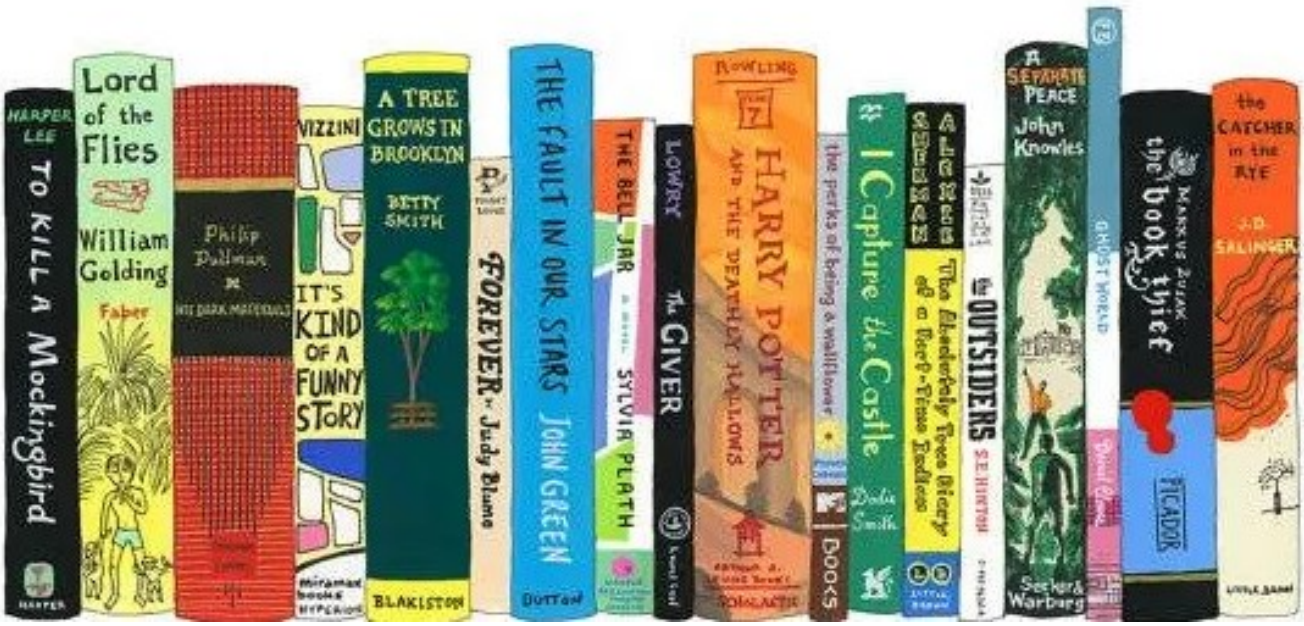

Recommended Reading Suggestions - Year 9

The Thomas Hardye School library has over 17,000 borrowable items including fiction books, eBooks and non fiction. The fiction collection includes titles from middle grade, reluctant readers, young adult through to adult titles as well as a graphic novels and manga. The information in this booklet provides suggested reading lists and details of how you can support your child to access the school library resources.

For any help please email **librarian@thomas-hardye.net**

Mrs Stevens
Librarian

Miss Moreton
KS3 Co-ordinator

Fiction at THS Library

The fiction collection is organised by genre to help students identify reading material. To locate a particular title or author you would need to search the Library WebApp (next page). We use 15 different genres plus there is a separate collection of manga and graphic novels.

Action & Adventure

Classics

Crime

Dystopia

Family & Relationships

Fantasy

Historical

Horror

Humour

Romance

Sci Fi

Self Discovery

Supernatural

Thriller

War

The Library Catalogue/WebApp

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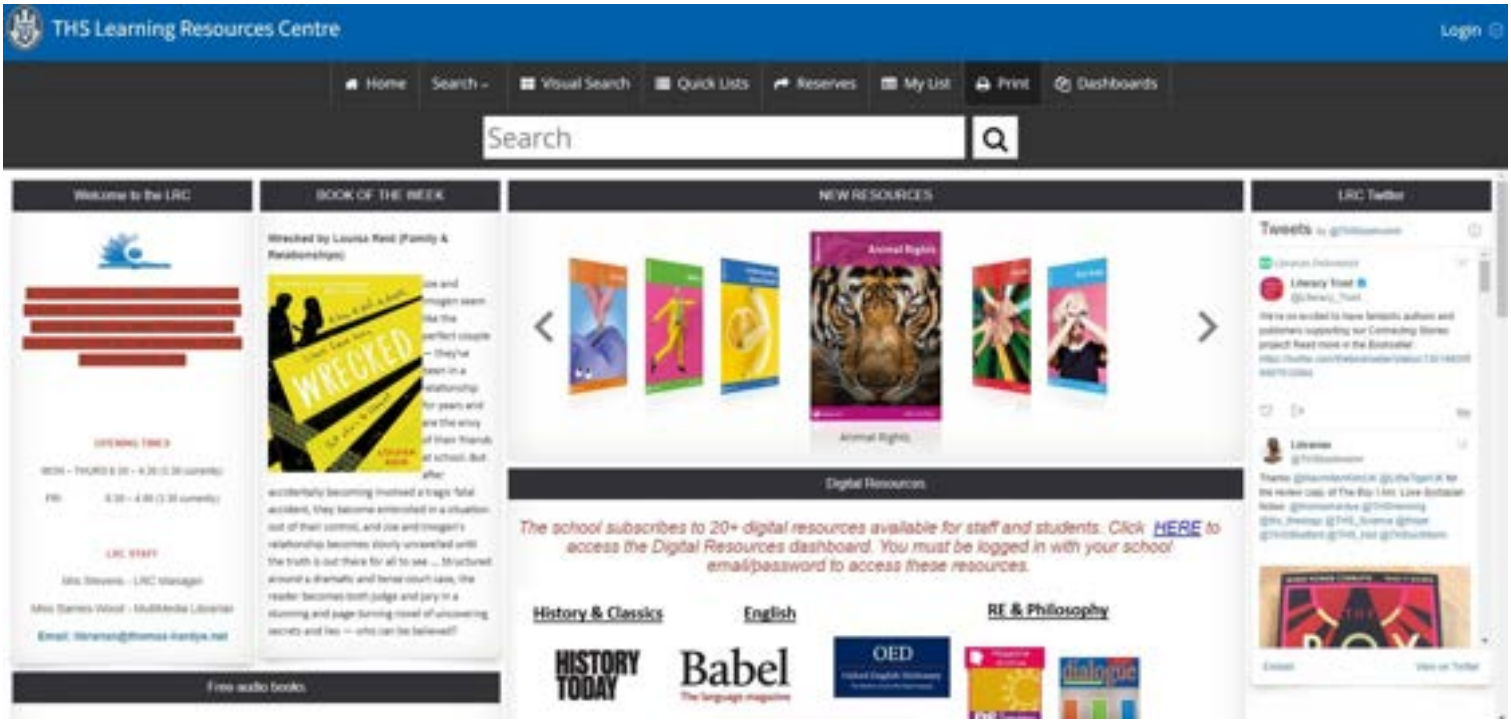


AccessIT is the central website for the THS Library and provides details of the resources we hold, both physical books and eBooks. Students can use this in school by clicking Library from the start menu or from the main school website under the School & Community tab.

1. Type a title, author, keyword (e.g. immigration) in the search bar at the top of the page, then hit enter.

2. The books and other resources matching this term will now be listed on the initial results page.

If logged in you can reserve books, access ebooks etc but you do not need to be logged in to search the catalogue. To login to AccessIT click on ^ next to Login (top right) and then click on Click here to Login. You will need your school email and password to login.

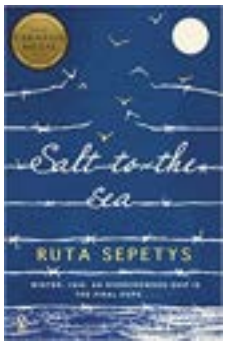
THS students can access ebooks online!

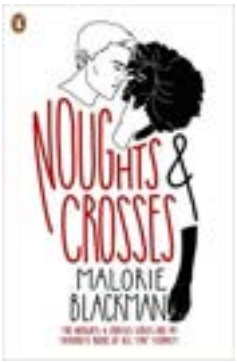
VLEBOOKS www.vlebooks.com

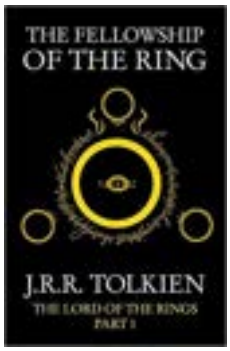
A collection of ebooks is available to all students and staff at **www.vlebooks.com** To access the site, sign in using **Office 365** which is your school email and password.

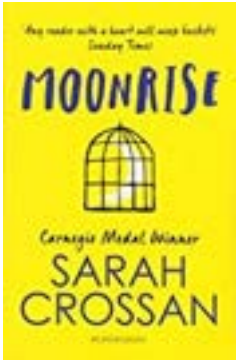
No special software or equipment is needed - you can read books in any internet browser— but free apps are also available for Android and iPhone. Books can also be downloaded to read later, offline.

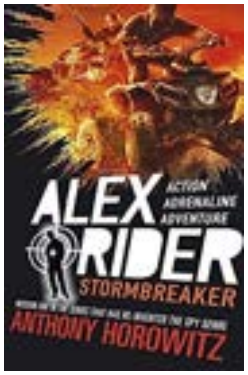
Our digital collection of books includes many of the recommended reads for Lower School students, a range of classic fiction and a growing selection of non-fiction titles. We always welcome requests and suggestions for new titles, whether in print or online!

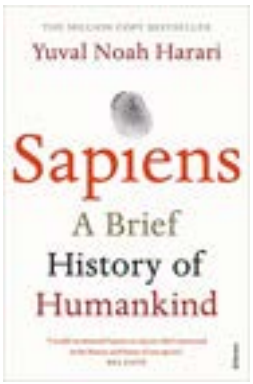


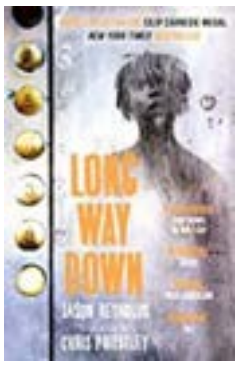












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Dorset Public Libraries

The public library is richly equipped to support students and staff with reading for pleasure. You can join Dorset Libraries via digital membership which takes a few minutes and you can upgrade to full membership if you wish.

To join, you will need to register online.

Digital membership provides access to online resources only on the LibrariesWest website including e-books, audiobooks, e-magazines, e-newspapers, e-comics and e-reference.

You can convert your digital membership to a full membership to borrow physical books, audio books and DVDs, by visiting your local library with proof of address.

Where can I use my card? You can use your card in any of the 31 libraries in Dorset.

You can also use your membership card in any LibrariesWest libraries in: Dorset, Bath and North East Somerset, Bristol, North Somerset, Poole, Somerset, South Gloucestershire You can borrow, return and reserve items to libraries in these areas. You can also use the library computers.

Key Resources and Services

Gives access to 15,000 eBooks and 20,000 eAudiobook titles plus newspapers.

