Supernatural

Teen Fiction Suggested Reading List

All titles located in YA Fiction or YA Paperbacks by the author's last name.



Bad Girls Don't Die by Katie Alender

After taking an oath to a seemingly benevolent spirit, a teen girl finds herself changing in frightening ways. (Grades 7 & up)



City of the Beasts by Isabel Allende

When fifteen-year-old Alexander Cold accompanies his grandmother on an expedition to find a humanoid Beast in the Amazon, he experiences ancient wonders and a supernatural world as he tries to avert disaster for the Indians. (*Grades* 7 & up)



The Summoning (The Darkest Powers)* by Kelley Armstrong

After Chloe starts seeing ghosts and is sent to Lyle House, a group home for mentally disturbed teenagers, she soon discovers that neither Lyle House nor its inhabitants are what they seem, and that she and her friends are in danger. (*Grades* 7 & up)



Token of Darkness by Amelia Atwater-Rhodes

After Cooper Blake wakes from a serious car accident to find himself in the company of an attractive, tormented ghost, he keeps his visions to himself until he discovers that two of his peers also hide supernatural abilities. (Grades 7 & up)



Golden by Jennifer Barnes

When her family moves to Oklahoma from California, high school sophomore Lissy James uses her ability to see other people's auras to try to uncover and stop the sinister activities of a teacher at her new school. (*Grades 9 & up*)



A Great and Terrible Beauty by Libba Bray

After the suspicious death of her mother in 1895, sixteen-year-old Gemma returns to England, after many years in India, to attend a finishing school where she becomes aware of her magical powers and ability to see into the spirit world. (Grades 7 & up)



The Demon's Covenant by Sarah Rees Brennan

Discovering that her brother has secretly manifested magical powers and is being recruited into a sinister magician's circle, Mae turns to her friends for help only to land them in the magician leader's dangerous trap. (Grades 9 & up)



Alyzon Whitestarr by Isobelle Carmody

When Alyzon develops enhanced senses, she becomes aware of an evil virus that preys on people's spirits, and realizes that the sickness and its disseminators are aware of her and are a menace to her extraordinary family. (Grades 7 & up)



The Splendor Falls by Rosemary Clement-Moore

When her father dies and her mother remarries, the stress between the two results in Sylvie being sent from Manhattan to the home of her father's cousin in Alabama, but despite the major changes she faces, Sylvie uses it as an opportunity to start a new until images start to appear that make her face her past once again. (Grades 8 & up)



The Black Tattoo by Sam Enthoven

When his best friend, Charlie, is possessed by an ancient demon, fourteen-year-old Jack, accompanied by a girl with superhuman powers, battles all over London and into Hell to save him. (*Grades 8 & up*)



Gone* by Michael Grant

When everyone over the age of fourteen suddenly disappears from a California town, a battle erupts between the remaining residents and the students from a local school, as well as those who have "The Power" and those who do not. (Grades 7 & up)



Hex Hall by Rachel Hawkins

After a prom-night spell goes badly wrong, witch Sophie Mercer is exiled to an isolated reform school for wayward Prodigium, supernaturally gifted teenagers, where she learns that an unknown predator has been attacking students. (Grades 8 & up)



Devouring by Simon Holt

Having read in a mysterious journal about the demonic Vours who seek to possess bodies on Sorry Night, Reggie dismisses the tales as ancient lore, but when her brother begins to act strangely during the winter solstice, a frightening realization is had. (Grades 7 & up)



Evil Star (Gate Keepers)* by Anthony Horowitz

Having locked the Raven's gate, fourteen-year-old Matt travels to Peru where he meets the second of the five gatekeepers and works with him to try to stop the opening of a second gate somehow related to the Nazca Lines. (Grades 7 & up)



Ghostgirl* by Tony Hurley

After dying, senior Charlotte is as invisible to nearly everyone as she always felt, but despite what she learns in a sort of alternative high school for dead teens, she clings to life while seeking a way to go to the Fall Ball with the boy of her dreams. (*Grades 7 & up*)



