darkest yet.

YAF CHO



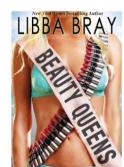
#### Stars and Smoke

Lu. Marie

19-year old Winter Young, a superstar, is recruited by a covert organization & paired with Sydney Cossette, secret agent, to take down a criminal tycoon.

YAF LU





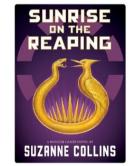
## **Beauty Queens**

Bray, Libba

YAF BRA

13 teen beauty contestants stranded after their plane crashes must survive a on mysterious island—& prepare their dance routines in case they're rescued in time for the competition.

YAF BRA



# Sunrise on the Reaping

Collins, Suzanne It's the 50th annual Hunger Games & as the games begin, District 12 tribute Havmitch Abernathy realizes he's been set up to fail, but something in him wants to fight, in this 5<sup>th</sup> book in the Hunger Games

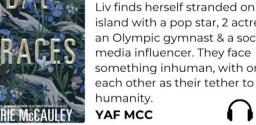
YAF COL

series.



#### **Bad Graces**

McCauley, Kyrie Liv finds herself stranded on an island with a pop star, 2 actresses, an Olympic gymnast & a social media influencer. They face something inhuman, with only





# All That's Left in the World

Brown, Erik J.

Andrew & Jamie, search for civilization in a world ravaged by a deadly pathogen, but their secrets could cost them everything as they try to find the courage to fight for the future, together.

YAF BRO



## The Pirate Princess

Frigerio, Luca

Julie joins the crew of the Golden Dolphin to find her father, The Pirate King, Amidst battles on galleons, ancient curses, & doomed lands, Julie uncovers mysteries of her family & her own identity.

YAG FRI



# The Flying Ship Vol. 1

Milton, Jem

After being stranded in a forgotten military outpost, grumpy Dobrinia sets out on a quest to marry a princess. But in the vast Tzardom of Glas, where magic has been outlawed, troubled histories can catch up with even a flying ship.

YAG FLY