- Accessed via app or website
- Borrow/reserve up to 10 titles
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Click here for details and to access BorrowBox

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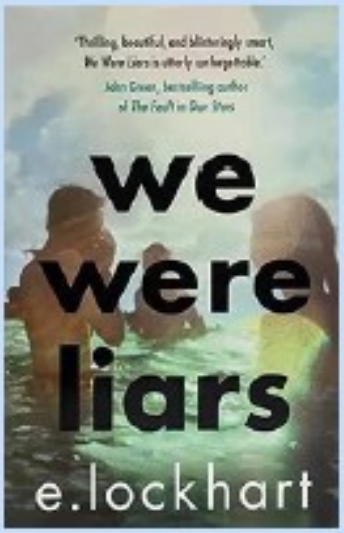

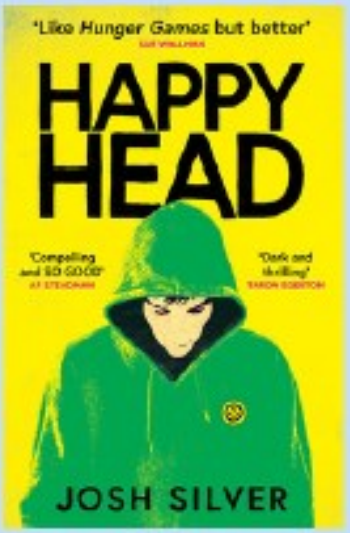

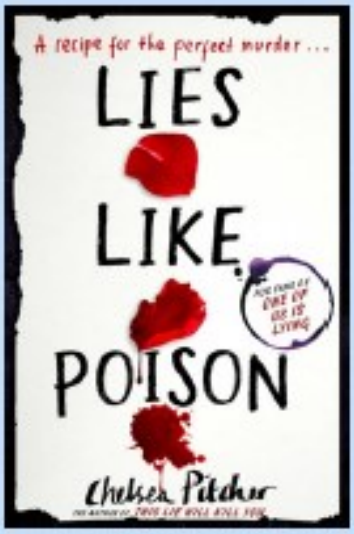

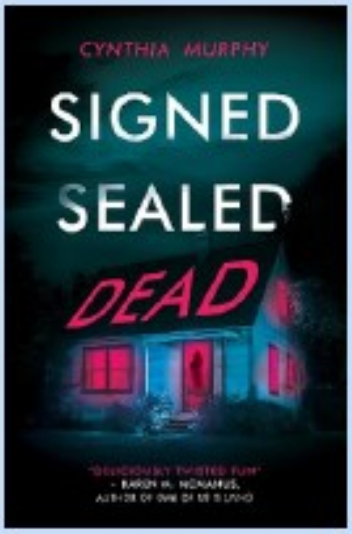

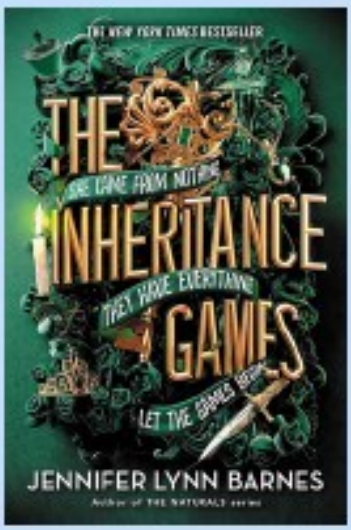

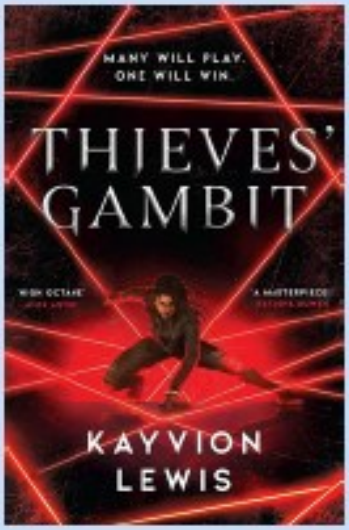

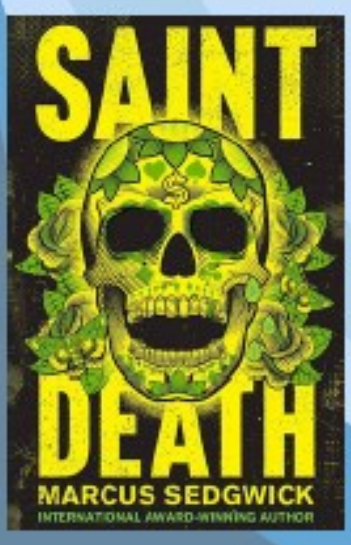

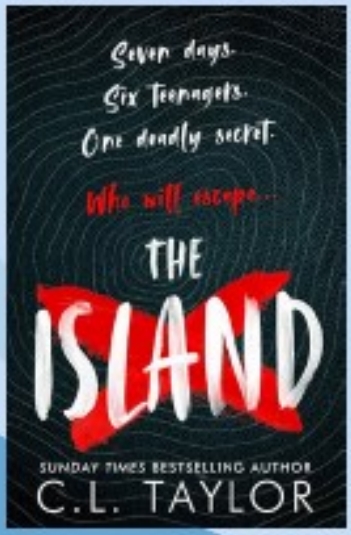

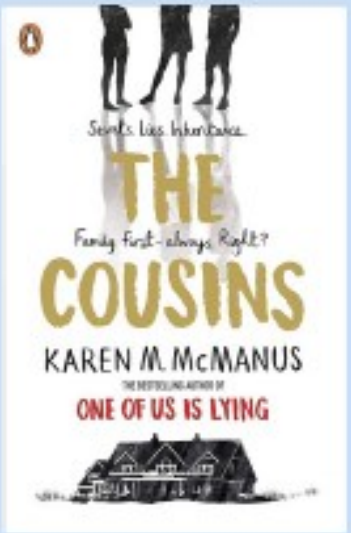

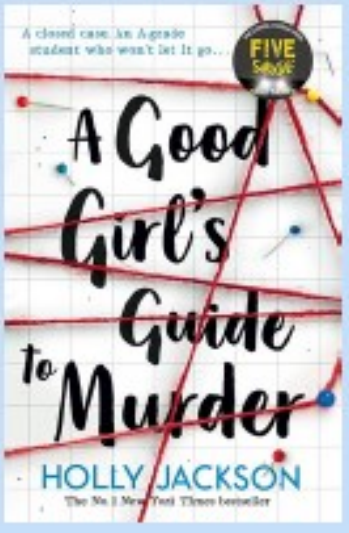

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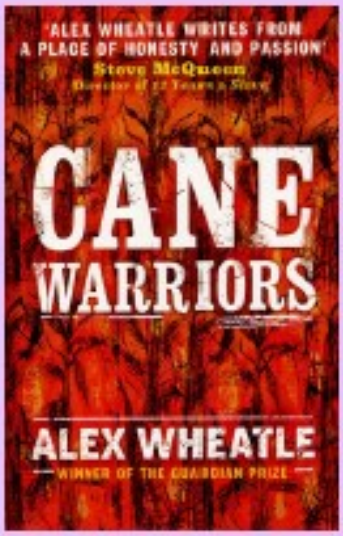

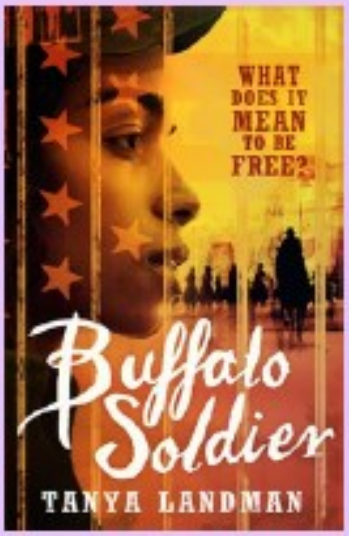

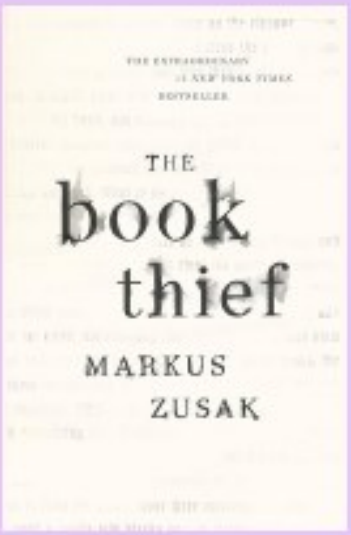

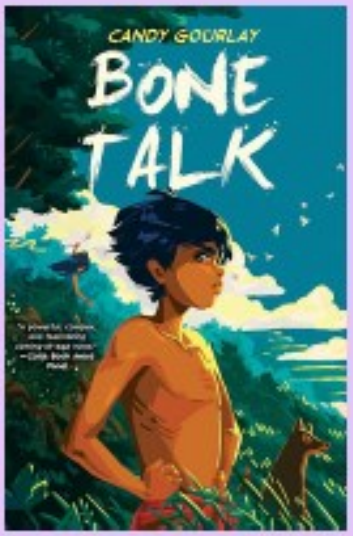

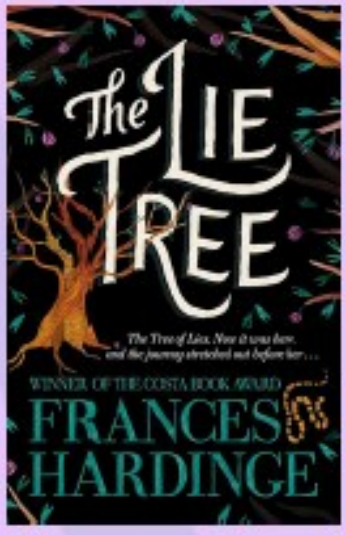

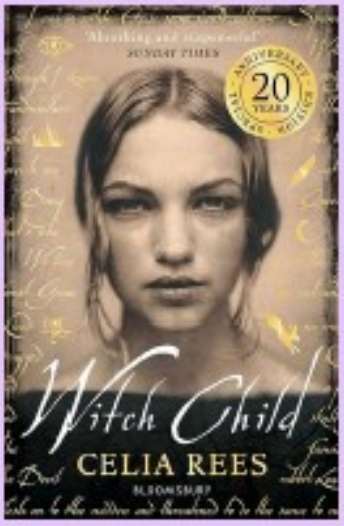

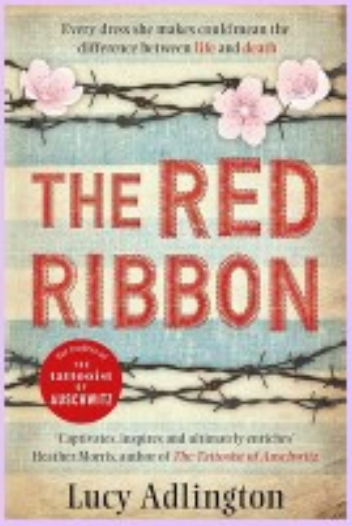

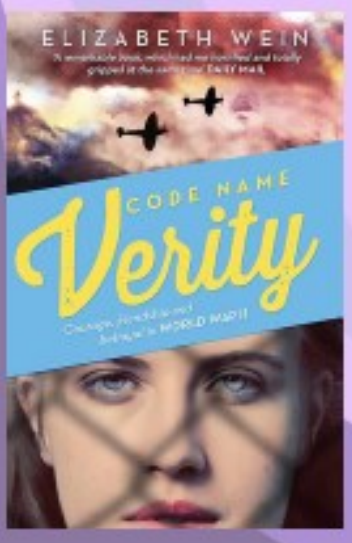

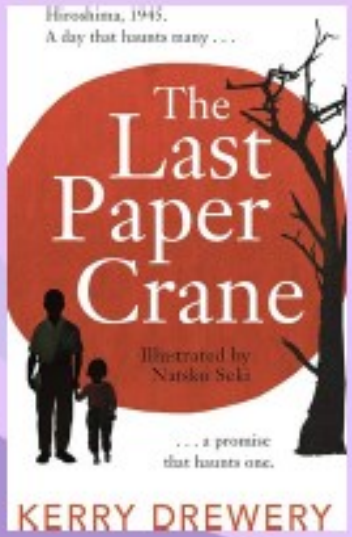

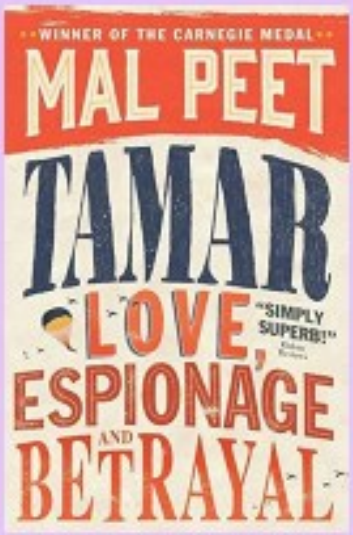

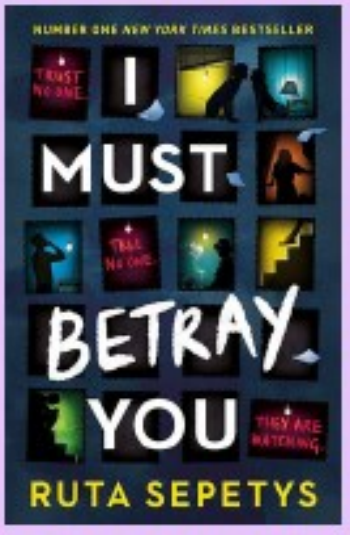

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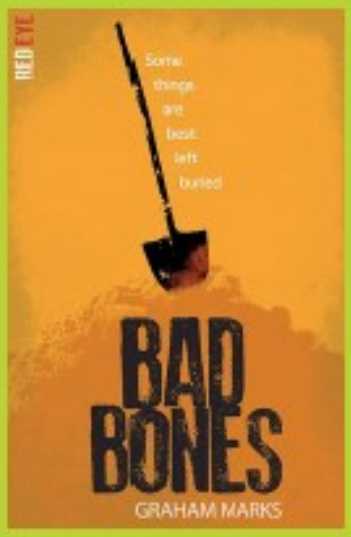

