

Classics

Alexie, Sherman. **The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian** (YA Alexie)
Anonymous. **Go Ask Alice** (YA Anonymous)
Houston, James D. and Jeanne Wakatsuki. **Farewell to Manzanar** (YA Houston)
Kesey, Ken. **One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest** (YA Kesey)
Kingslover, Barbara. **The Bean Trees**.
Knowles, John. **A Separate Peace** (YA Kno)
Lee, Harper. **To Kill a Mockingbird** (YA Lee)
Myers, Walter Deam. **Monster** (YA Myers)
Orwell, George. **Animal Farm** (YA Orwell)
Steinbeck, John. **Of Mice and Men** (YA Steinbeck)
Stowe, Harriet Beecher. **Uncle Tom's Cabin** (F Stowe)
Zusak, Marcus. **The Book Thief** (YA Zusak)

Free eBooks and Audiobooks

Ocean State Libraries eZone Teens

<https://riezone.overdrive.com/library/teens>

Hoopla

<https://www.hoopladigital.com/>

Book Award Lists

These lists are compiled annually by local librarians and students:

Rhode Island Teen Book Award (RITBA)

Rhode Island Middle School Book Award (RIMSBA)

National Lists:

Newbery Medal

Best Books for Young Adults

Find the complete lists here:

<https://riteenbookaward.org/>

<https://sites.google.com/view/ri-middle-school-book-award/home>

<http://www.ala.org/alsc/awardsgrants/bookmedia/newberymedal/newberymedal>

<http://www.ala.org/yalsa/booklists/bbya>



9TH GRADE

SUGGESTED READING



North Kingstown Free Library

100 Boone Street, North Kingstown, RI
(401) 294-3306 www.nklibrary.org

Non-Fiction

Anderson, MT. **Symphony for the City of the Dead: Dmitri Shostakovich and the Siege of Leningrad** (940.5421 And)

Bagieu, Penelope. **Brazen: Rebel Ladies Who Rocked the World** (YA Graphic Novel 920.72 Bag)

Jensen, Kelly. **(Don't) Call Me Crazy: 33 Voices Start The Conversation About Mental Health** (YA 616.89 Don)

Kulkin, Susan. **Beyond Magenta: Transgender Teens Speak Out** (YA 306.76 Kuk RITBA 2017)

Sheff, David and Nic. **High : Everything you Want to Know about Drugs, Alcohol, and Addiction** (YA 616.88 She)

Sheinkin, Steve. **Port Chicago 50: Disaster, Mutiny and the Fight for Civil Rights**, (YA 940.54 She RITBA 2017)

Stone, Tonya Lee. **Girl Rising** (YA 371.822 Sto)

Biography

Heilgman, Deborah. **Vincent and Theo: The Van Gogh Brothers** (YA B Van Gogh)

Kamara, Mariatu. **Bite of The Mango** (YA B Kamara RITBA 2011)

Wiesel, Eli. **Night** (YA B Wiesel)

Fiction

Realistic

Mathieu, Jennifer. **Moxie** (YA Mathieu RITBA 2019)

Reynolds, Jason. **The Boy in the Black Suit** (YA Reynolds RITBA 2018)

Niven, Jennifer. **Holding up the Universe** (YA Niven)

Zentner, Jeff. **Goodbye days** (YA Zentner)

Zoboi, Ibi. **American street** (YA Zoboi)

Sci-Fi/Fantasy

Black, Holly. **The Cruel Prince*** (YA Black Folk #1)

Kaufman, Amie. **Illuminae*** (YA Kaufman Illuminae #1 RITBA 2017)

Taylor, Laini. **Strange the Dreamer** (YA Taylor)

Humor

Ness, Patrick. **The Rest of Us Just Live Here** (YA Ness RITBA 2017)

Historical

Nazemian, Abdi. **Like a Love Story** (YA Nazemian RITBA 2021)

Sepetys, Ruta. **Salt to the Sea** (YA Sepetys RITBA 2019)

**Part of a Series*

GRAPHIC NOVELS

Allsion, Jon. **Giant Days*** (YA Graphic Novel Giant #1)

Broskol, Vera. **Anya's Ghost**

Lee, NaRae. **James Patterson's Maximum Ride*** (YA Manga Maximum Ride)

O'Malley, Bryan. **Scott Pilgrim*** (YA Manga Scott Pilgrim #6)

Rowell, Rainbow and Hick, Faith Erin. **Pumpkinheads** (YA Graphic Novel Pumpkinheads)

Stevenson, Noelle. **Lumberjanes*** (YA Graphic Novel Lumberjanes)

Tamaki, Mariko. **Laura Dean Keeps Breaking Up With Me** (YA Graphic Novel Tamaki RITBA 2021)

Usdin, Carly. **Heavy Vinyl*** (YA Graphic Novel Heavy)

Walden, Tillie. **Are You Listening?** (YA Graphic Novel Walden)

Yang, Gene Leun. **American Born Chinese** (YA Graphic Novel Yang)