

# YOUNG ADULT SCIENCE FICTION

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*The 5<sup>th</sup> Wave*, by Richard Yancey (YA FIC YANC, R)

Cassie Sullivan, the survivor of an alien invasion, must rescue her young brother from the enemy with help from a boy who may be one of them.

(Additional titles in this series)

*After the Snow*, by S D Crockett (YA FIC CROC, S)

Fifteen-year-old Willo Blake, born after the 2059 snows that ushered in a new ice age, encounters outlaws, halfmen, and an abandoned girl as he journeys in search of his family, who mysteriously disappeared from the freezing mountain that was their home.

*Agnes at the End of the World*, by Kelly McWilliams (YA FIC MCWI)

Sixteen-year-old Agnes must escape a cult and a Prophet as she attempts to save the world from a pandemic.

*All Rights Reserved*, by Gregory Scott Katsoulis (YA FIC KATS, G)

In a world where every word and gesture is copyrighted and individuals are charged for speech, Speth Jime chooses to never speak again, inspiring others to follow in her footsteps and sparking a revolution.

*Aurora Rising*, by Amie Kaufman and Jay Kristoff (YA FIC KAUF, A)

Told in separate voices, eighteen-year-old Tyler Jones, top graduate of Aurora Academy, and a group of misfits and troublemakers embark on their first mission with Auri, a stowaway from the distant past.

*Burning Midnight*, by Will McIntosh (YA FIC MCIN, W)

Sully, Hunter, Dom, and Mandy team up in a race against unscrupulous billionaire CEO Alex Holliday to locate a collectible sphere, which may have a very steep price.

*Change Places With Me*, by Lois Metzger (YA FIC METZ)

Rose has changed. She still lives in the same neighborhood and goes to the same high school with the same group of kids, but when she woke up today, something was a little different. Because until very recently, she was an entirely different person, a person who's still there inside her, just beneath the thinnest layer of skin.

*Cinder*, by Marissa Meyer (YA FIC MEYE, M)

As plague ravages the overcrowded Earth, observed by a ruthless lunar people, Cinder, a gifted mechanic and cyborg, becomes involved with handsome Prince Kai and must uncover secrets about her past in order to protect the world in this futuristic take on the Cinderella story.

(Additional titles in this series)

*The Diabolic*, by S J Kincaid (YA FIC KINC, S)

Nemesis is a Diabolic, a humanoid teenager and the galaxy's most deadly weapon, who masquerades as Sidonia, a senator's daughter, and becomes a hostage of the galactic court.

(Sequel: *The Empress*)

*Epic*, by Conor Kostick (YA FIC KOST, C)

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 in order to save Erik's father from exile and safeguard the futures of each of their families.

*Invictus*, by Ryan Graudin (YA FIC GRAU, R)

A group of time-traveling teens races through history to try to stop time and the multiverse from unraveling

*The Lab*, by Jack Heath (YA FIC HEAT, J)

When Agent Six, a member of The Deck, a group fighting against their corrupt society, discovers that he is the product of an illegal experiment by the evil Lab, he takes dangerous steps to discover the truth about himself.

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*The Maze Runner*, by James Dashner (YA FIC DASH, J)

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.

(Additional titles in this series)

*More of Me*, by Kathryn Evans (YA FIC EVAN, K)

Due to a genetic abnormality, Teva unwillingly clones herself every year, leaving a younger version of herself stuck at the same age, in the same house, watching the new Teva live the life that she had been living, but as her seventeenth birthday rolls around, Teva is determined not to let it happen again.

*Perfect Ruin*, by Lauren DeStefano (YA FIC DEST, L)

Sixteen-year-old Morgan Stockhour lives in Internment, a floating city utopia. But when a murder occurs, everything she knows starts to unravel

*Renegades*, by Marissa Meyer (YA FIC MEYE, M)

As she nears her goal of avenging the Renegades, who overthrew the villains to establish order from ruin, Nova grows close to justice-seeking Renegade Adrian, but her allegiance to the villains could destroy them both.