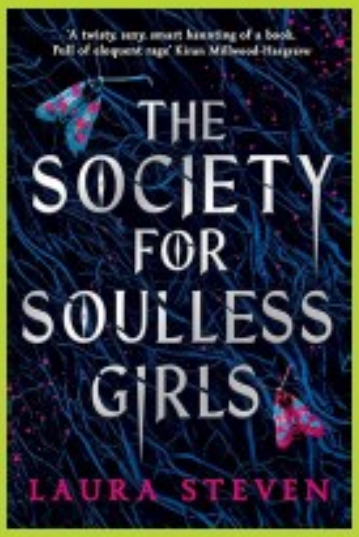

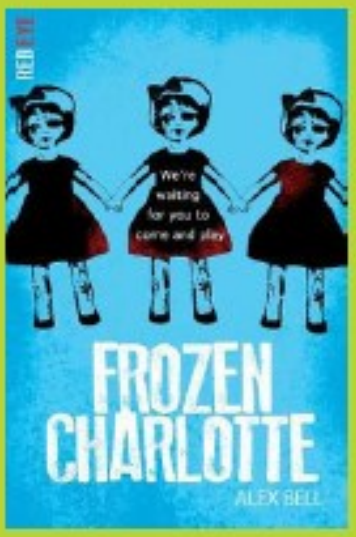

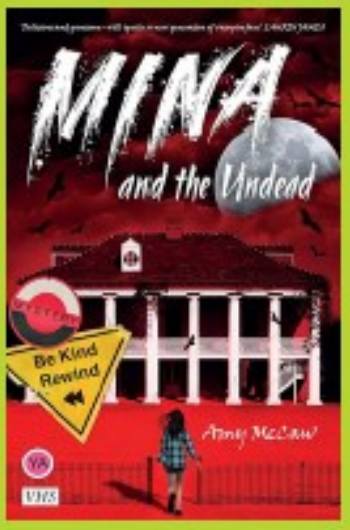

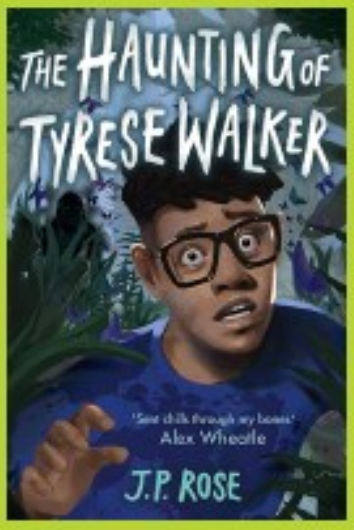

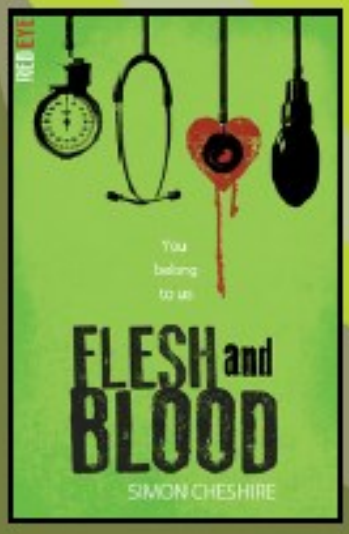

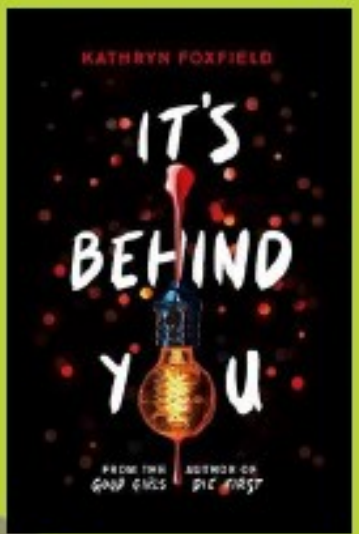

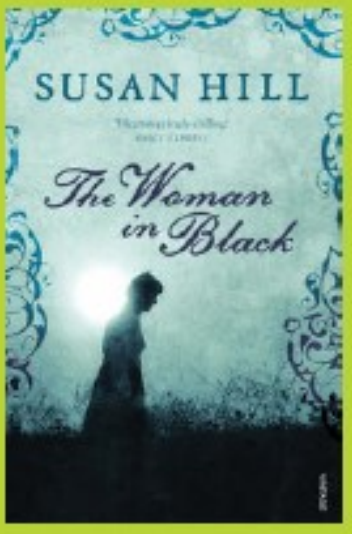

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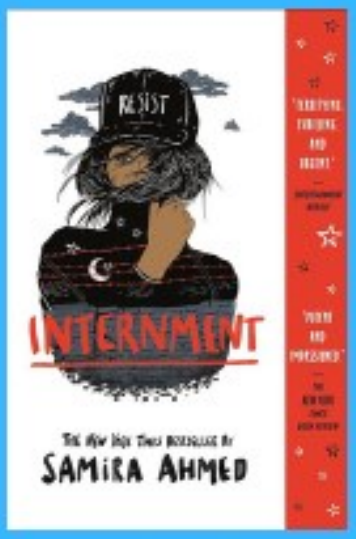

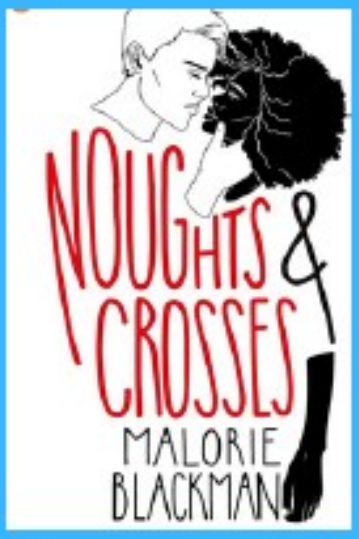

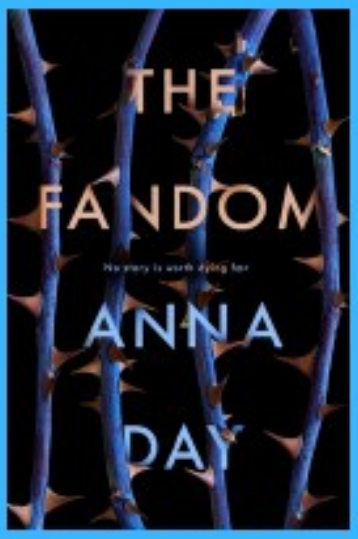

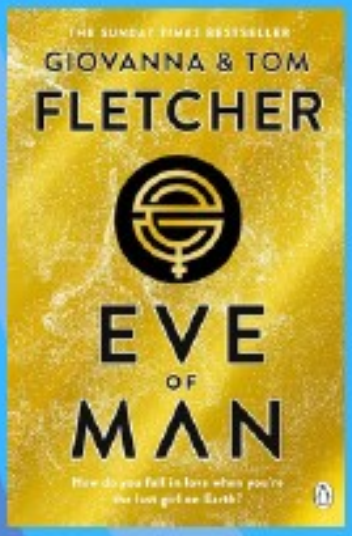

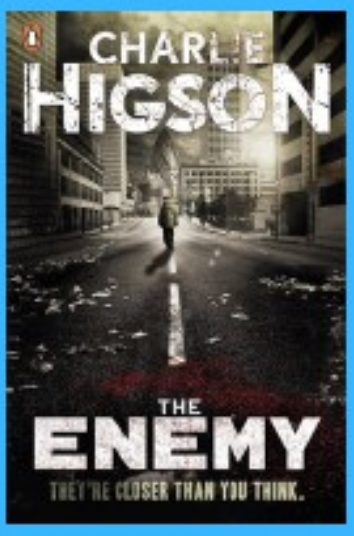

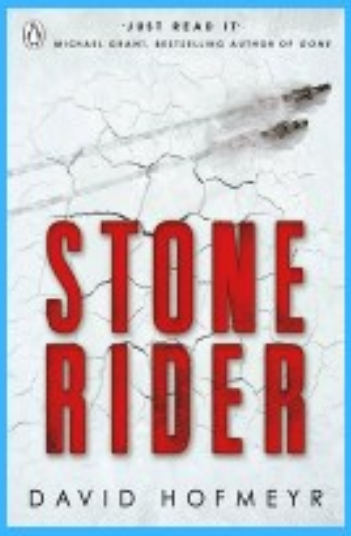

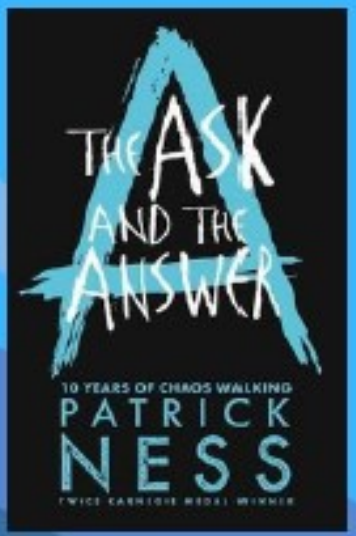

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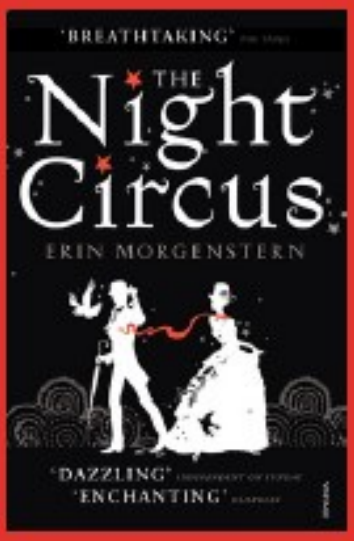

