

# 2015 Selected Lists



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## BEST FICTION FOR YOUNG ADULTS

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**100 SIDEWAYS MILES.** By Andrew Smith. Simon & Schuster, 9781442444959.

**THE ACCIDENTAL HIGHWAYMAN.** By Ben Tripp. Tor, 9780765335494.

**AFTERWORLDS.** By Scott Westerfeld. Simon & Schuster/Simon Pulse, 9781481422345.

**ALTHEA & OLIVER.** By Cristina Moracho. Viking, 9780670785391.

**AND WE STAY.** By Jenny Hubbard. Delacorte, 9780385740579.

**BREAKFAST SERVED ANYTIME.** By Sarah Combs. Candlewick, 9780763667917.

\* **THE CARNIVAL AT BRAY.** By Jessie Ann Foley. Elephant Rock, 97809895115597.

**COMPLICIT.** By Stephanie Kuehn. St. Martin's/Griffin, 9781250044594.

**CONVERSION.** By Katherine Howe. Putnam, 9780399167775.

\* **THE CROSSOVER.** By Kwame Alexander. Houghton, 9780544107717.

**THE DEVIL'S INTERN.** By Donna Hosie. Holiday, 9780823431953.

**EGG & SPOON.** By Gregory Maguire. Candlewick, 9780763672201.

**EVERYTHING LEADS TO YOU.** By Nina LaCour. Dutton, 9780525425885.

**EVIL LIBRARIAN.** By Michelle Knudsen. Candlewick, 9780763660383.

**FAT BOY VS. THE CHEERLEADERS.** By Geoff Herbach. Sourcebooks/Fire, 9781402291418.  
(Paperback edition title is *GABE JOHNSON TAKES OVER*; 9781492608653.)

**FREE TO FALL.** By Lauren Miller. HarperTeen, 9780062199805.

**GABI, A GIRL IN PIECES.** By Isabel Quintero. Cinco Puntos, 9781935955948.

**GIRLS LIKE US.** By Gail Giles. Candlewick, 9780763662677.

**THE GLASS CASKET.** By McCormick Templeman. Delacorte, 9780385743457.

**GLORY O'BRIEN'S HISTORY OF THE FUTURE.** By A. S. King. Little Brown, 9780316222723.

\* **THE GOSPEL OF WINTER.** By Brendan Kiely. Simon & Schuster/Margaret K. McElderry, 9781442484894.

**GRASSHOPPER JUNGLE.** By Andrew Smith. Dutton, 9780525426035.

**HALF BAD.** By Sally Green. Viking, 9780670016785.

**HEIR OF FIRE.** By Sarah J. Maas. Bloomsbury, 9781619630659.

**HOW IT WENT DOWN.** By Kekla Magoon. Holt, 9780805098693.

\* **I'LL GIVE YOU THE SUN.** By Jandy Nelson. Dial, 9780803734968.

**THE IMPOSSIBLE KNIFE OF MEMORY.** By Laurie Halse Anderson. Viking, 9780670012091.

**IN THE SHADOWS.** By Kiersten White and Jim Di Bartolo. Illus. by Jim Di Bartolo. Scholastic, 9780545561440.

**INTO THE GREY.** By Celine Kiernan. Candlewick, 978-0-7636-7061-0.

\* **JACKABY.** By William Ritter. Algonquin, 9781616203535.

**THE KISS OF DECEPTION.** By Mary E. Pearson. Holt, 9780805099232.

**LOST GIRL FOUND.** By Leah Bassoff and Laura DeLuca. Groundwood, 9781554984169.

**A MAD, WICKED FOLLY.** By Sharon Biggs Waller. Viking, 9780670014682.

**MORTAL HEART.** By Robin LaFevers. Harcourt, 9780547628400.

\* **NOGGIN.** By John Corey Whaley. Atheneum, 9781442458727.

**OF METAL AND WISHES.** By Sarah Fine. Simon & Schuster/Margaret K. McElderry, 9781442483583.

**REVOLUTION.** By Deborah Wiles. Scholastic, 9780545106078.

**ROAD RASH.** By Mark Huntley Parsons. Knopf, 9780385753425.

**SALT AND STORM.** By Kendall Kulper. Little Brown, 9780316404518

**THE SCAR BOYS.** By Len Vlahos. Egmont, 9781606844397.

**SHE IS NOT INVISIBLE.** By Marcus Sedgwick. Roaring Brook, 9781596438019.

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**THE STRANGE AND BEAUTIFUL SORROWS OF AVA LAVENDER.** By Leslye Walton. Candlewick, 9780763665661.

**STRANGER.** By Rachel Manija Brown and Sherwood Smith. Viking, 9780670014804.

**SWAY.** By Kat Spears. St. Martin's/Griffin, 9781250051431.

**TEASE.** By Amanda Maciel. HarperCollins/Balzer + Bray, 9780062305305.

**THREATENED.** By Eliot Schrefer. Scholastic, 9780545551434.

**A TIME TO DANCE.** By Padma Venkatraman. Penguin/Nancy Paulsen, 9780399257100.

**TROUBLE.** By Non Pratt. Simon & Schuster, 9781442497726.

**THE TYRANT'S DAUGHTER.** By J. C. Carleson. Knopf, 9780449809976.

**THE UNFINISHED LIFE OF ADDISON STONE.** By Adele Griffin. Soho Teen, 9781616953607.

\* **VANGO: BETWEEN SKY AND EARTH.** By Timothee de Fombelle. Candlewick, 9780763671969.

**THE VIGILANTE POETS OF SELWYN ACADEMY.** By Kate Hattemer. Knopf, 9780385753784.

\* **WE WERE LIARS.** By E. Lockhart. Delacorte, 9780385740579.

**WHEN I WAS THE GREATEST.** By Jason Reynolds. Atheneum, 9781442459472.

**WILDLIFE.** By Fiona Wood. Little Brown, 9780316242097.

**THE WINNER'S CURSE.** By Marie Rutkoski. Farrar, 9780374384678.

\* **THE YOUNG ELITES.** By Marie Lu. Putnam, 9780399167836.

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