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**Buddy** - Nigel Hinton 1982

Buddy's dad still dreams of Buddy Holly and dresses like a Teddy Boy. All Buddy wants is to have parents like everyone else in his class, but when his mum runs away and lets him down too his life becomes unbearable. If only he doesn't step on the cracks in the pavement perhaps everything will turn out fine - but Buddy knows that life doesn't have those fairytale endings.

*Hidden Talents* - David Lubar 2015-06-16

A debut young adult novel from a popular children's author tells the story of thirteen-year-old Martin Anderson, who arrives at the Edgewater Alternative School as an outcast but quickly finds his place among other teens with strange gifts. 15,000 first printing.

**The Silver Crown** - Robert C. O'Brien  
2021-06-01

In this gripping and memorable middle grade fantasy from Newbery Medal-winning author Robert C. O'Brien, good and evil are locked in battle and the balance between the two can only

be restored by one young girl's determination to set things right. "It lay beside her on the pillow, shinier than silver, glowing softly, with twinkling blue stones set all around....It did not occur to her to wonder from whom it had come; she was merely aware that it was hers by right." Ellen awakens one morning with a mysterious silver crown on the pillow beside her. What magic powers it possesses she has not yet discovered, but the sudden changes in her life are unmistakable: her house is burned down, her family has disappeared, and a man in a dark uniform is stalking her. Can Ellen ever find her family? Can she use the power of the silver crown to thwart the powers of darkness? What diabolical force hides inside the mysterious castle in the woods?

[Grow Your Own: Understanding, Cultivating, and Enjoying Marijuana](#) - Nichole Graf  
2017-09-26

Honest, intelligent, and approachable, *Grow Your Own* combats the inaccurate stereotypes

that are again being used to bolster the case for prohibition. Featured in Esquire, BuzzFeed, and more. The benefits of marijuana are undeniable—medicinally, sure, but also for stress, for creativity, and for relaxation. And as any homebrewer, winemaker, or backyard gardener can tell you, there's a particular joy in doing it yourself. Whether you're new to cannabis and need to walk through the basics, or you're an experienced grower looking to hone your techniques, *Grow Your Own* provides all the background and instruction you need to set up a grow space, raise your plants, and harvest your buds. It will teach you how to choose a strain based on its flavors and effects, how to manage insects and molds without the use of pesticides, and how to mix just the right soil. But *Grow Your Own* will also give you a primer on the myriad ways to enjoy cannabis—from carving an apple pipe to baking a delicious batch of pot brownies. With photography, visual aids, and illustrations from Allen Crawford (Whitman

Illuminated), *Grow Your Own* makes cultivating cannabis as accessible as it is rewarding.

**Stone Cold** - Robert Swindells 2005-01-27

A tense, exciting thriller combined with a perceptive and harrowing portrait of life on the streets as a serial killer preys on the young and vulnerable homeless. 17-year-old Link is distrustful of people until he pairs up with Deb, homeless like him. But what Deb doesn't tell him is that she's an ambitious young journalist on a self-imposed assignment to track down the killer and that she's prepared to use herself as bait ...

Winner of the Carnegie Medal

Rookie - Jerry B. Jenkins 1997

This wonderful tale of a boy with monumental baseball skills is a page-turning narrative painted on the colorful mural of Elgin Woodell's amazing journey through his baseball career. Jenkins is the author of many books including the New York Times bestseller *Out of the Blue* with Orel Hershisser.

*Angelhood* - A. J. Cattapan 2018-03-21

Nanette's idea of escaping life backfires on her when she discovers she's a guardian angel, and the only way to earn her wings is to prevent young Vera from taking her own life.

Enclave - Ann Aguirre 2011-04-12

After training to become a Huntress and being partnered with a mysterious Hunter named Fade, Deuce, who has only lived underground, is exiled topside with Fade, where they must survive the gangs who live among the ruins of the city.

*War of the Eagles* - Eric Walters 1998-01

During World War II near Prince Rupert, British Columbia, Jed comes to better understand and take pride in his British and native Tsimshian ancestry through caring for an injured eagle at a military fort and losing his Japanese Canadian best friend to an internment camp.

**Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of Nimh** - Robert C. O'Brien 2021-06-01

Some extraordinary rats come to the aid of a mouse family in this Newbery Medal

Award-winning classic by notable children's author Robert C. O'Brien. Mrs. Frisby, a widowed mouse with four small children, is faced with a terrible problem. She must move her family to their summer quarters immediately, or face almost certain death. But her youngest son, Timothy, lies ill with pneumonia and must not be moved. Fortunately, she encounters the rats of NIMH, an extraordinary breed of highly intelligent creatures, who come up with a brilliant solution to her dilemma. And Mrs. Frisby in turn renders them a great service.

**Before I Die** - Jenny Downham 2008-09-25

For the many readers who love *The Fault in Our Stars*, this is the story of a girl who is determined to live, love, and to write her own ending before her time is finally up. Tessa has just months to live. Fighting back against hospital visits, endless tests, and drugs with excruciating side effects, Tessa compiles a list. It's her To Do Before I Die list. And number one

is Sex. Released from the constraints of “normal” life, Tessa tastes new experiences to make her feel alive while her failing body struggles to keep up. Tessa’s feelings, her relationships with her father and brother, her estranged mother, her best friend, and her new boyfriend, are all painfully crystallized in the precious weeks before Tessa’s time runs out. A Publishers Weekly Best Children’s Book of the Year A Booklist Editors’ Choice A Book Sense Children’s Pick A Kirkus Reviews Editors’ Choice A Publishers Weekly Flying Start Author An ALA-YALSA Top Ten Best Book for Young Adults The newly released feature film *Now Is Good*, starring Dakota Fanning, is based on Jenny Downham's intensely moving novel.

**Dear Nobody** - Berlie Doherty 1994-05-24  
Eighteen-year-old Chris struggles to deal with two shocks that have changed his life, his meeting the mother who left him and his father when he was ten and his discovery that he has gotten his girlfriend pregnant.

**Agnes at the End of the World** - Kelly McWilliams 2021-06

The *Handmaid's Tale* meets *Wilder Girls* in this genre-defying novel about a girl who escapes a terrifying cult only to discover that the world Outside has succumbed to a viral apocalypse. Agnes loves her home of Red Creek--its quiet, sunny mornings, its dusty roads, and its God. There, she cares tirelessly for her younger siblings and follows the town's strict laws. What she doesn't know is that Red Creek is a cult, controlled by a madman who calls himself a prophet. Then Agnes meets Danny, an Outsider boy, and begins to question what is and isn't a sin. Her younger brother, Ezekiel, will die without the insulin she barter for once a month, even though medicine is considered outlawed. Is she a sinner for saving him? Is her sister, Beth, a sinner for dreaming of the world beyond Red Creek? As the Prophet grows more dangerous, Agnes realizes she must escape with Ezekiel and leave everyone else, including Beth, behind. But

it isn't safe Outside, either: A viral pandemic is burning through the population at a terrifying rate. As Agnes ventures forth, a mysterious connection grows between her and the Virus. But in a world where faith, miracles, and cruelty have long been indistinguishable, will Agnes be able to choose between saving her family and saving the world?

Season of Secrets - Sally Nicholls 2011

Staying with their grandparents while their father mourns the loss of their mother, Molly and Hannah find their lives transformed by a relationship with an injured man who seems to possess wondrous magical abilities. By the award-winning author of *Ways to Live Forever*.

E-literature for Children - Len Unsworth 2006

These practical ideas, suggestions and real-life experiences will help you to understand the differences and similarities of the literary experience for children through classic, modern and leading-edge narratives in both book and computer formats.

**A Report from Group 17** - Robert C. O'Brien 1972

The Russian government is allowed to purchase an estate near Mount Vernon where they conduct biological experiments

House of Stairs - William Sleator 1991-04-01

This chilling, suspenseful indictment of mind control is a classic of science fiction and will haunt readers long after the last page is turned. One by one, five sixteen-year-old orphans are brought to a strange building. It is not a prison, not a hospital; it has no walls, no ceiling, no floor. Nothing but endless flights of stairs leading nowhere--except back to a strange red machine. The five must learn to love the machine and let it rule their lives. But will they let it kill their souls? "An intensely suspenseful page-turner." --School Library Journal "A riveting suspense novel with an anti-behaviorist message that works . . . because it emerges only slowly from the chilling events." --Kirkus Reviews

**Myths and Folklore** - Henry I. Christ 1989-10

American Science Fiction and the Cold War -  
David Seed 2013-10-31

First Published in 1999. Routledge is an imprint  
of Taylor & Francis, an informa company.