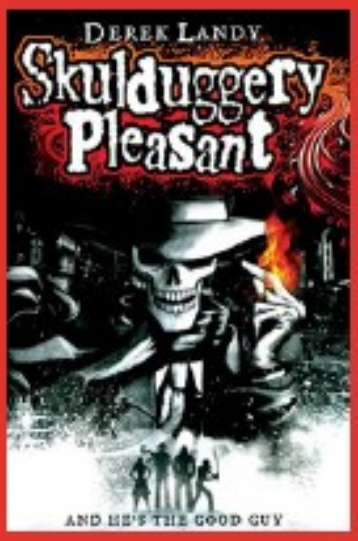

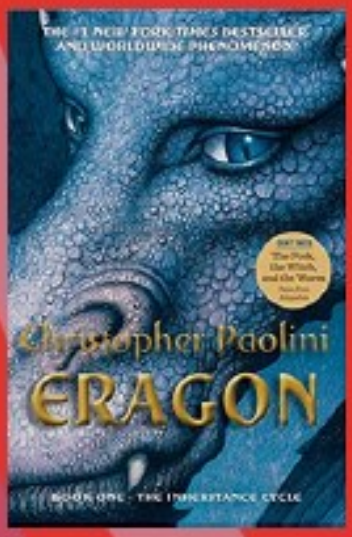

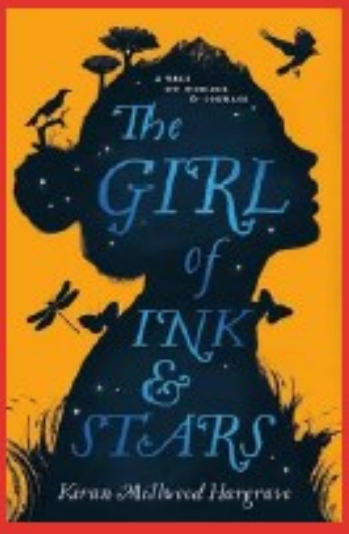

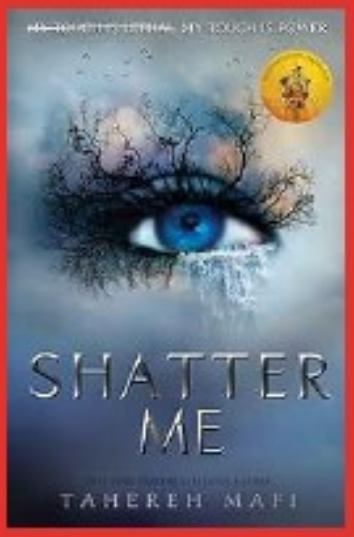

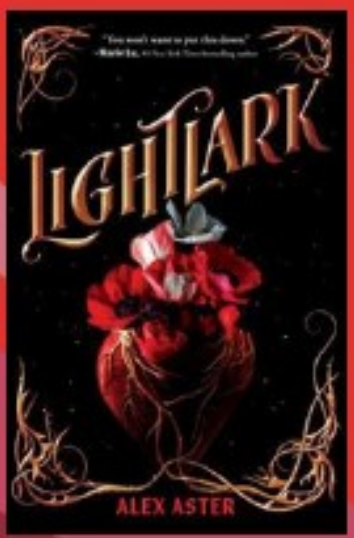

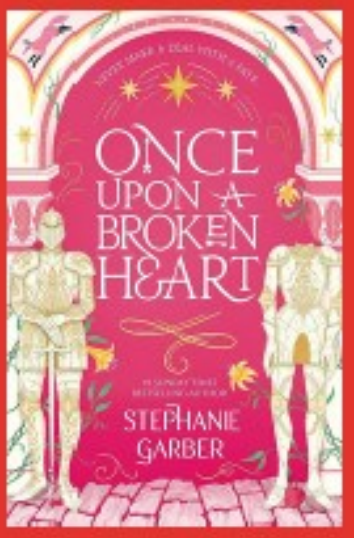

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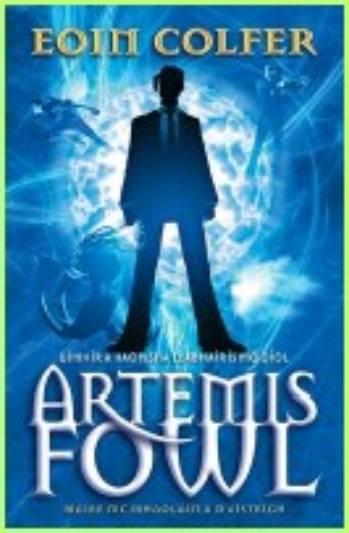

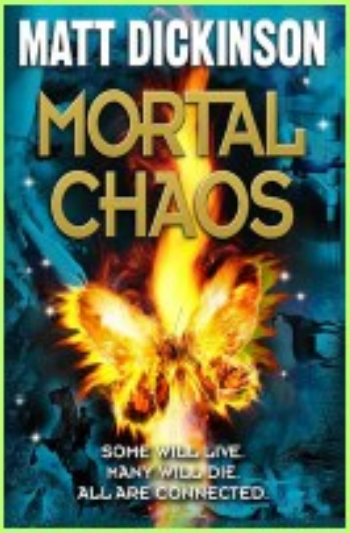

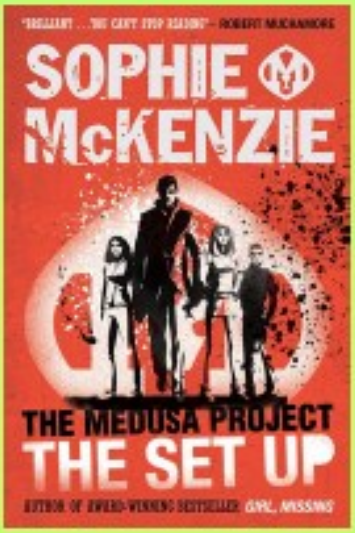

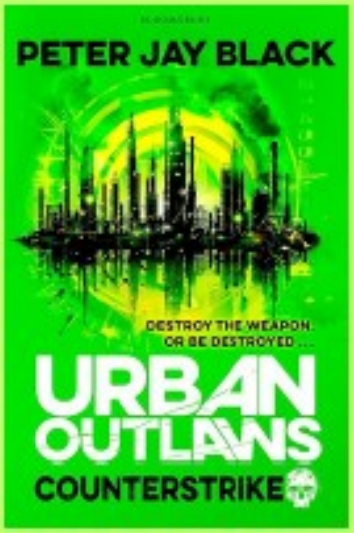

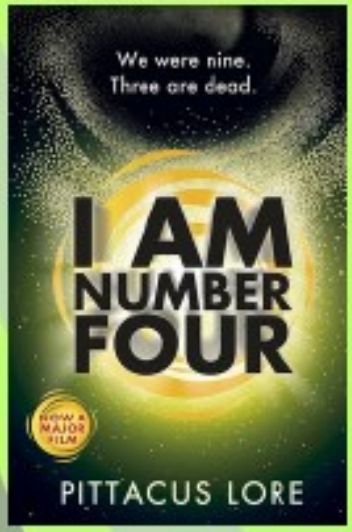

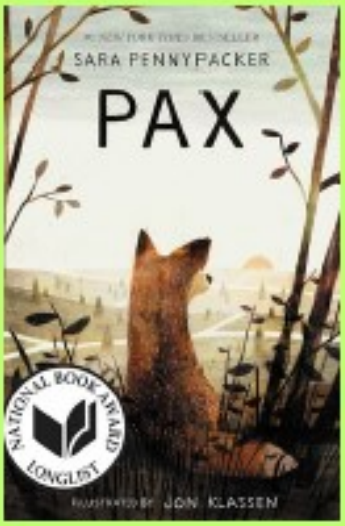

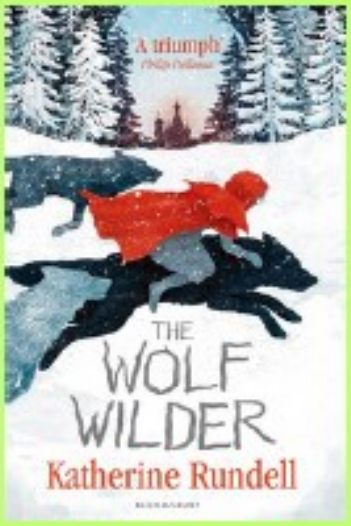

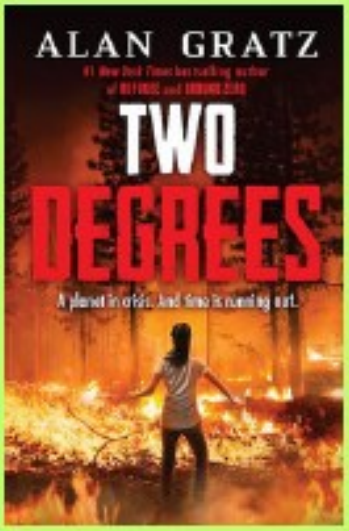

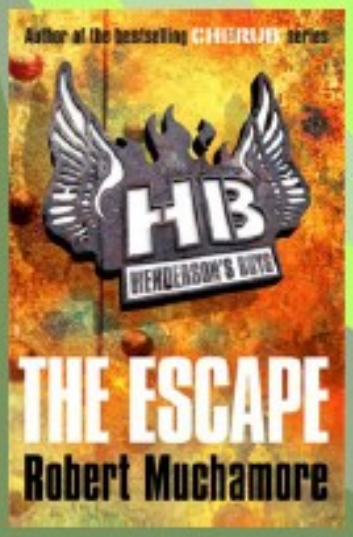

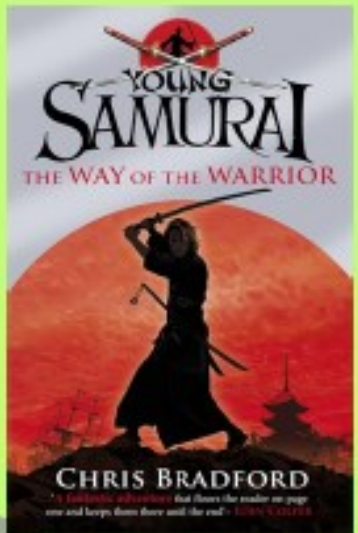

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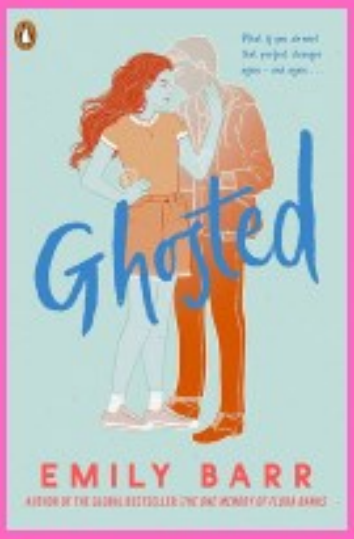

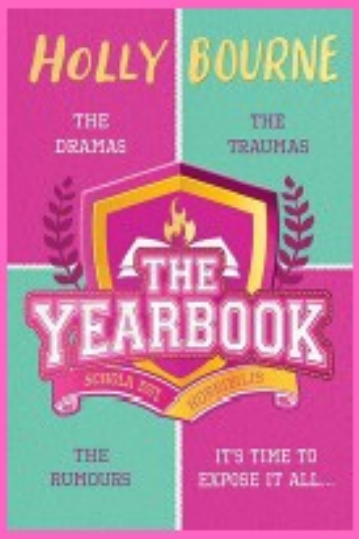

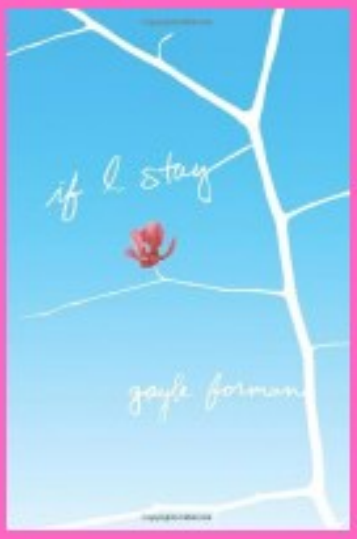

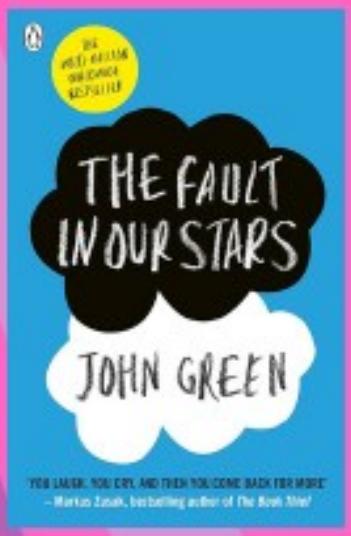

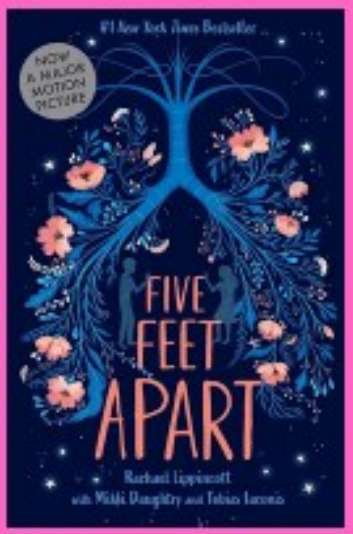

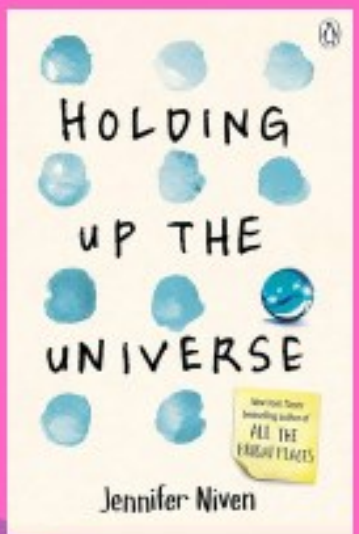

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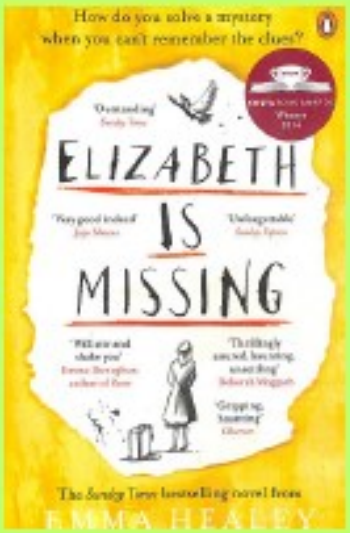

