
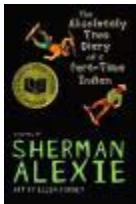


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### THE ABSOLUTELY TRUE STORY OF A PART-TIME INDIAN

Sherman Alexie

**Call #:** YF Alexie

Junior leaves his troubled school on the Spokane Indian Reservation to attend an all-white farm town school where the only other Indian is the school mascot.



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### CRISPIN: THE CROSS OF LEAD

Avi

**Call #:** YF Avi

An orphaned peasant boy in fourteenth-century England flees his village and meets a larger-than-life juggler who holds a dangerous secret.



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### TANGERINE

Edward Bloor

**Call #:** YF Bloor

Twelve-year-old Paul fights for the right to play soccer despite his near blindness and slowly begins to remember the incident that damaged his eyesight.



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### CODE TALKER

Joseph Bruchac

**Call #:** YF Bruchac

Navajo men are recruited by the Marines to become Code Talkers, sending messages during World War II in their native tongue.



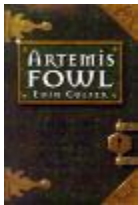
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### ENDER'S GAME

Orson Scott Card

**Call #:** SciFi/Fantasy F Card

Ender's skills make him a leader in school and respected in the Battle Room, where children play at mock battles in zero gravity.



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## ARTEMIS FOWL

Eoin Colfer

**Call #:** YF Colfer

When a twelve-year-old evil genius tries to restore his family fortune, the fairies fight back with magic, technology, and a particularly nasty troll.



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## THE CHOCOLATE WAR

Robert Cormier

**Call #:** YF Cormier

A high school freshman discovers the devastating consequences of refusing to join in the school's annual fund raising drive and arousing the wrath of the school bullies.



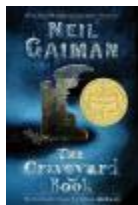
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## WHALE TALK

Chris Crutcher

**Call #:** YF Crutcher

TJ shuns organized sports and the gung-ho athletes at his high school. Then he agrees to form a swimming team and recruits some of the school's less popular students.



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## THE GRAVEYARD BOOK

Neil Gaiman

**Call #:** JF Gaiman

Nobody Owens is a normal boy, except that he has been raised by ghosts and other denizens of the graveyard.



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## STORMBREAKER

Anthony Horowitz

**Call #:** YF Horowitz

After the death of the uncle, fourteen-year-old Alex Rider is coerced to continue his uncle's dangerous work for Britain's intelligence agency, MI6.



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## SON OF THE MOB

Gordon Korman

**Call #:** YF Korman

Vince's life is complicated by the fact that he is the son of a Mafia boss, a relationship that threatens to destroy his romance with the daughter of an FBI agent.



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## EPIC

Conor Kostick

**Call #:** YF Kostick

On New Earth, a world based on a video role-playing game, fourteen-year-old Erik persuades his friends to aid him in some unusual gambits.





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## THE WRECKERS

Iain Lawrence

Call #: YF Lawrence

Shipwrecked after a vicious storm, John Spencer attempts to save his father and himself while also dealing with an evil secret about the English coastal town where they are stranded.



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## HIDDEN TALENTS

David Lubar

Call #: YF Lubar

When Martin arrives at an alternative school for misfits and problem students, he falls in with a group of boys with psychic powers and discovers something surprising about himself.



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## MERCHANT OF DEATH

D.J. MacHale

Call #: JF MacHale

Bobby Pendragon is a seemingly normal and somewhat reluctant 14-year-old boy who is swept into an amazing five-year quest.



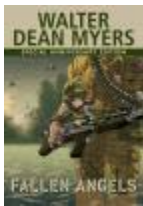
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## TOUCHING SPIRIT BEAR

Ben Mikaelson

Call #: YF Mikaelson

Cole agrees to participate in a sentencing alternative based on the native American Circle Justice, and he is sent to a remote Alaskan Island where an encounter with a huge Spirit Bear changes his life.



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## FALLEN ANGELS

Walter Dean Myers

Call #: YF Myers

Richie Perry, just out of his Harlem high school, enlists in the Army in the summer of 1967 and spends a devastating year on active duty in Vietnam.



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## THE ANGEL EXPERIMENT

James Patterson

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After the mutant Erasers abduct the youngest member of their group, the "bird kids" who are the result of genetic experimentation, take off in pursuit and find themselves struggling to understand their own origins and purpose.



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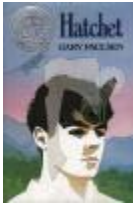
## AIRBORN

Kenneth Oppel

Call #: YF Oppel

Matt, a young cabin boy aboard an airship, and Kate, a wealthy young girl traveling with her chaperone, team up to search for the existence of mysterious winged creatures reportedly living hundreds of feet above the Earth's surface.





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## **HATCHET**

Gary Paulsen

**Call #: YF Paulsen**

After a plane crash, Brian spends fifty-four days in the wilderness, learning to survive with only the aid of a hatchet given him by his mother.



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## **TALES OF DEATH AND DEMENTIA**

Edgar Allan Poe

**Call #: YF Poe**

Four short stories, abridged and illustrated, by the nineteenth-century American writer best known for his tales of horror.



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## **WEE FREE MEN**

Terry Pratchett

**Call #: YF Pratchett**

A young witch-to-be named Tiffany teams up with the Wee Free Men, a clan of six-inch-high blue men, to rescue her baby brother and ward off a sinister invasion from Fairyland.



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## **VAMPIRE HIGH**

Douglas Rees

**Call #: YF Rees**

When Cody enters Vlad Dracul Magnet School, many things seem strange, from the dark-haired, pale-skinned, supernaturally strong students to Charon, the wolf who guides him around campus on the first day.



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## **THE LIGHTNING THIEF**

Rick Riordan

**Call #: YF Riordan**

Percy sets out on a quest across the United States to reach the gates of the Underworld (located in a recording studio in Hollywood) and prevent a catastrophic war between the gods.



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## **DOUBLE CHECK**

Malcolm Rose

**Call #: YF Rose**

When evidence suggests that a death row inmate is innocent, Luke Harding asks the authorities to investigate.



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## **CIRQUE DU FREAK: THE VAMPIRE PRINCE**

Darren Shan

**Call #: YF Shan**

Betrayed by Kurda Smahlt and reeling from the brutal slaying of Gavner Purl, the vampire's assistant, Darren Shan, finds himself branded a traitor and hunted by the vampire clan.



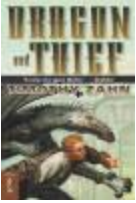
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## **FULL TILT**

Neal Shusterman

**Call #: YF Shusterman**

When Blake goes to a mysterious, by-invitation-only carnival he somehow knows that it could save his comatose brother, but soon learns that much more is at stake if he fails to meet the challenge presented there by the beautiful Cassandra.



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## **DRAGON AND THIEF**

Timothy Zahn

**Call #: YF Zahn**

Fourteen-year old orphan Jack Morgan is hiding out in a spaceship. Falsely accused of a crime, he escapes to a remote and uninhabited planet where he rescues a K'da warrior named Draycos who can help him clear his name.