**No Turning Back** - Beverley Naidoo 2010-06-08

Escaping from his violent stepfather, twelve-  
year-old Siphso heads for Johannesburg, where  
he has heard that gangs of children live on the  
streets. Surviving hunger and bitter-cold winter  
nights is hard'but learning when to trust in the  
'new' South Africa proves even more difficult.  
No Turning Back appeared on the short list of  
both the Guardian and Smarties book prizes on  
the United Kingdom.

*One Second After* - William R. Forstchen  
2011-04-26

A post-apocalyptic thriller of the after effects in  
the United States after a terrifying terrorist  
attack using electromagnetic pulse weapons.  
New York Times best selling author William R.

Forstchen now brings us a story which can be all  
too terrifyingly real...a story in which one man  
struggles to save his family and his small North  
Carolina town after America loses a war, in one  
second, a war that will send America back to the  
Dark Ages...A war based upon a weapon, an  
Electro Magnetic Pulse (EMP). A weapon that  
may already be in the hands of our enemies.  
Months before publication, *One Second After*  
has already been cited on the floor of Congress  
as a book all Americans should read, a book  
already being discussed in the corridors of the  
Pentagon as a truly realistic look at a weapon  
and its awesome power to destroy the entire  
United States, literally within one second. It is a  
weapon that the Wall Street Journal warns could  
shatter America. In the tradition of *On the  
Beach*, *Fail Safe* and *Testament*, this book, set in  
a typical American town, is a dire warning of  
what might be our future...and our end. The John  
Matherson Series #1 *One Second After* #2 *One  
Year After* #3 *The Final Day* Other Books Pillar

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**R-T, Margaret, and the Rats of NIMH** - Jane Leslie Conly 1991-09-30

When Margaret and her younger brother, Artie, get lost in the woods on a family camping trip, they are rescued by rats -- the superintelligent rats of NIMH. Taken into the rat's community, the children are safe for the time being. But winter is coming. Margaret and Artie have to get back home. And when they do, they must protect the rats who have helped them. Everything depends on their silence... but it's hard to evade questions forever. Children's Choices for 1991 (IRA/CBC)VOYA's Best Science Fiction, Fantasy, and Horror 1990Parenting Honorable Mention, Reading Magic Award

Z for Zachariah - Robert C. O'Brien 2021-06-01

In this post-apocalyptic novel from Newbery Medal-winning author Robert C. O'Brien, a teen girl struggling to survive in the wake of

unimaginable disaster comes across another survivor. Ann Burden is sixteen years old and completely alone. The world as she once knew it is gone, ravaged by a nuclear war that has taken everyone from her. For the past year, she has lived in a remote valley with no evidence of any other survivors. But the smoke from a distant campfire shatters Ann's solitude. Someone else is still alive and making his way toward the valley. Who is this man? What does he want? Can he be trusted? Both excited and terrified, Ann soon realizes there may be worse things than being the last person on Earth.

**Seventeen Moments of Spring : a Novel** - I[ ]U[ ]lian Semenov 1988

*Normal People* - Sally Rooney 2019-04-16  
NOW AN EMMY-NOMINATED HULU ORIGINAL SERIES • NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • “A stunning novel about the transformative power of relationships” (People) from the author of *Conversations with Friends*, “a master of the

literary page-turner” (J. Courtney Sullivan). ONE OF THE TEN BEST NOVELS OF THE DECADE—Entertainment Weekly TEN BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR—People, Slate, The New York Public Library, Harvard Crimson AND BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR—The New York Times, The New York Times Book Review, O: The Oprah Magazine, Time, NPR, The Washington Post, Vogue, Esquire, Glamour, Elle, Marie Claire, Vox, The Paris Review, Good Housekeeping, Town & Country Connell and Marianne grew up in the same small town, but the similarities end there. At school, Connell is popular and well liked, while Marianne is a loner. But when the two strike up a conversation—awkward but electrifying—something life changing begins. A year later, they’re both studying at Trinity College in Dublin. Marianne has found her feet in a new social world while Connell hangs at the sidelines, shy and uncertain. Throughout their years at university, Marianne and Connell circle