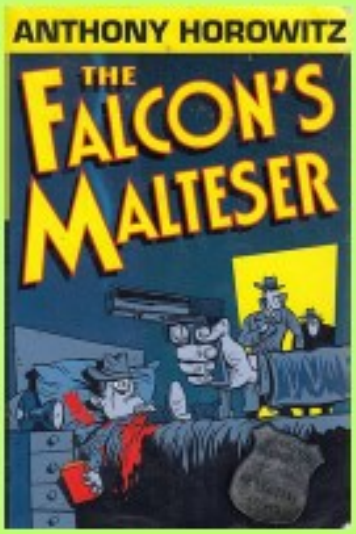

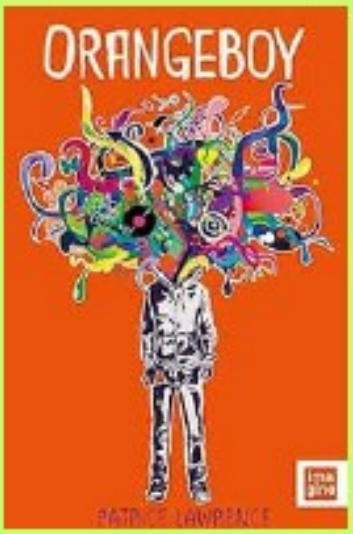

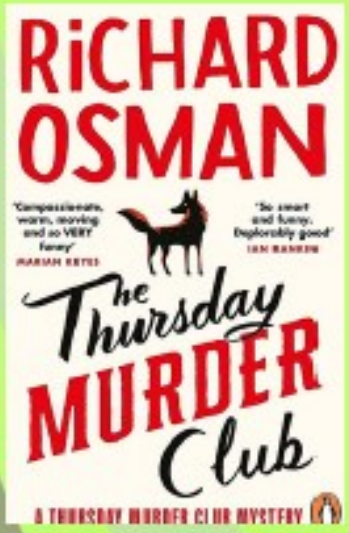

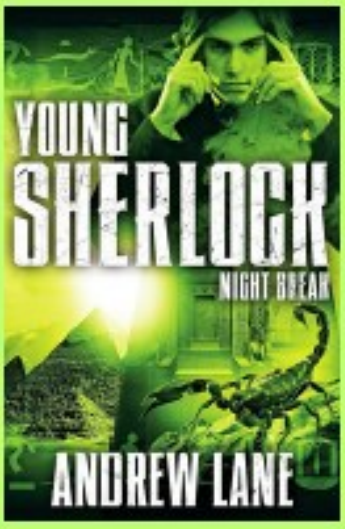

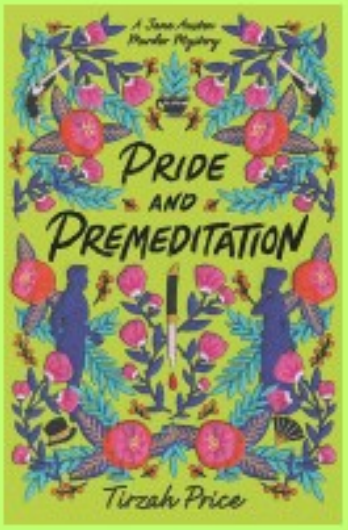

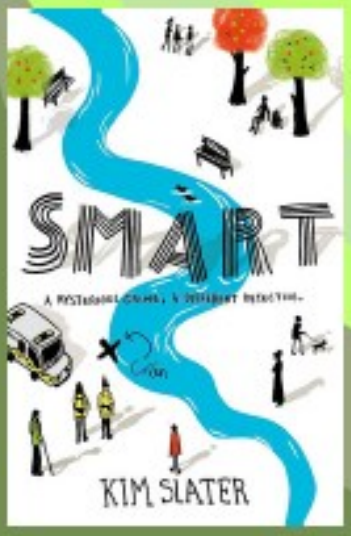

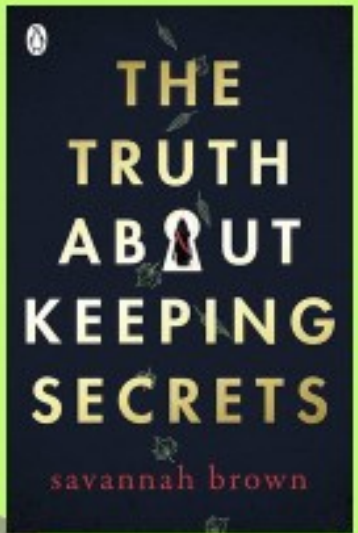

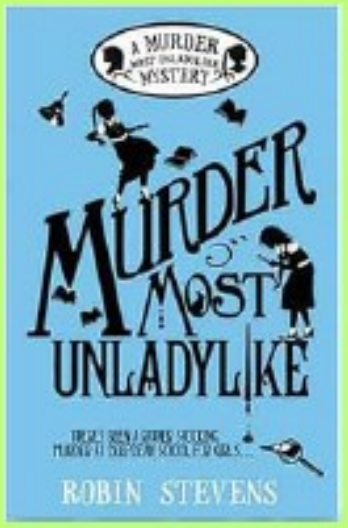

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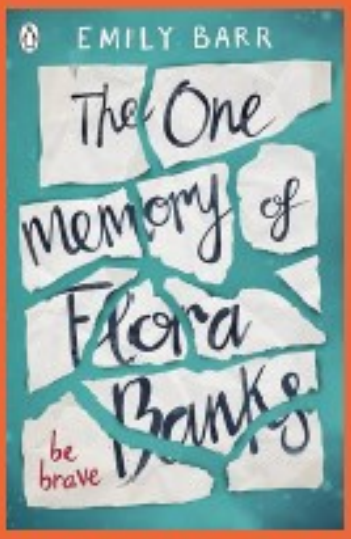

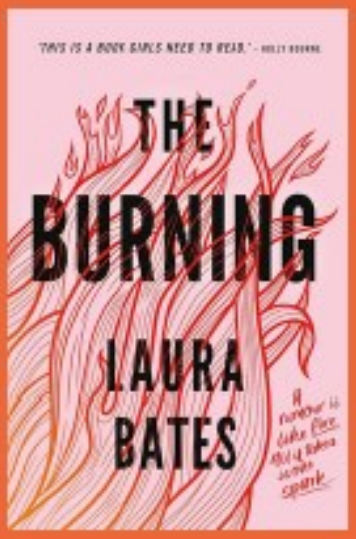

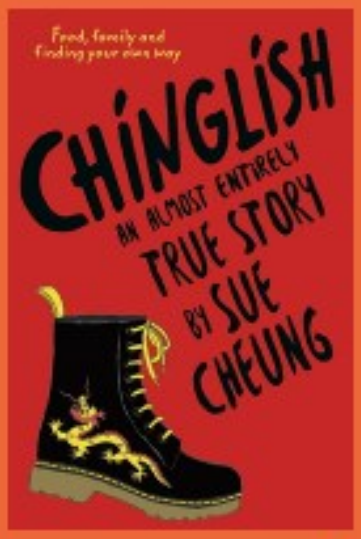

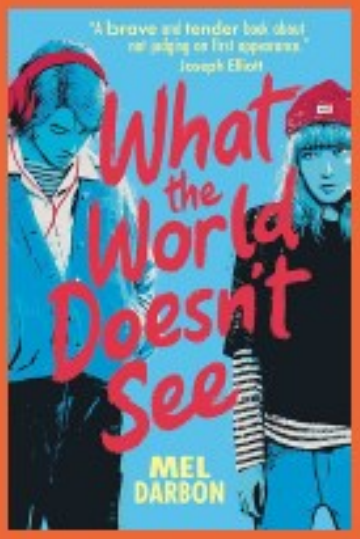

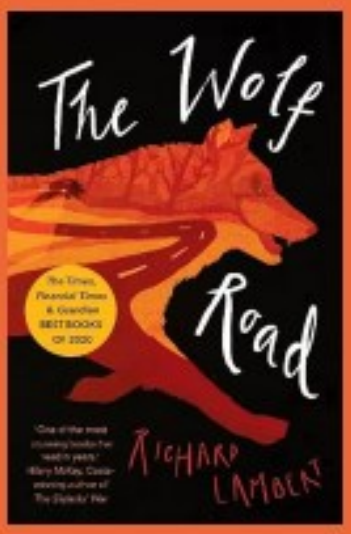

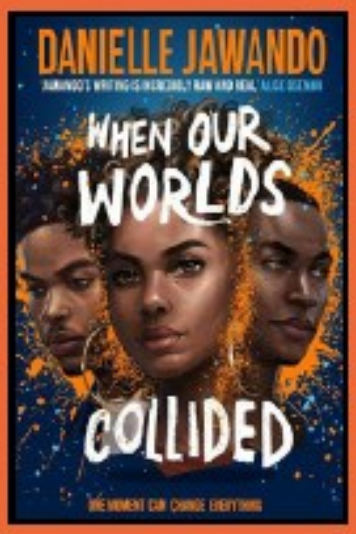

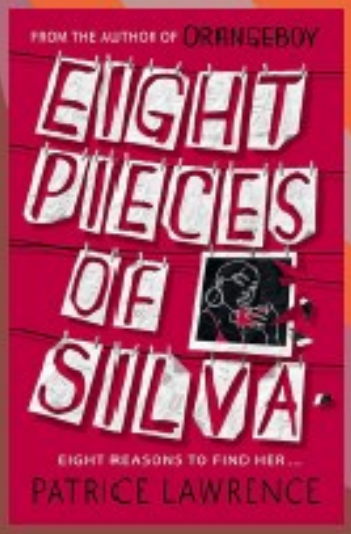

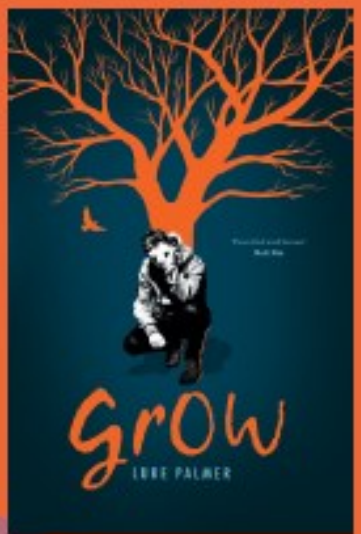

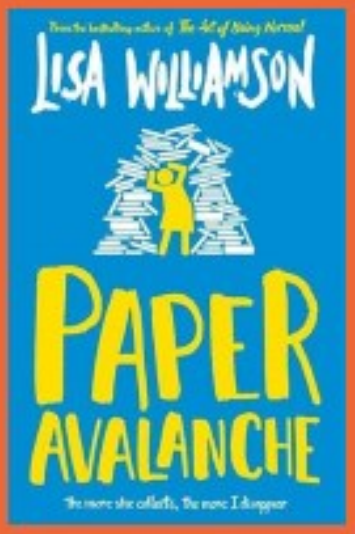

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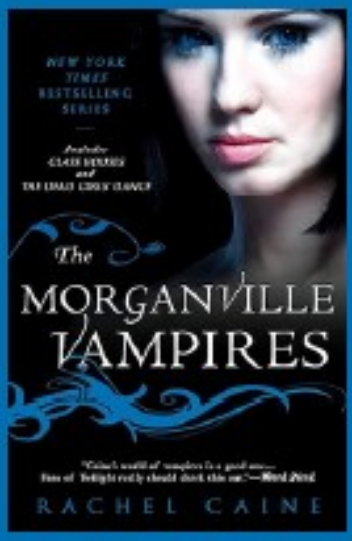

