

FICTION

Àbíké-Íyímídé, Faridah. *Ace of Spades* (2021)

Welcome to Niveus Private Academy, where money paves the hallways, and the students are never less than perfect. Until now. Because anonymous texter, Aces, is bringing two students' dark secrets to light. Someone is out to get them both. Someone who holds all the aces. And they're planning much more than a high-school game...

YA FIC Àbíké-Íyímídé, e-book, e-audio

Asphyxia. *Words in My Hands* (2021)

2022 Schneider Family Book Award Winner

Piper is 16. She's smart, artistic, rebellious. But she's also deaf. Everyone in her life makes her think she needs to compensate for it, until Marley. Marley shows her she can celebrate her deafness, not hide it.

YA FIC ASPHYXIA, e-book

Becker, Harmony. *Himawari House* (2021)

The Himawari share house in Tokyo provides the landscape for three girls to connect, not only with each other but with the world and culture around them. Nao is a Japanese American looking to connect with her roots; the story begins with her arrival. This coming-of-age story shows the lives of those in the house as they explore their identities, friendships, and the language barriers around them.

YA GN BECKER, e-book

***Black Boy Joy: 17 Stories Celebrating Black Boyhood* (2021)**

From seventeen acclaimed Black male and non-binary authors comes a vibrant collection of stories, comics, and poems about the power of joy and the wonders of Black boyhood.

J FIC BLACK, e-book, e-audio

Boulley, Angeline. *Firekeeper's Daughter* (2021)

2022 Printz Award Winner

What do you do when you never fit in, and the one person you connect with may be involved in a murder? Daunis must decide. She's an 18-year-old biracial, unenrolled Ojibwe tribal member who spends her time taking care of fragile family members. Her brother's hockey teammate, Jamie, is the one escape. But his secrets may prove too much.

YA FIC BOULLEY, e-book, e-audio

Buford, Candace. *Kneel* (2021)

Varsity tight end, Russell Boudreaux, wants out of his small Louisiana town. When his best friend gets unfairly arrested and kicked off the football team, he has a choice to make. He kneels. The action during the national anthem turns him from a local football star into a target.

YA FIC BUFORD, e-book

Falaye, Deborah. *Blood Scion* (2022)

This is what they deserve. They wanted me to be a monster. I will be the worst monster they ever created. Fifteen-year-old Sloane can incinerate an enemy at will—she is a Scion, a descendant of the ancient Orisha gods. Under the Lucis’ brutal rule, her identity means her death if her powers are discovered. But when she is forcibly conscripted into the Lucis army on her fifteenth birthday, Sloane sees a new opportunity: to overcome the bloody challenges of Lucis training, and destroy them from within.

YA FIC FALAYE, e-book

Fipps, Lisa. *Starfish* (2021)

2022 Printz Honor Book

Ever since Ellie wore a whale swimsuit and made a big splash at her fifth birthday party, she’s been bullied about her weight. To cope, she tries to live by the Fat Girl Rules—like “no making waves,” “avoid eating in public,” and “don’t move so fast that your body jiggles.” And she’s found her safe space—her swimming pool—where she feels weightless in a fat-obsessed world. In the water, she can stretch herself out like a starfish and take up all the room she wants. It’s also where she can get away from her pushy mom, who thinks criticizing Ellie’s weight will motivate her to diet. Fortunately, Ellie has allies in her dad, her therapist, and her new neighbor, Catalina, who loves Ellie for who she is. With this support buoying her, Ellie might finally be able to cast aside the Fat Girl Rules and starfish in real life—by unapologetically being her own fabulous self.

J FIC FIPPS, e-book, e-audio

Foody, Amanda. *All of Us Villains* (2021)

The Tournament is coming -- a deadly competition that starts at the Blood Moon and ends when the Blood Veil falls. Ilvernath is the one place in the world where high magick still exists and, until recently, the rest of the world had no idea. One tell-all explosive book exposed the Tournament for the world to see. Seven Ilvernath families compete in the Tournament every generation for control of the high magick. This year’s champions, seven teens, will compete to the death on a global stage. But this time winning isn’t their only goal...