(Two additional titles in this series)

*Scythe*, by Neal Shusterman (YA FIC SHUS, N)

In a world where disease has been eliminated, the only way to die is to be randomly killed ('gleaned') by professional reapers ('scythes'). Two teens must compete with each other to become a scythe--a position neither of them wants. The one who becomes a scythe must kill the one who doesn't. Provided by publisher.

(Two additional titles in this series)

*Shipbreaker*, by Paolo Bacigalupi (YA FIC BACI, P)

In a futuristic world, teenaged Nailer scavenges copper wiring from grounded oil tankers for a living, but when he finds a beached clipper ship with a girl in the wreckage, he has to decide if he should strip the ship for its wealth or rescue the girl.

(Also in this series: *Drowned City*, *Tool of War*)

*Skyward*, by Brandon Sanderson (YA FIC SAND, B)

When a long-term attack against her world by the alien Krell escalates, Spensa's dream of becoming a pilot may come true, despite her deceased father being labeled a deserter.

*Starflight*, by Melissa Landers (YA FIC LAND, M)

Former high school enemies Solara Brooks and Doran Spaulding must team up when they find themselves aboard a renegade spaceship.

*Swipe*, by Evan Angler (YA FIC ANGL, E)

In a world where everyone must be Marked in order to gain citizenship and participate in society, a group of youngsters who questions the system struggles to identify the true enemy--while pursuing a group of Markless teenagers.

*Want*, by Cindy Pon (YA FIC PON\*, C)

Jason Zhou is trying to survive in Taipei, a city plagued by pollution and viruses, but when he discovers the elite are using their wealth to evade the deadly effects, he knows he must do whatever is necessary to fight the corruption and save his city.

*War Girls*, by Tochi Onyebuchi (YA FIC ONYE, T)

In 2172, when much of the world is unlivable, sisters Onyii and Ify dream of escaping war-torn Nigeria and finding a better future together but are, instead, torn apart.

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*Warcross*, by Marie Lu (YA FIC LU\*\*, M)

When teenage coder Emika Chen hacks her way into the opening tournament of the Warcross Championships, she glitches herself into the game as well as a sinister plot with major consequences for the entire Warcross empire. (Sequel: *Wildcard*)

*Wilder Girls*, by Rory Power (YA FIC POWE, R)

Friends Hetty, Byatt, and 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.

*Zeroes*, by Scott Westerfeld (YA FIC WEST, S)

Don't call them heroes, but these six Californian teens have powers that set them apart. Take Ethan, a.k.a. Scam who has a voice inside him that'll say whatever you want to hear, whether it's true or not. Which is handy, except when it isn't -- like when the voice starts gabbing in the middle of a bank robbery. The only people who can help are the other Zeroes, who aren't exactly best friends these days.

(Additional titles in this series)

## Graphic Novel

*Kindred*, by Octavia Butler, adapted by Damian Duffy (YA GRAPHIC KIND)

Octavia E. Butler's bestselling literary science-fiction masterpiece, *Kindred*, now in graphic novel format, tells the story of Dana, a young black woman who is suddenly and inexplicably transported from her home in 1970s California to the pre-Civil War South.

*The Supernaturalist* the graphic novel, by Eoin Colfer (YA GRAPHIC SUPE)

In futuristic Satellite City, fourteen-year-old Cosmo Hill escapes from his abusive orphanage and teams up with three other people who share his unusual ability to see supernatural creatures, and together they determine the nature and purpose of the swarming blue Parasites that are invisible to most humans.

*The Woods*, by James Tynion (YA GRAPHIC WOOD)

On October 16, 2013, 437 students, 52 teachers, and 24 additional staff from Bay Point Preparatory High School in suburban Milwaukee, WI vanished without a trace. Countless light years away, far outside the bounds of the charted universe, 513 people find themselves in the middle of an ancient, primordial wilderness.

*Y, the Last Man*, by Brian K Vaughan (YA GRAPHIC Y\*TH)

Yorick Brown and his pet male monkey learn just how valuable they are when they set out across the planet in search of one specific girl in the wake of a strange plague that has killed every man, boy, and mammal with a Y chromosome-- except for them.