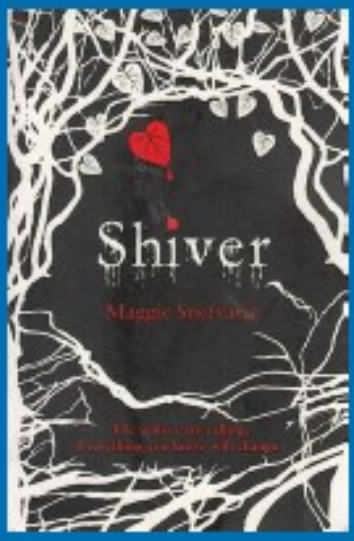

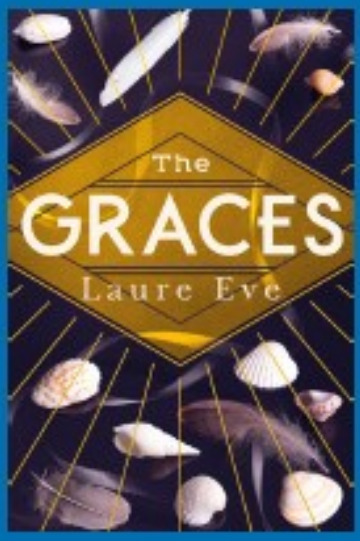

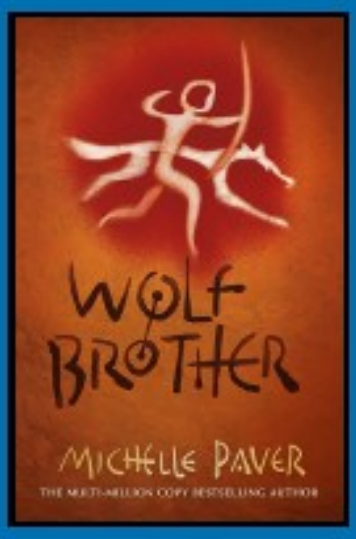

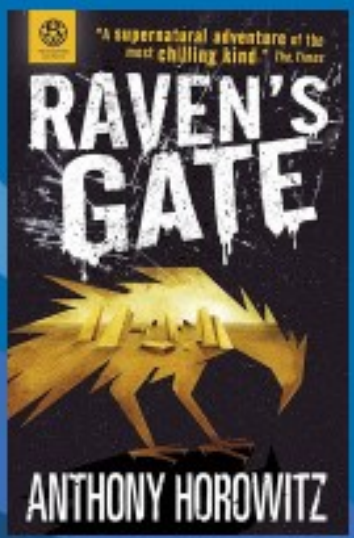

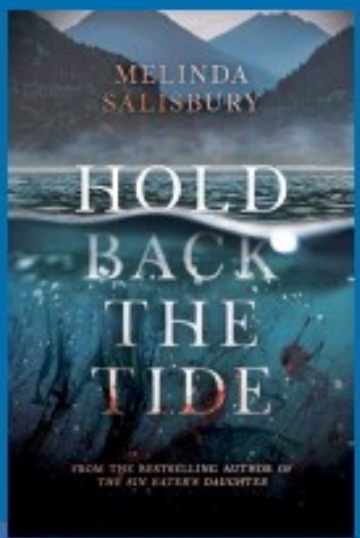

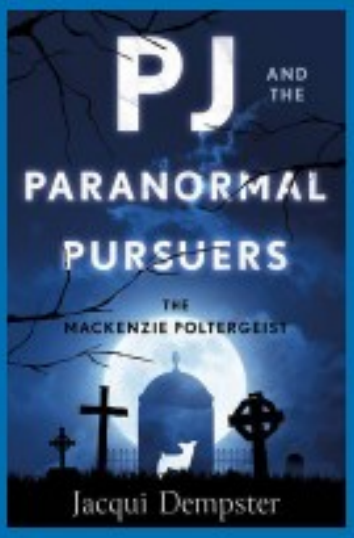

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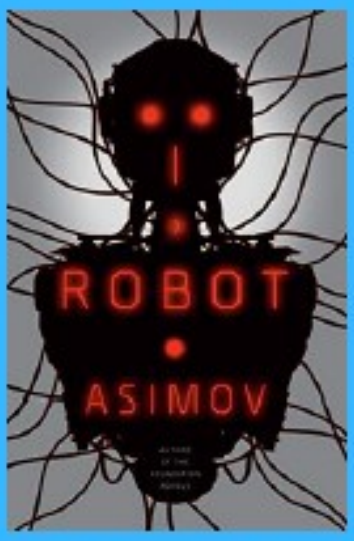

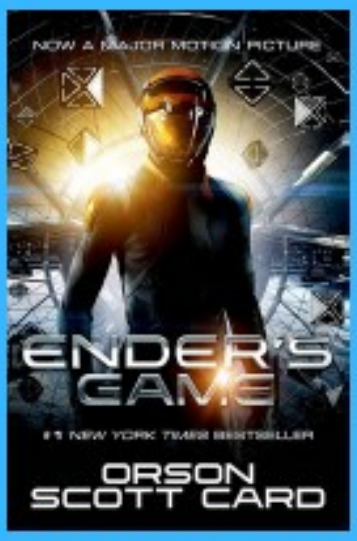

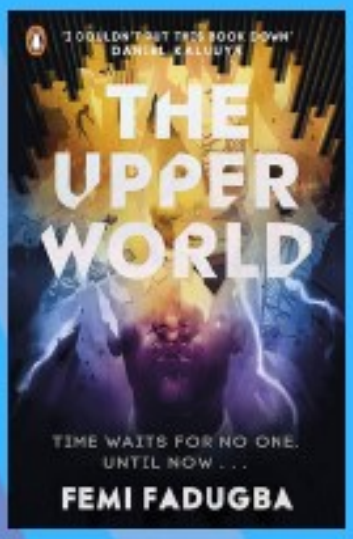

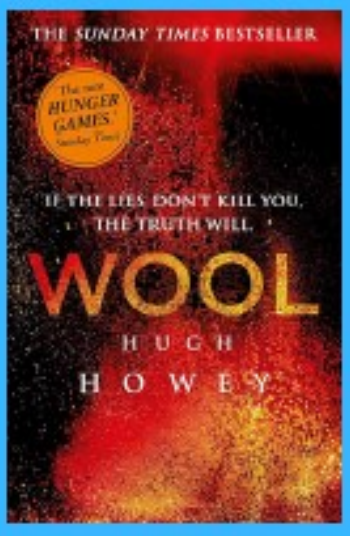

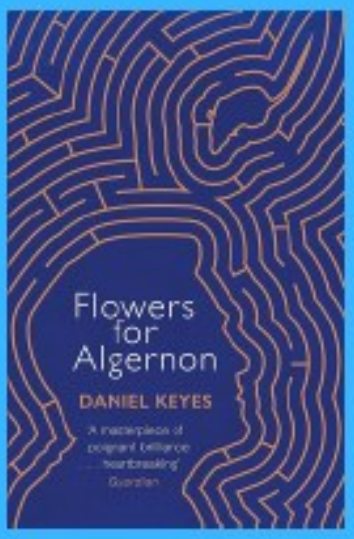

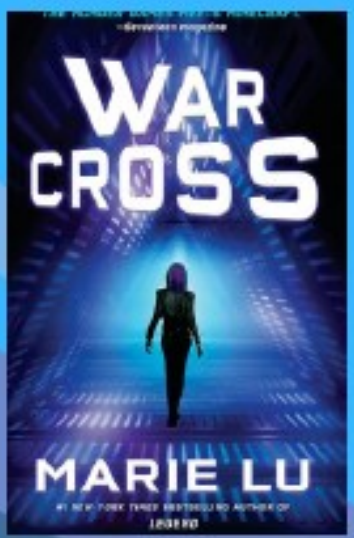

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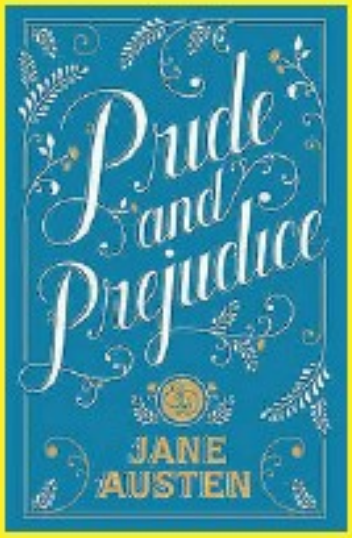

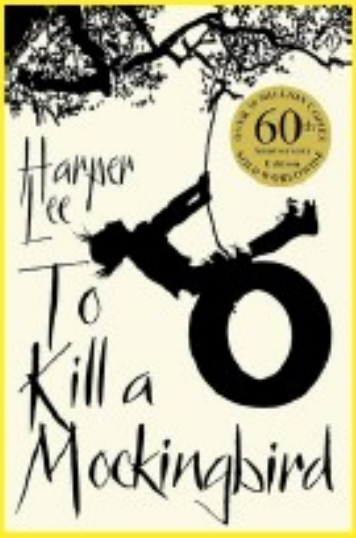

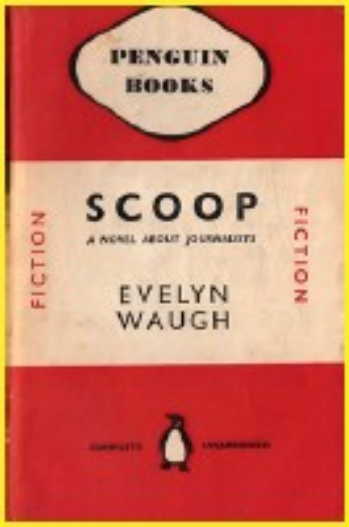

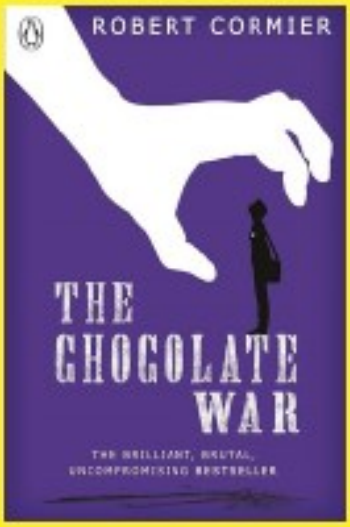

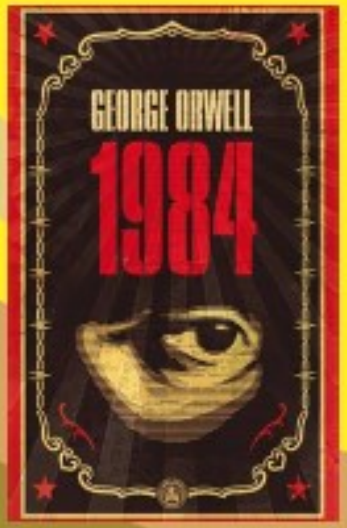

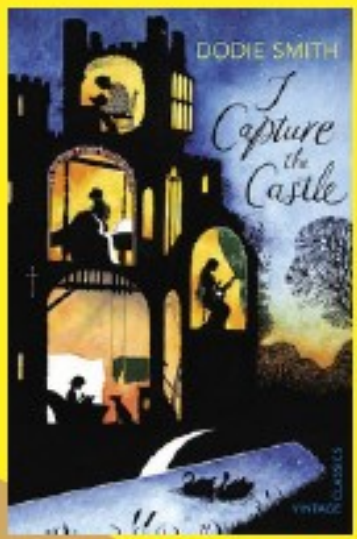

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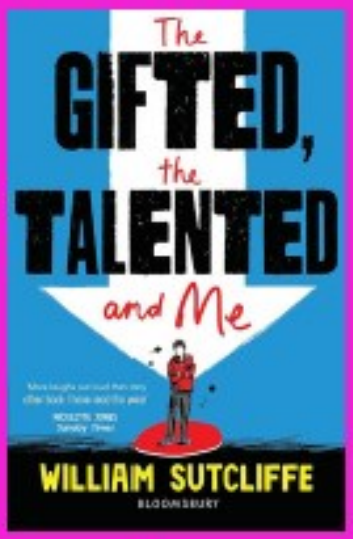