YA FIC FOODY, e-book, e-audio

Frasier, Crystal. *Cheer Up! Love and Pompoms* (2021)

Annie is a smart, antisocial lesbian starting her senior year of high school who’s under pressure to join the cheerleader squad to make friends and round out her college applications. Her former friend BeeBee is a people-pleaser—a trans girl who must keep her parents happy with her grades and social life to keep their support of her transition. Through the rigors of squad training and amped up social pressures (not to mention micro aggressions and other queer youth problems), the two girls rekindle a friendship they thought they’d lost and discover there may be other, sweeter feelings springing up between them.

YA GN FRASIER, HOOPLA e-graphic novel, e-book

**Gilliland, Raquel Vasquez. *How Moon Fuentes Fell in Love with the Universe* (2021)
2022 Pura Belpré Award Young Adult Author Award**

A romance starring a Mexican American teen who discovers love and profound truths about the universe when she spends her summer on a road trip across the country.

YA FIC GILLILAND, e-book, e-audio

Goodman, Jessica. *They'll Never Catch Us* (2021)

Mila Keene is the one thing that Stella and Ellie Steckler have in common. A year apart in age, the two Steckler girls have different paths in high school. Stella is focused -- cross country running is her life. Ellie runs, but parties and friends are more her thing. When top runner Mila moves to town, both girls get distracted, drawn to the charming and smart new girl. And then she goes for a run but never comes back. Was the competition too tight? Did she learn a secret she shouldn't have? It seems the Steckler girls might know...

YA FIC GOODMAN, e-book, e-audio

Grabenstein, Chris. *Dog Squad* (2021)

Duke is not your average dog. Along with his crew, he fights crime and goes on claw-biting adventures helping dogs in peril in the hit streaming sensation--DOG SQUAD! Fred is a pretty average dog. He's scrappy and loveable, but he's not brave like his heroes on Dog Squad. He does look an awful lot like Duke from Dog Squad though. So, when Duke needs a stand-in, Fred's the perfect choice. But the Dog Squad action doesn't always stop on screen! When there's danger in real life, can Fred find the courage to step up and save the day?!

J FIC GRABENSTEIN, e-book, e-audio

Haddix, Margaret Peterson. *The School for Whatnots* (2022)

No matter what anyone tells you, I'm real. That's what the note says that Max finds under his keyboard. He knows that his best friend, Josie, wrote it. He'd know her handwriting anywhere. But why she wrote it--and what it means--remains a mystery. Ever since they met in kindergarten, Max and Josie have been inseparable. Until the summer after fifth grade, when Josie disappears, leaving only a note, and whispering something about "whatnot rules." But why would Max ever think that Josie wasn't real? And what are whatnots? As Max sets to uncover what happened to Josie--and what she is or isn't--little does he know that she's fighting to find him, too. But there are forces trying to keep Max and Josie from ever seeing each other again. Because Josie wasn't supposed to be real.

J FIC HADDIX, J PLAYAWAY HADDIX, e-book, e-audio

Hart, Kevin. *Marcus Makes a Movie* (2021)

Marcus is NOT happy to be stuck in after-school film class . . . until he realizes he can turn the story of the cartoon superhero he's been drawing for years into an actual MOVIE! Making this movie won't be easy. But as Marcus discovers, nothing great ever is--and if you want your dream to come true, you've got to put in the hustle to make it happen.

J FIC HART, J PLAYAWAY HART, e-book, e-audio

Higuera, Donna Barba. *The Last Cuentista* (2021)

2022 Newbery Medal Winner, 2022 Pura Belpré Children's Author Award Winner

There lived a girl named Petra Peña, who wanted nothing more than to be a storyteller, like her abuelita. But Petra's world is ending. Earth has been destroyed by a comet, and only a few hundred scientists and their children – among them Petra and her family – have been chosen to journey to a new planet. Hundreds of years later, Petra wakes to this new planet – and the discovery that she is the only person who remembers Earth. Petra alone now carries the stories of our past, and with them, any hope for our future. Can she make them live again?

