

The Backstagers: Volume 1 by James Tynion IV.*

GN YA FIC TYNION J

When Jory transfers to an all-boys private high school, he's taken in by the only ones who don't treat him like a new kid, the lowly stage crew known as the Backstagers.

Check Please: #Hockey by Ngozi Ukazu.*

GN YA FIC UKAZU N

Eric Bittle may be a former junior figure skating champion, vlogger extraordinaire, and very talented amateur pâtissier, but being a freshman on the Samwell University hockey team is a whole new challenge.

Runaways: The Complete Collection Volume 1 by Brian K. Vaughan.*

GN YA FIC VAUGHAN B

They were six normal teenagers linked only by their wealthy parents' annual business meeting, until a chance discovery revealed the shocking truth: their parents are the secret criminal society known as the Pride! Now on the run from their villainous parents, Nico, Chase, Karolina, Gertrude, Molly and Alex have only each other to rely on.

Kiss Number 8 by Colleen Venable.

GN YA FIC VENABLE C

The first seven kisses 16-year-old Amanda has experienced were less than exceptional. But after finding out that her father, her ultimate best friend, is keeping a secret from her, and realizing she may have a crush on Cat, her best friend from her conservative Catholic school, everything in Amanda's life starts to shift.

On a Sunbeam by Tillie Walden.

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In two interwoven timelines, a ragtag crew travels to the deepest reaches of space, rebuilding beautiful, broken structures to piece the past together; and two girls meet in boarding school and fall deeply in love, only to learn the pain of loss.

The Prince and the Dressmaker by Jen Wang.

GN YA FIC WANG J

Prince Sebastian is looking for a bride or rather, his parents are looking for one for him. Sebastian is too busy hiding his secret life from everyone. At night he puts on daring dresses and takes Paris by storm as the fabulous Lady Crystallia the hottest fashion icon in the world capital of fashion!

Go With the Flow by Lily Willams and Karen Schneemann.

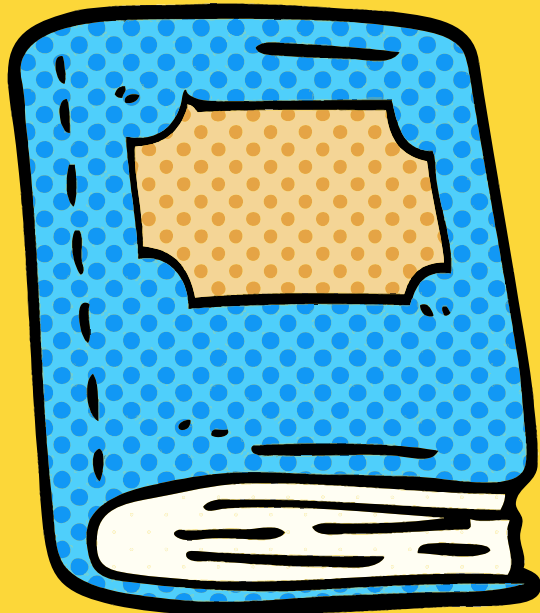
GN YA FIC WILLIAM L

When four best friends notice that the boys have brand-new football uniforms and equipment while the girls bathrooms are still shamefully bereft of feminine hygiene products, they decide to take matters into their own hands. They petition, they write letters, they make noise, and eventually maybe even go a little too far.

Dragon Hoops by Gene Luen Yang.

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Chronicles the trials of a high school basketball team trying to clinch the state title.



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Miles Morales: Volume 1: Straight Out of Brooklyn by Saladin Ahmed.*

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Balancing a normal life, school, friends, family and superheroing has never been easy for Miles, but when the rampaging Rhino and a cadre of mysterious criminals start plaguing Brooklyn, things take a dark turn for the young Spider-Man!

Giant Days: Volume 1 by John Allison.*

GN YA FIC ALLISO J

Going off to university is always a time of change and growth, but for Esther, Susan, and Daisy, things are about to get a little weird.

Brazen: Rebel Ladies Who Rocked the World by Penelope Bagieu.

GN YA 920.72 BAG

Profiles the lives of feisty female role models, some world famous, some little known.

Fever Year: The Killer Flu of 1918 by Don Brown.

GN YA 614.518 BRO

Explores the causes, effects, and lessons learned from the influenza epidemic of 1918.

Black Panther: A Nation Under Our Feet: Book 1 by Ta-Nehisi Coates.*

GN FIC COATES T

When a superhuman terrorist group that calls itself The People sparks a violent uprising, Wakanda, a land famed for its incredible technology and proud warrior traditions will be thrown into turmoil.

I Was Their American Dream by Malaka Gharib.

GN YA B GHARIB MALAKA GHARIB

The daughter of parents with unfulfilled dreams themselves, Malaka navigated her childhood chasing her parents' ideals, learning to code-switch between her family's Filipino and Egyptian customs, adapting to white culture to fit in, crushing on skater boys, and trying to understand the tension between holding onto cultural values and trying to be an all-American kid.

Almost American Girl by Robin Ha.

GN YA B HA ROBINI HA

Transitioning from life in Korea to America, a young woman struggles with change and figuring out where she fits.

Hey, Kiddo by Jarrett Krosoczka.

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A graphic memoir about growing up with a drug-addicted mother, a missing father, and two unforgettably opinionated grandparents.

Wires and Nerve: Volume 1 by Marissa Meyer.*

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When wolf-hybrid soldiers threaten the peace between Earth and Luna, Iko takes it upon herself to hunt down the soldiers' leader.

The Unbeatable Squirrel Girl: Volume 1: Squirrel Power by Ryan North.*

GN YA FIC NORTH R

Supervillains and criminals meet their match with Squirrel Girl, aka Doreen Green, a college freshman with the appearance, speed, and agility of a squirrel.

Bloom by Kevin Panetta.

GN YA FIC PANETT K

A recent high school graduate, Ari, works in his family-owned bakery and plays in an indie band with four of his best friends in a small coastal town. When an accident occurs at the bakery, Ari has to rethink what he wants to do with his life and what will bring him happiness.

Pumpkinheads by Rainbow Rowell.

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On their final night of work at DeKnock's Pumpkin Patch, high school seniors and friends Josiah and Deja decide to make their final shift an adventurous one as they explore the park's many sights and tasty treats in search of the Fudge Girl, Josiah's long-time, unrequited crush.

DeadEndia: The Watcher's Test by Hamish Steele.*

GN YA FIC STEELE H

Barney needs a job and a place to live. Luckily, he finds both in Dead End, a theme park haunted house! Unfortunately, Dead End also serves as a portal to hell. Along with his best friend Norma and talking dog Pugsley, he must battle demonic party poopers, undead country singers and scariest of all: his love life.

Nimona by Noelle Stevenson.

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Nimona is an impulsive young shapeshifter with a knack for villainy. Lord Ballister Blackheart is a villain with a vendetta. As sidekick and supervillain, Nimona and Lord Blackheart are about to wreak some serious havoc.

Laura Dean Keeps Breaking Up with Me by Mariko Tamaki.

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Laura Dean has broken up with Freddy three times. Laura Dean keeps coming back and Freddy keeps taking her back despite Laura Dean's blatant cheating. After visiting a medium, Freddy finds herself questioning whether or not Laura Dean can be monogamous and how she can get on with her life without Laura Dean.

Honor Girl by Maggie Thrash.

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Chronicles one monumental summer at an all-girls' camp where Maggie experiences her gut-wrenching first love.