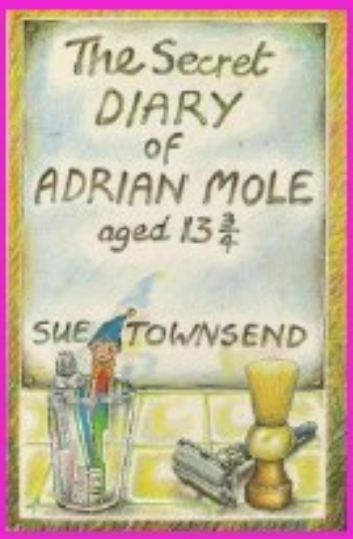

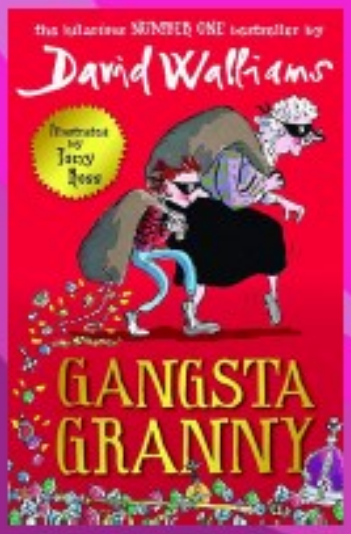

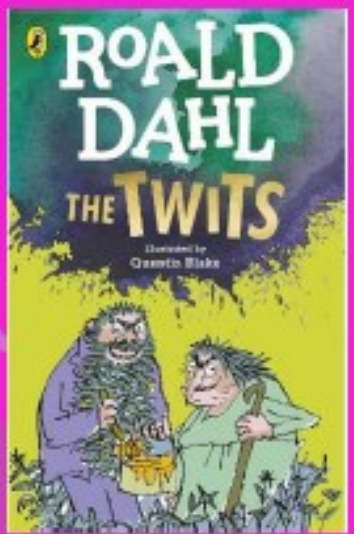

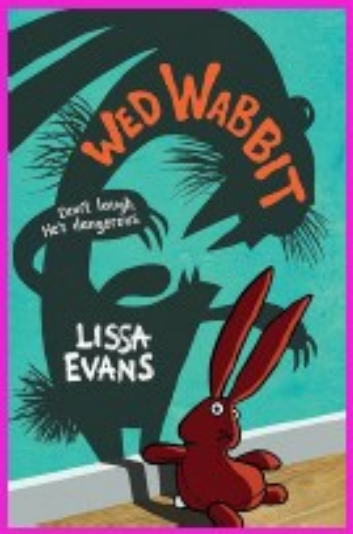

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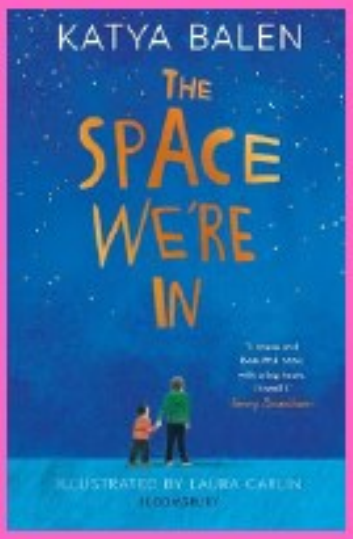

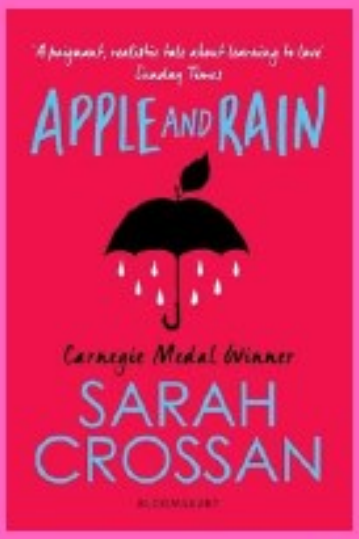

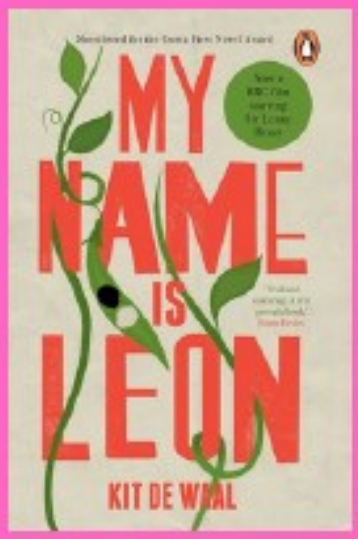

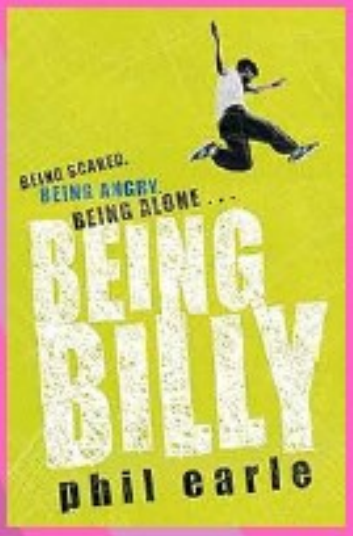

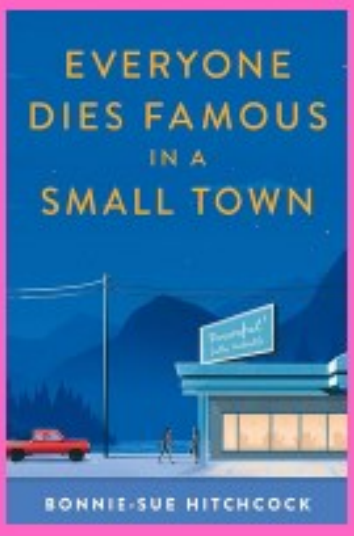

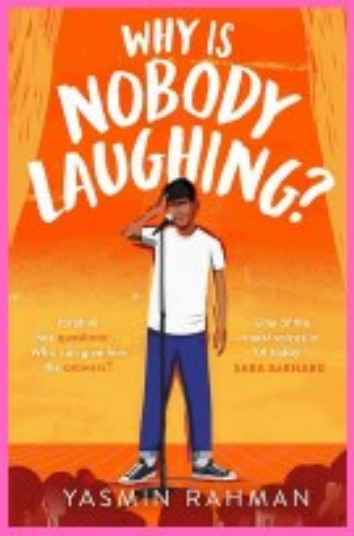

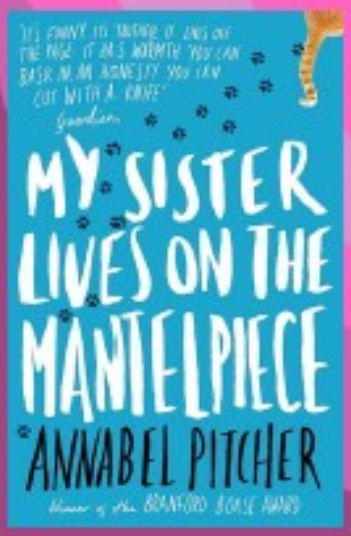

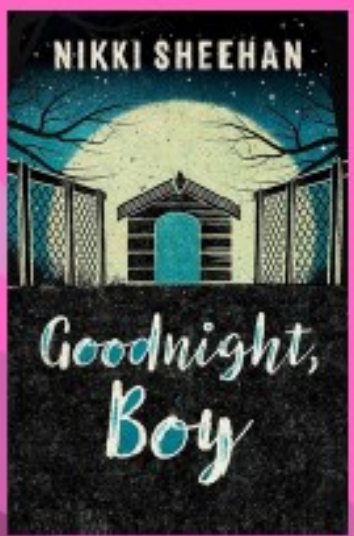

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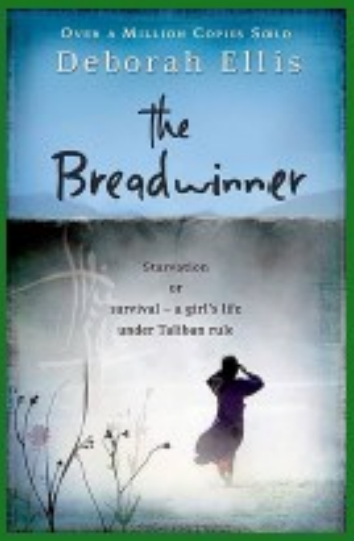

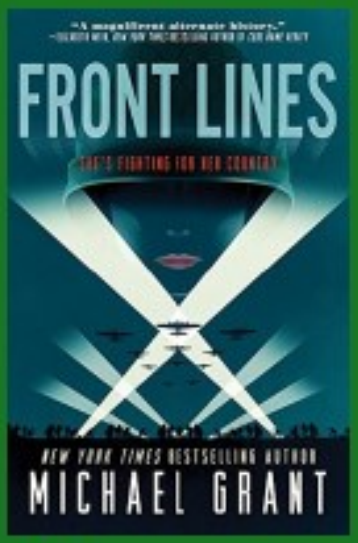

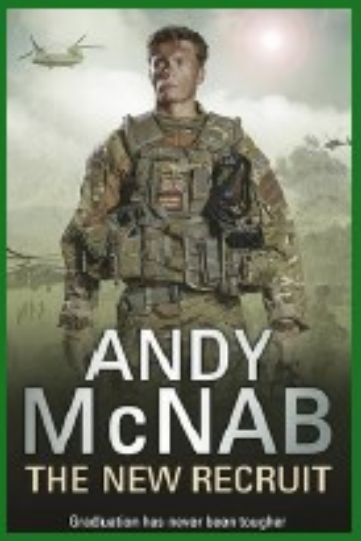

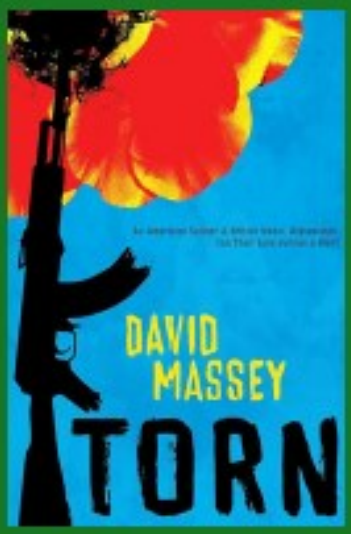

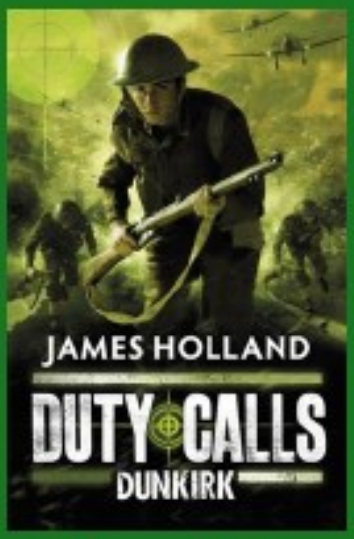

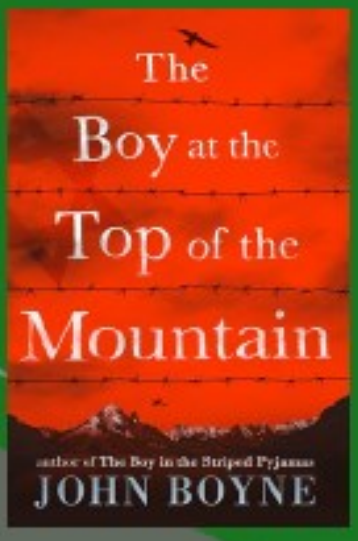

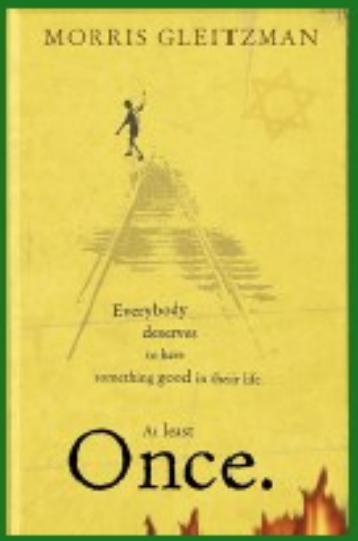

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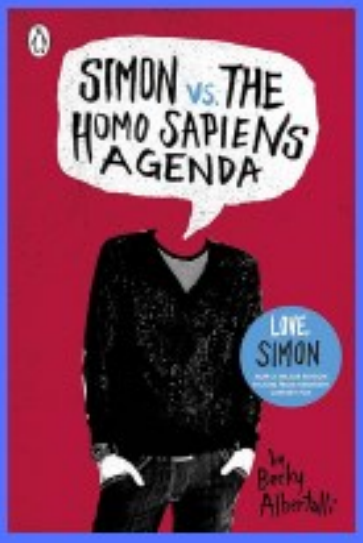