J FIC HIGUERA, e-book, e-audio, HOOPLA e-book, HOOPLA e-audio

Holm, Jennifer L. *Turtle in Paradise: The Graphic Novel* (2021)

Life isn't like the movies. But then again, 11-year-old Turtle is no Shirley Temple. She's smart and tough and has seen enough of the world not to expect a Hollywood ending. After all, it's 1935 and jobs and money and sometimes even dreams are scarce. So, when Turtle's mama gets a job housekeeping for a lady who doesn't like kids, Turtle says goodbye without a tear and heads off to Key West, Florida, to live with relatives she's never met. Florida's like nothing Turtle's ever seen before though. It's hot and strange, full of ragtag boy cousins, family secrets, scams, and even buried pirate treasure! Before she knows what's happened, Turtle finds herself coming out of the shell she's spent her life building, and as she does, her world opens up in the most unexpected ways.

J GN HOLM, e-book

Lainoff, Lillie. *One for All* (2022)

Tania de Batz is most herself with a sword in her hand. Then Papa is brutally, mysteriously murdered. His dying wish? For Tania to attend finishing school. But L'Académie des Mariées, Tania realizes, is no finishing school. It's a secret training ground for a new kind of Musketeer: women who are socialites on the surface, but strap daggers under their skirts, seduce men into giving up dangerous secrets, and protect France from downfall. And they don't shy away from a swordfight.

YA FIC LAINOFF, e-book, e-audio

Lee, Kristen R. *Required Reading for the Disenfranchised Freshman* (2022)

Savannah Howard sacrificed her high school social life to make sure she got into a top college. Her sights were set on an HBCU, but when she is accepted to the ivy-covered walls of Wooddale University on a full ride, how can she say no? Wooddale is far from the perfectly manicured community it sells on its brochures, though. Savannah has barely unpacked before she comes face-to-face with microaggressions stemming from racism and elitism. Soon, Savannah is unearthing the hidden secrets of Wooddale's racist history. But what's the price for standing up for what is right? And will telling the truth about Wooddale's past cost Savannah her own future?

YA FIC LEE, e-book, e-audio

Lo, Malinda. *Last Night at the Telegraph Club* (2021)

2022 Printz Honor Book

In 1954 San Francisco, 17-year-old Lily Hu has a lot going on. The Red Scare is running rampant, even for Chinese Americans like Lily and her family, her father faces deportation (despite having become a US citizen), and love is blooming between Lily and Kathleen Miller. The Telegraph Club is a sanctuary for them, a lesbian bar where they can understand who they are and how to move forward in a harsh world.

YA FIC LO, e-book, e-audio

Lukens, F. T. *So This is Ever After* (2022)

Arek hadn't thought much about what would happen after he completed the prophecy that said he was destined to save the Kingdom of Ere from its evil ruler. So now that he's finally managed to (somewhat clumsily) behead the evil king (turns out magical swords yanked from bogs don't come pre-sharpened), he and his rag-tag group of quest companions are at a bit of a loss for what to do next. So Arek assumes the throne until the true heir can be recused. Except now she's dead. And Arek is stuck as king. Which comes with a problem. The ruler must choose a spouse by their 18th birthday, or wither away into nothing. With Arek's birthday 3 months away they need a plan, fast.

YA FIC LUKENS, e-book, e-audio

Maldonado, Crystal. *No Filter and Other Lies* (2022)

Twenty-one-year-old Max Monroe has it all: beauty, friends, and a glittering life filled with adventure. With tons of followers on Instagram, her picture-perfect existence seems eminently enviable. Except it's all fake. Max is actually 16-year-old Kat Sanchez, a quiet and sarcastic teenager living in drab Bakersfield, California. But when one of Max's posts goes ultra-viral and gets back to the very person she's been stealing photos from, her entire world -- real and fake -- comes crashing down around her.

