

YA SCI-FI



Space is vast—and so is our selection of teen science fiction titles!



Aurora Rising by Amie Kaufman, Jay Kristoff (Y Kaufman)

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



Ignite the Stars by Maura Milan (Y Milan)

When the notorious I.A. Cōcha is captured by the Olympus Commonwealth and revealed to be a 16-year-old girl, she is sentenced to correctional rehabilitation at a training ground for the elite Star Force where she forms unlikely alliances.



Bloom by Kenneth Oppel (Y Oppel)

It begins with rain, rain that carries seeds, seeds that sprout overnight. They bloom—and release toxic pollen. Three kids on a remote island seem immune to the toxic plants. They each have strange allergies—and yet not to these plants.



The Infinity Courts by Akemi Dawn Bowman (Y Bowman)

Murdered on the way to her high school graduation party, Nami Miyamoto finds herself in an afterlife ruled by Ophelia, a virtual assistant planning to eradicate human existence.



Gearbreakers by Zoe Hana Mikuta (Y Mikuta)

In an age of 100-foot-tall mechanical deities run by a tyrannical regime, two teenage girls on opposite sides of a war discover they are fighting for a common purpose—and falling for each other.



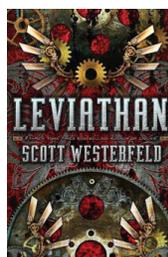
Iron Widow by Xiran Jay Zhao (Y Zhao)

The boys of Huaxia dream of pairing up with girls to pilot Chrysalises, giant transforming robots that can battle the mecha aliens that lurk beyond the Great Wall. It doesn't matter that the girls often die from the mental strain.



Goddess in the Machine by Lora Beth Johnson (Y Johnson)

Bound for humanity's new colony planet, Andra wakes up from a cryogenic sleep 1,000 years later than scheduled, forcing her to navigate an unfamiliar planet where technology is considered magic and its practitioners revered as deities.



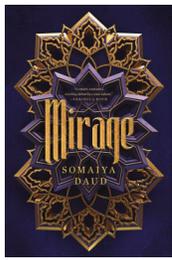
Leviathan by Scott Westerfeld (Y Westerfeld)

It is the cusp of World War I, and all the European powers are arming up. The Austro-Hungarians and Germans have their Clankers, steam-driven iron machines loaded with guns and ammunition. The British Darwinists employ fabricated animals as their weaponry. With the Great War brewing, Alek's and Deryn's paths cross in the most unexpected way.



I Hope You Get This Message by Farah Naz Rishi (Y Rishi)

News stations across the country are reporting mysterious messages that Earth has been receiving from a planet, Alma, claiming to be its creator. In seven days, Alma will hit the kill switch on their "colony" Earth.



Mirage by Somaiya Daud
(Y Daud)

Amani dreams of what life was like before the brutal Vathek empire occupation. But when adventure comes for Amani, it is not what she expects: she is kidnapped and brought to the royal palace, where she discovers that she is to become a body double for the hated princess Maram.



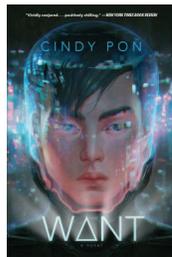
Once & Future by Amy Rose Capetta, Cori McCarthy (Y Capetta)

The Arthurian legend told in outer space, with King Arthur reincarnated as 17-year-old Ari, a female king whose quest is to stop a tyrannical corporate government, aided by a teenaged Merlin.



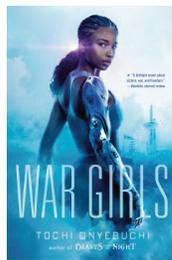
Pet by Akwaeke Emezi (Y Emezi)

In a near-future society that claims to have gotten rid of all monstrous people, a creature emerges from a painting Jam's mother created.



Want by Cindy Pon (Y Pon)

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



War Girls by Tochi Onyebuchi
(Y Onyebuc)

The year is 2172. Climate change and nuclear disasters have rendered much of earth unlivable. Only the lucky ones have escaped to space colonies in the sky. Two sisters, Onyii and Ify, dream of more. Their lives have been marked by violence and political unrest, still, they dream of peace.



Warcross by Marie Lu (Y Lu)

For the millions who log in every day, Warcross isn't just a game, it's a way of life. Struggling to make ends meet, teenage hacker Emika Chen works as a bounty hunter, tracking down players who bet on the game illegally. But the bounty hunting world is a competitive one, and survival has not been easy.

GRAPHIC NOVELS



Across a Field of Starlight by Blue Deliquanti
(GN Deliquanti Across a Field of Starlight)

Lu and Fassen are from different worlds and separate solar systems, so when the war on Fassen's world invades Lu's peaceful home, they find themselves at the forefront of a battle they hoped would never happen.



Cosmoknights 1 by Hannah Templer
(GN Cosmoknights v. 1)

For this ragtag band of space gays, liberation means beating the patriarchy at its own game. When a charismatic pair of off-world gladiators show up on Pan's doorstep, she finds that life may not be as small as she thought. On the run and off the galactic grid, Pan discovers the astonishing secrets of her neo-medieval world and the intoxicating possibility of burning it all down.



On a Sunbeam by Tillie Walden
(GN Walden On A Sunbeam)

In two interwoven timelines, a ragtag crew travels to the deepest reaches of space, rebuilding beautiful, broken structures to piece the past together and two girls meet in boarding school and fall deeply in love, only to learn the pain of loss.



Space Boy Volume 1 by Stephen McCranie
(GN Stephen McCranies Space Boy v.1)

Amy lives on a colony in deep space, but when her father loses his job the family moves back to Earth, where she has to adapt to heavier gravity, a new school, and a strange boy with no flavor.



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