one another, straying toward other people and possibilities but always magnetically, irresistibly drawn back together. And as she veers into self-destruction and he begins to search for meaning elsewhere, each must confront how far they are willing to go to save the other. *Normal People* is the story of mutual fascination, friendship and love. It takes us from that first conversation to the years beyond, in the company of two people who try to stay apart but find that they can’t. Praise for *Normal People* “[A] novel that demands to be read compulsively, in one sitting.”—The Washington Post “Arguably the buzziest novel of the season, Sally Rooney’s elegant sophomore effort . . . is a worthy successor to *Conversations with Friends*. Here, again, she unflinchingly explores class dynamics and young love with wit and nuance.”—The Wall Street Journal “[Rooney] has been hailed as the first great millennial novelist for her stories of love and late capitalism. . . . [She writes] some of the best dialogue I’ve read.”—The New Yorker

**Little Girl Gone** - Gerry Schmitt 2016-07-05

In the first Afton Tangler thriller, the unforgiving cold of a Minnesota winter hides the truth behind an even more chilling crime... On a frozen night in an affluent neighborhood of Minneapolis, a baby is abducted from her home after her teenage babysitter is violently assaulted. The parents are frantic, the police are baffled, and, with the perpetrator already in the wind, the trail is getting colder by the second. As family liaison officer with the Minneapolis P.D., it's Afton Tangler's job to deal with the emotional aftermath of terrible crimes—but she's never faced a case quite as brutal as this. Each development is more heartbreaking than the last and the only lead is a collection of seemingly unrelated clues. But, most disturbing of all, Afton begins to suspect that this case is not isolated. Whoever did this has taken babies before—and if Afton doesn't solve this crime soon, more children are sure to go missing . . .

[Wolf and Iron](#) - Gordon R. Dickson 2013-10-15

After the collapse of civilization, when the social fabric of America has come apart in bloody rags, when every man's hand is raised against another, and only the strong survive. "Jeebee" Walther was a scientist, a student of human behavior, who saw the Collapse of the world economy coming, but could do nothing to stop it. Now he must make his way across a violent and lawless America, in search of a refuge where he can keep the spark of knowledge alive in the coming Dark Age. He could never make it on his own, but he has found a companion who can teach him how to survive on instinct and will. Jeebee has been adopted by a great Gray Wolf.

**Crazy Lady!** - Jane Leslie Conly 1995-01-19

Increasingly alienated from his widowed father, Vernon joins his friends in ridiculing the neighborhood outcasts'Maxine, an alcoholic prone to outrageous behavior, and Ronald, her retarded son. But when a social service agency tries to put Ronald into a special home, Vernon fights against the move. 1994 Newbery Honor

Book Notable Children's Books of 1994 (ALA)  
1994 Best Books for Young Adults (ALA) 1994  
Young Adult Editors' Choices (BL) 1994 Books  
for the Teen Age (NY Public Library) Young  
Adult Choices for 1995 (IRA)

**See Ya, Simon** - David Hill 2016-10-31

Simon is a typical teenager - in every way except one. Simon likes girls, weekends and enjoys mucking about and playing practical jokes. But what's different is that Simon has muscular dystrophy - he is in a wheelchair and doesn't have long to live. See Ya, Simon is told by Simon's best friend, Nathan. Funny, moving and devastatingly honest, it tells of their last year together. Winner of the Times Educational Supplement Nasen Award, the Silver Pen Award and the Storylines Gaelyn Gordon Award for a Much-loved Book, See Ya, Simon has been published in the USA, UK, Germany, Denmark, the Netherlands, China, Japan and Slovenia.