YA FIC MALDONADO, e-book, e-audio

McManus, Karen M. *You'll Be the Death of Me* (2021)

High schoolers Ivy, Mateo, and Cal are having a very bad day. Once close friends, they've drifted apart but today they all have things they want to avoid more than they want to avoid each other. They decide to see if the thing that brought them together in the first place, ditching school and exploring Boston, can work one more time. But unlike last time a classmate's murder sends their day, and their lives, into chaos. They're all hiding something, and they're all connected to the dead kid. What now?

YA FIC MCMANUS, e-book, e-audio

Nazemian, Abdi. *The Chandler Legacies* (2022)

Chandler is an elite boarding school, and the Circle is a coveted writing group run by a professor who tells the students to write their truths. For five students the truth is a challenge. It exposes secrets, abuse, and hazing. It challenges the status quo. The Circle is supposed to create life-changing friendships, but can those friendships survive the truth?

YA FIC NAZEMIAN, e-book, e-audio

Painter, Lynn. *Better Than the Movies* (2021)

Liz Buxbaum has always known that Wes Bennett was not boyfriend material. You would think that her next-door neighbor would be a prince candidate for her romantic comedy fantasies, but Wes has only proven himself to be a pain in the butt, ever since they were little. But as Liz and Wes scheme to get Liz her magical prom moment, she's shocked to discover that she actually likes being around Wes. And as they continue to grow closer, she must reexamine everything she thought she knew about love—and rethink her own perception of what Happily Ever After should really look like.

YA FIC PAINTER, e-book, e-audio

Ponti, James. *Forbidden City (City Spies #3)* (2022)

From a daring break-in at one of London's most exclusive homes to a dangerous undercover mission to a desperate search and rescue operation on the streets of Beijing, the City Spies have their work cut out for them on their most dangerous mission yet.

J FIC PONTI, e-book, e-audio

Redgate, Riley. *Alone Out Here* (2022)

The year is 2072. Soon a volcanic eruption will trigger catastrophic devastation, and the only way out is up. While the world's leaders, scientists, and engineers oversee the frantic production of a space fleet meant to save humankind, their children are brought in for a weekend of touring the Lazarus, a high-tech prototype spaceship. But when the apocalypse arrives months ahead of schedule, First Daughter Leigh Chen and a handful of teens from the tour are the only ones to escape the planet. From the panic arises a coalition of leaders, spearheaded by the pilot's enigmatic daughter, Eli, who takes the wheel in their hunt for a habitable planet. But as isolation presses in, their uneasy peace begins to fracture. The struggle for control will mean the difference between survival and oblivion, and Leigh must decide whether to stand on the side of the mission or of her own humanity.

YA FIC REDGATE, e-book, e-audio

Schwab, V.E. *Gallant* (2022)

Growing up at the Merilance School for Girls, Olivia Prior only had one piece of her past. Her mother's journal which spirals into madness. When she receives a letter inviting her to go to Gallant, her mother's home, she takes it. But no one at Gallant sent the letter. Olivia must learn the secrets that Gallant hides and explore the seam between this world and the shadows where the ghouls live to learn where she truly belongs.

YA FIC SCHWAB, e-book, e-audio

Sepetys, Ruta. *I Must Betray You* (2022)

Cristian Florescu is being blackmailed by Romanian secret police. In 1989 Romania is a dictatorship, and Cristian must make a choice – become an informer or join the revolution and fight for change.

YA FIC SEPETYS, LARGE PRINT SEPETYS, e-book, e-audio

Smith, Cynthia Leitich. *Sisters of the Neversea* (2021)

Stepsisters Lily and Wendy embark on a high-flying journey of magic, adventure, and courage—to a fairy-tale island known as Neverland. Lily and Wendy have been best friends since they became stepsisters. But with their feuding parents planning to spend the summer apart, what will become of their family—and their friendship? Little do they know that a mysterious boy has been watching them from the oak tree outside their window. A boy who intends to take them away from home for good, to an island of wild animals, Merfolk, Fairies, and kidnapped children. A boy who calls himself Peter Pan.
J FIC SMITH, e-book, e-audio

Stone, Nic. *Fast Pitch* (2021)