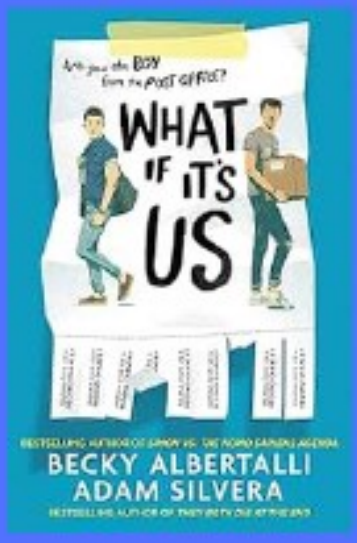

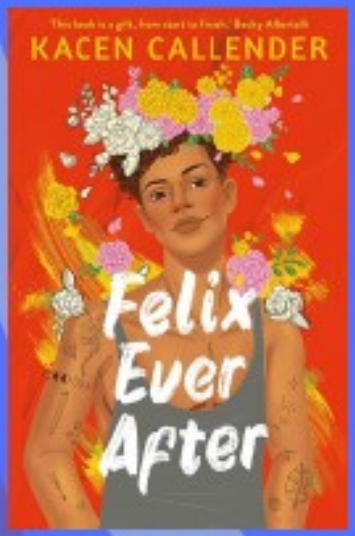

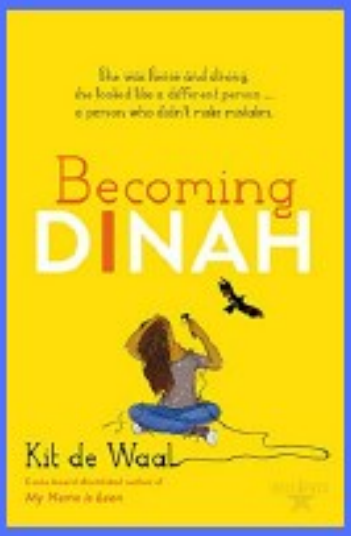

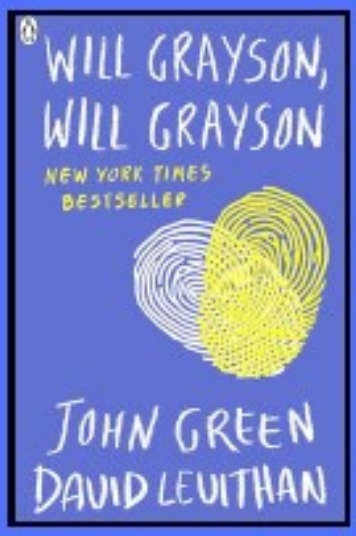

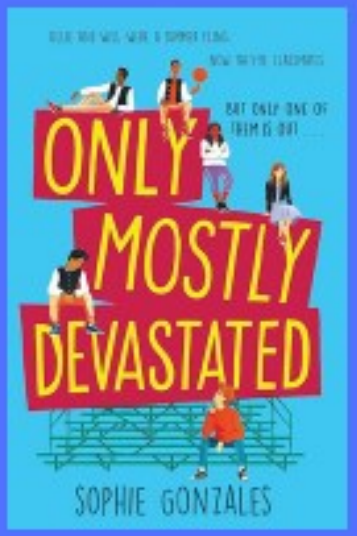

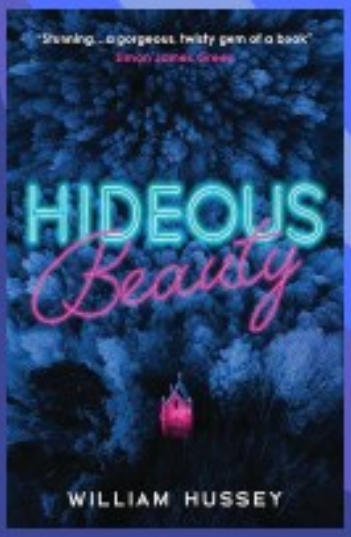

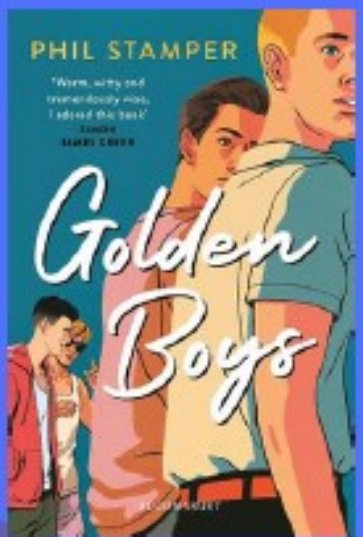

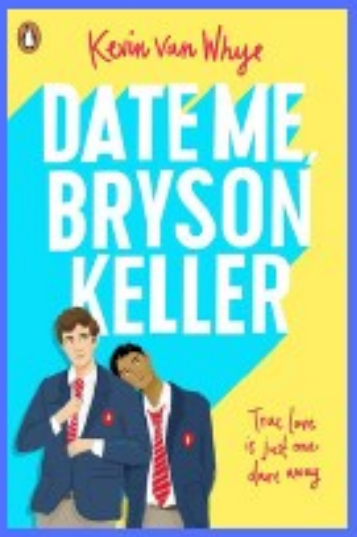

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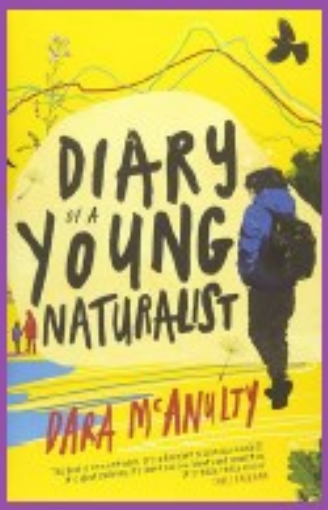

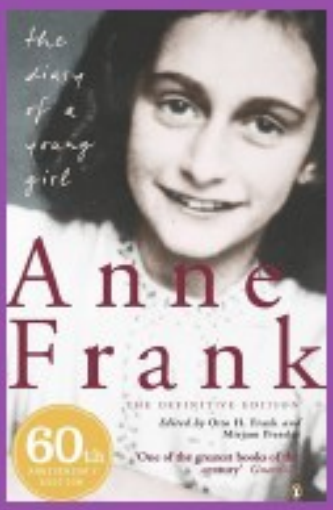

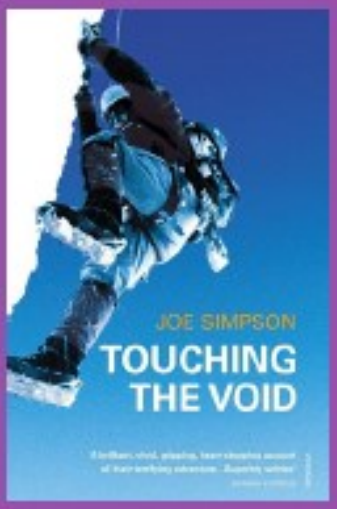

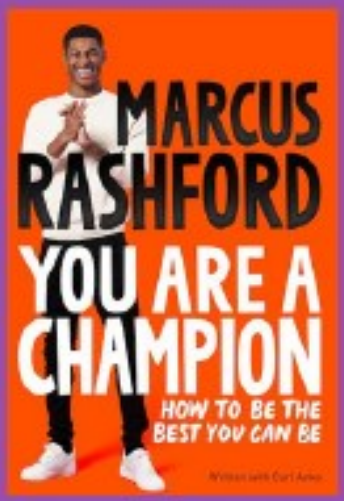

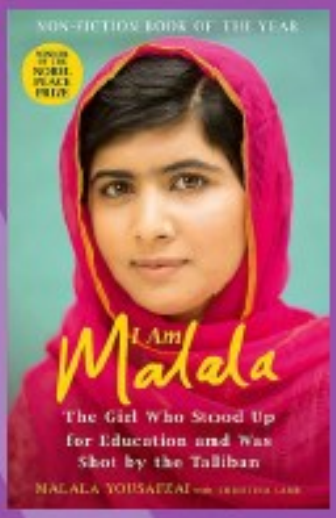

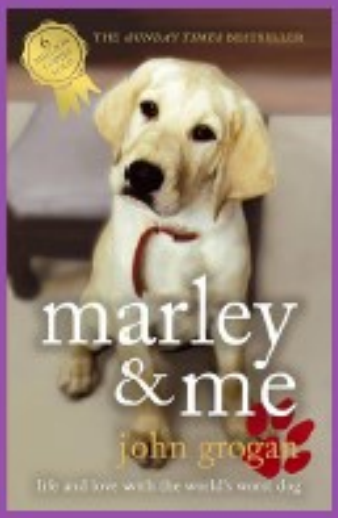

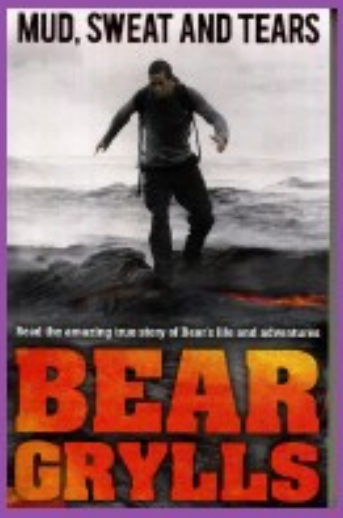

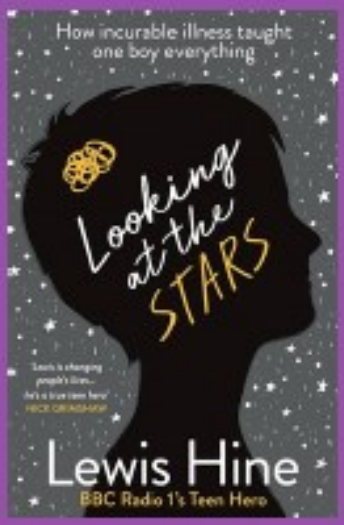

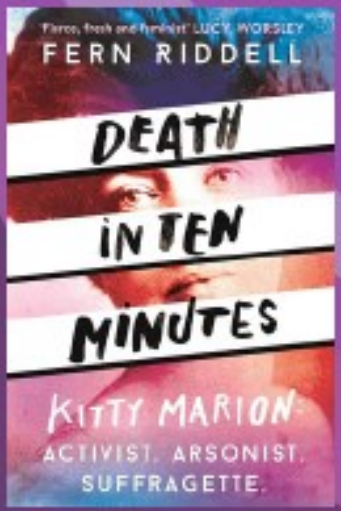

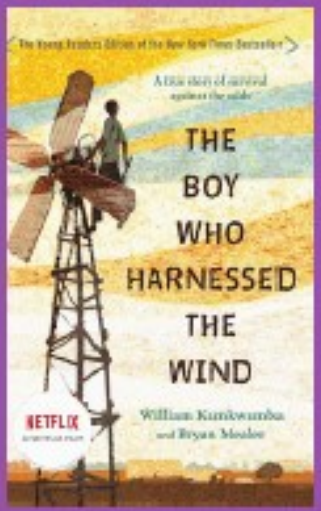

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