*The Testing* - Joelle Charbonneau 2013

Sixteen-year-old Malencia (Cia) Vale is chosen to

participate in The Testing to attend the University; however, Cia is fearful when she figures out her friends who do not pass The Testing are disappearing. 100,000 first printing.  
Unbecoming - Jenny Downham 2016-02-23  
Three women. Three generations. Three secrets. Katie's life is falling apart: her best friend thinks she's a freak, her mother, Caroline, controls every aspect of her life, and her estranged grandmother, Mary, appears as if out of nowhere. Mary has dementia and needs lots of care, and when Katie starts putting together Mary's life story, secrets and lies are uncovered: Mary's illegitimate baby, her zest for life and freedom and men; the way she lived her life to the full yet suffered huge sacrifices along the way. As the relationship between Mary and Caroline is explored, Katie begins to understand her own mother's behavior, and from that insight, the terrors about her sexuality, her future, and her younger brother are all put into perspective. Funny, sad, honest, and wise, this

powerful multigenerational novel from international bestseller Jenny Downham celebrates life like no book before.

*Z for Zachariah* - Robert C. O'Brien 1987

Seemingly the only person left alive after a nuclear war, a sixteen-year-old girl is relieved to see a man arrive into her valley until she realizes that he is a tyrant and she must somehow escape.

**Brother in the Land** - Robert Swindells  
1994-12-01

An 'After-the-Bomb' story told by teenage Danny, one of the survivors - one of the unlucky ones.

Set in Shipley, an ordinary town in the north of England, this is a powerful portrayal of a world that has broken down. Danny not only has to cope in a world of lawlessness and gang warfare, but he has to protect and look after his little brother, Ben, and a girl called Kim. Is there any hope left for a new world?

*Racso and the Rats of NIMH* - Jane Leslie Conly  
1988-09-01

'Racso, a brash and boastful little rodent, is making his way to Thorn Valley, determined to learn how to read and write and become a hero. His bragging and lies get him off to a bad start, but a crisis gives him the opportunity to prove his mettle. A worthy successor [to Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH, a Newbery Medal winner by the author's father].' 'BL. 1986 Children's Editors' Choices (BL) Children's Choices for 1987 (IRA/CBC) Notable 1986 Children's Trade Books in Social Studies (NCSS/CBC) 1986 Children's Books (NY Public Library) Best Science Fiction/Fantasy 1986 (VOYA)

**Z for Zachariah** - Robert C. O'Brien 1990

*The Nest* - Kenneth Opper 2016-03-03

She was very blurry, not at all human-looking. There were huge dark eyes, and a kind of mane made of light, and when she spoke, I couldn't see a mouth moving, but I felt her words, like a breeze against my face, and I understood her completely. "We've come because of the baby,"

she said. "We've come to help." All Steve has to do is say, "Yes." But "yes" is a powerful word. It is also a dangerous one. And once it is uttered, can it be taken back?

### **The Red House Mystery** - A. A. Milne

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The Red House Mystery is a detective novel by A. A. Milne, better known for his children's writing, who wrote this book for his father in 1922. It is his only mystery novel and was very popular at the time. Mark Ablett is the amiable host of a country-house party to which his estranged brother, Robert, arrives from Australia. Robert is the black sheep of the family who is said to have borrowed money in the past and had written to warn of his visit. One afternoon a gunshot is heard, and Robert is found shot in the head while locked in the library, while his brother Mark has vanished. Tony Gillingham, who has arrived to visit Bill Beverley, one of the guests at the house-party, takes it upon himself to investigate the death.

Together Tony and Bill form a Holmes and Watson partnership and seek to solve the mystery in an unorthodox manner, taking over from a bumbling police force. The Red House Mystery has divided opinion on its literary merit but it remains an entertaining and intriguing read nonetheless. This book is part of the Standard Ebooks project, which produces free public domain ebooks.

*Z for Zachariah* - Paul Beadle 1998

Key features of this text: How to study the text  
Author and historical background  
General and detailed summaries  
Commentary on themes, structure, characters, language and style  
Glossaries  
Test questions and issues to consider  
Essay writing advice  
Cultural connections  
Literary terms  
Illustrations  
Colour design  
[Behemoth](#) - Peter Watts 2004-07

In a sequel to the best-selling *Starfish and Maelstrom*, deep-sea cyborg Lenie Clarke, having discovered that she helped destroy the world by responding to a lie, finds that she is the

only one who can protect the rifter cyborgs and their corrupt former masters from a dangerous adversary.

**Z for Zachariah** - Robert C. O'Brien 2007-07-10

Believing herself to be the only survivor of a nuclear war, Ann Burden greets a wandering stranger with excitement and suspicion. An ALA Notable Book & ALA Best Book for Young Adults. Reprint.