Shenice Lockwood has her eyes set on the Fastpitch World Series. As team captain, she'd like nothing more than to help her girls take home the trophy and the \$10,000 prize money. And as one of the few brown faces on the field, it'd be a personal triumph to show up her rich, white opponents. But Shenice's focus gets shaken when her Uncle Jack reveals that a family crime may have been a set-up all along. Shenice will stop at nothing to uncover the past. The closer she gets to the truth, though, the further she gets from her goals for the future.
J FIC STONE, e-book, e-audio

Stroud, Jonathan. *The Outlaws Scarlett and Browne* (2021)

When formidable outlaw, Scarlett McCain, discovers a wrecked coach on a lonely road, there is only one survivor – the seemingly hapless youth, Albert Browne. Against her instincts, Scarlett agrees to escort him to safety. This is a mistake. Soon, new and implacable enemies are on her heels. As a relentless pursuit continues across the broken landscape of England, Scarlett must fight to uncover the secrets of Albert's past – and come to terms with the implications of her own.
J FIC STROUD, e-book, e-audio

Sutherland, Krystal. *House of Hollow* (2021)

Something strange and creepy lurks this way... The Hollow sisters (Grey, Viv, and Iris) went missing when they were children. They reappeared one month later with no memory of what happened. Strange things began to happen to them, their hair and eyes changed, they became exceptional. But now, when they're all supposed to get back together, Grey goes missing. And Iris needs to find out why, even if the path is bizarre and the answers are dark.
YA FIC SUTHERLAND, e-book, e-audio

Swiedler, Christopher. *The Orpheus Plot* (2021)

Lucas Adebayo grew up on a small mining ship in the asteroid belt, but wants to join the Navy and become the best pilot in the galaxy. The Navy has never accepted a Belter cadet before, but Lucas' skills secure him a place on the training ship, the Orpheus. Life in the Navy couldn't be more different than life in the Belt, and Lucas struggles to find his place.
J FIC SWIEDLER, e-book

Taylor, Emily J. *Hotel Magnifique* (2022)

All her life, Jani has dreamed of Elsewhere. Just barely scraping by with her job at a tannery, she's resigned to a dreary life in the port town of Durc, caring for her younger sister Zosa. That is, until the Hotel Magnifique comes to town. The hotel is legendary not only for its whimsical enchantments, but also for its ability to travel—appearing in a different destination every morning. While Jani and Zosa can't afford the exorbitant costs of a guest's stay, they can interview to join the staff, and are soon whisked away on the greatest adventure of their lives. But once inside, Jani quickly discovers their contracts are unbreakable and that beneath the marvelous glamour, the hotel is hiding dangerous secrets.

YA FIC TAYLOR, YA PLAYAWAY TAYLOR, e-book, e-audio

Thayer, Mike. *The Double Life of Danny Day* (2021)

A boy who lives every day twice uses his ability to bring down bullies at his new school.

J FIC THAYER, e-book

***This is Our Rainbow: 16 Stories of Her, Him, Them, and Us* (2021)**

The first LGBTQIA+ anthology for middle-graders featuring stories for every letter of the acronym, including realistic, fantasy, and sci-fi stories by authors like Justina Ireland, Marieke Nijkamp, Alex Gino, and more!

J FIC THIS, e-book, e-audio

Thomas, Angie. *Concrete Rose* (2021)

2022 Printz Honor Book

Maverick Carter is 17 and needs to take care of his family. His father was a gang legend before he landed in prison, so it only makes sense that Mav will deal for the same gang. But when Mav finds out he's a dad, things get more complicated. And when he's offered an out, a chance to get straight, he'll learn what it really means to be a man.

YA FIC THOMAS, YA PLAYAWAY THOMAS, e-book, e-audio

Tokuda-Hall, Maggie. *Squad* (2021)

New girl Becca is in for a surprise when she finds out her new friends, the most popular girls in school, are werewolves. Not just any werewolves. The kind who prey on boys who take advantage of unsuspecting girls. Toxic boys. But with a murder, police getting involved, and some growing attraction things get complicated. Fast. (Graphic Novel)

YA GN TOKUDA-HALL, e-book

Urban, Diana. *These Deadly Games* (2022)

Let's play a game. You have 24 hours to win. If you break my rules, she dies. If you call the police, she dies. If you tell your parents or anyone else, she dies.

Are you ready?

When Crystal Donovan gets a message on a mysterious app with a video of her little sister gagged and bound, she agrees to play the kidnapper's game. At first, they make her complete bizarre tasks: steal a test and stuff it in a locker, bake brownies, make a prank call. Crystal realizes each task is meant to hurt, kill, her friends. As Crystal makes impossible choices

between her sister and her friends, she must uncover the truth and find a way to outplay the kidnapper... before it's too late.

YA FIC URBAN, e-book

Wilson, Kip. *The Most Dazzling Girl in Berlin* (2022)

After her eighteenth birthday, Hilde, a former orphan in 1930s Berlin, goes out into the world to discover her place in it. But finding a job is hard, at least until she stumbles into Café Lila, a vibrant cabaret full of expressive customers—and Rosa, the club's waitress and performer. As the café and all who work there embrace Hilde, and she embraces them in turn, she discovers her voice and her own blossoming feelings for Rosa.

YA FIC WILSON, e-book

Woodfolk, Ashley. *Nothing Burns as Bright as You* (2022)

Two girls. One wild and reckless day. Years of tumultuous history unspooling like a thin, fraying string in the hours after they set a fire. They were best friends. Until they became more. Their affections grew. Until the blurry lines became dangerous.

Over the course of a single day, the depth of their past, the confusion of their present, and the unpredictability of their future is revealed. And the girls will learn that hearts, like flames, aren't so easily tamed. It starts with a fire. How will it end?

YA FIC WOODFOLK, e-book, e-audio

Xu, Wendy. *Tidesong* (2021)

Sophie is a young witch whose mother and grandmother pressure her to attend the Royal Magic Academy—the best magic school in the realm—even though her magic is shaky at best. To train for her entrance exams, Sophie is sent to relatives she's never met. When Cousin Sage and Great-Aunt Lan make her do more chores than magic, Sophie tries on her own. But the spell goes wrong, and she accidentally entangles her magic with the magic of a young water dragon named Lir. What now?

J GN XU, e-book

Yee, Lisa. *Maizy Chen's Last Chance* (2022)

Maizy has never been to Last Chance, Minnesota. . . until now. Her Mom's plan is just to stay for a couple weeks, until her grandfather gets better. But plans change, and as Maizy spends more time in Last Chance (where she and her family are the only Asian-Americans) and at The Golden Palace—the restaurant that's been in her family for generations—she makes some discoveries. And when she discovers that a beloved family treasure has gone missing—and someone has left a racist note—Maizy decides it's time find the answers.

J FIC YEE, e-book, e-audio

Yen, Jennifer. *Love Decoded* (2022)

High school junior Gigi Wong strives to be the best: the top student, the perfect friend, and the ideal daughter. But it's tough when there's always someone who is just a little bit better. After her teacher, Ms. Harris, announces she'll be nominating students for an app writing contest, Gigi is determined to be picked. There's only one problem: she doesn't have a winning program.

It isn't until transfer student Etta admits she's struggling to fit in at Superbia that Gigi stumbles on an idea. She'll use her coding skills--and the matchmaking experience she's gotten from weekends with Auntie Rose--to create a friend matching app!

YA FIC YEN, e-book, e-audio

Yoon, Nicola. *Instructions for Dancing* (2021)

Evie Thomas doesn't believe in love. But what happens when she's gifted a book that gives her the power to see the beginning, middle, and end of the romances around her? The address inside the book leads to a dance studio where Evie learns more than just ballroom dancing, she learns about love.

YA FIC YOON, YA PLAYAWAY YOON, e-book, e-audio

NONFICTION:

Colbert, Brandy. *Black Birds in the Sky: The Story and Legacy of the 1921 Tulsa Race Massacre* (2021)

2022 YALSA Award for Excellence in Nonfiction for Young Adults Finalist

The Tulsa Race Massacre has long failed to fit into the story Americans like to tell themselves about the history of their country. This book, ambitious and intimate in turn, explores the ways in which the story of the Tulsa Race Massacre is the story of America—and by showing us who we are, points to a way forward.

YA 976.686 COLBERT, YA PLAYAWAY 976.686 COLBERT, e-book, e-audio

Fleming, Candace. *Murder Among Friends: How Leopold and Loeb Tried to Commit the Perfect Crime* (2022)

How did two teenagers brutally murder an innocent child...and *why*? And how did their brilliant lawyer save them from the death penalty in 1920s Chicago? Written by a prolific master of narrative nonfiction, this is a compulsively readable true-crime story based on an event dubbed the crime of the century.

YA 364.15 FLEMING, e-book

Goldstone, Lawrence. *Days of Infamy: How a Century of Bigotry Led to Japanese American Internment* (JUNE 2022)

In 1944 the US Supreme Court ruled, in *Korematsu v. United States*, that the forcible deportation and detention of Japanese Americans on the basis of race was a "military necessity." Today it is widely considered one of the worst Supreme Court decisions of all time. But *Korematsu* was not an isolated event. In fact, the Court's racist ruling was the result of a deep-seated anti-Japanese, anti-Asian sentiment running all the way back to the California Gold Rush of the mid-1800s. Starting from this pivotal moment, Goldstone will take young readers through the key events of the 19th and 20th centuries leading up to the fundamental injustice of Japanese American internment. Tracing the history of Japanese immigration to America and the growing fear whites had of losing power, Goldstone will raise deeply resonant questions of what makes an American an American, and what it means for the Supreme Court to stand as the "people's" branch of government.

e-book

Greenfield, Amy Butler. *The Woman All Spies Fear: Code Breaker Elizebeth Smith Friedman and Her Hidden Life* (2021)

2022 YALSA Award for Excellence in Nonfiction for Young Adults Finalist

Elizebeth Smith Friedman always had a penchant for solving riddles. It was this skill, and a desire to do something with her life that led her to become one of the top cryptanalysts in America during both World War I and II. Elizebeth and her husband, William, became the top codebreaking team in the US, and she did it all at a time when women weren't a welcome presence in the workforce.

YA BIO FRIEDMAN, e-book, e-audio

Jarrow, Gail. *Ambushed!: The Assassination Plot Against President Garfield* (2021)

2022 YALSA Award for Excellence in Nonfiction for Young Adults Winner

In this book, author Gail Jarrow delves into the story of the relationship between President Garfield and his assassin, Charles Guiteau, and relates the gruesome details of Garfield's slow and agonizing death. She reveals medical mistakes made in the aftermath of Garfield's assassination, including the faulty diagnoses and outdated treatments that led to the president's demise.

YA 973.84 JARROW, e-book

Obama, Barack. *Dreams from My Father: A Story of Race and Inheritance*; adapted for Young Adults (2021)

A revealing portrait of a young Black man asking questions about self-discovery and belonging—long before he became one of the most important voices in America. This unique edition includes a new introduction from the author, full-color photo insert, and family tree.

YA BIO OBAMA, e-book

Sheinkin, Steve. *Fallout: Spies, Superbombs, and the Ultimate Cold War Shutdown* (2021)

As World War II comes to a close, the United States and the Soviet Union emerge as the two greatest world powers on extreme opposites of the political spectrum. After the United States showed its hand with the atomic bomb in Hiroshima, the Soviets refuse to be left behind. With Communism sweeping the globe, the two nations begin a neck-and-neck competition to build even more destructive bombs and conquer the Space Race. In their battle for dominance, spy planes fly above, armed submarines swim deep below, and undercover agents meet in the dead of night. The Cold War game grows more precarious as weapons are pointed towards each other, with fingers literally on the trigger. The decades-long showdown culminates in the Cuban Missile Crisis, the world's close call with the third—and final—world war.

J 972.9106 SHEINKIN, J PLAYAWAY 972.9106 SHEINKIN, e-book, e-audio

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