Devilish by Maureen Johnson

Jane Jarvis, a senior at a Catholic girl's school in Providence, Rhode Island, tries to save her best friend by making a pact with a demon--in the form of a cupcake-eating, very friendly teenage girl. (*Grades 8 & up*)



Tear Collector by Patrick Jones

As a creature who gains energy from human tears, Cassandra offers sympathy to anyone at her school or the hospital where she works, but she yearns to be fully human for the boy she loves, even if it means letting her family down. (*Grades 8 & up*)



Fallen* by Lauren Kate

Seventeen-year-old Luce, who is suspected of killing her boyfriend, is sent to a Savannah, Georgia, reform school where she meets two intriguing boys and learns the truth about the strange shadows that have always haunted her. (Grades 8 & up)



Liar by Justine Larbalestier

Compulsive liar Micah promises to tell the truth after revealing that her boyfriend has been murdered. (Grades 9 & up)



Cybele's Secret by Juliet Marillier

Scholarly Paula and her merchant father journey to Istanbul to buy an ancient pagan artifact rumored to be charmed, but others, including a Portuguese pirate and an envoy from the magical Wildwood, also want to acquire the item. (Grades 8 & up)



Bonechiller by Graham McNamee

Four high school students face off against a soul-stealing beast that has been making young people disappear in their small Ontario town for centuries. (*Grades* 9 & up)



Another Faust by Daniel Nayere

Years after vanishing, five teens reappear with a strange governess, and when they enter New York City's most prestigious high school, they soar to suspicious heights with the help of their benefactor's extraordinary "gifts." (Grades 8 & up)



Sisters Red by Jackson Pearce

After a Fenris, or werewolf, kills their grandmother and almost kills them, sisters Scarlett and Rosie March devote themselves to hunting and killing the beasts that prey on teenaged girls. (*Grades 8 & up*)



Prom Nights From Hell by Kathleen Karr

Presents five stories about proms where unexpected events take a turn for the worse, offering up everything from fledgling superheroes to grim reapers to a creepy update on the classic three-wishes-gone-bad tale. (*Grades 9 & up*)



Bleeding Violet by Dia Reeves

A mentally ill sixteen-year-old girl reunites with her estranged mother in an East Texas town that is haunted with doors to dimensions of the dead and protected by demon hunters called Mortmaine. (*Grades 8 & up*)



Devil's Footsteps by E.E. Richardson

After the disappearance of his brother Adam, thirteen-year-old Bryan faces a shadowy, centuries-old evil presence known as the Dark Man that, taking the form of its victims' worst fears, stalks the town's children. (*Grades 8 & up*)



SNAP Snap by Carol Shaw

Both chilling and relatable, this is the story of a normal girl who finds her life spinning strangely out of control after bizarre figures start to appear in the photographs she has taken. (Grades 7 & up)



Blackbriar by William Sleator

Attempting to decipher a number of strange events after he moves into an old, abandoned cottage, Danny, an orphaned teenaged boy, discovers a group of English folk engaged in Devil worship. (Grades 8 & up)



The Other Side of Dark by Sarah Smith

Since losing both of her parents, fifteen-year-old Katie can see and talk to ghosts, which makes her a loner until fellow student Law sees her drawing of a historic house and together they seek a treasure rumored to be hidden there by illegal slave-traders. (*Grades 8 & up*)



Betwixt by Tara Smith

Three alienated teenagers are drawn to a strange outdoor concert in the woods outside of Seattle, where they discover that they possess magical powers and that their destinies are intertwined. (*Grades 9 & up*)



Being Dead: Stories by Vivian Vande Velde

Seven supernatural stories, all having something to do with death. (Grades 7 & up)



The Poison Diaries by Maryrose Wood

In late 18th-century England, 16-year-old Jessamine Luxson and a mysterious boy called Weed--who can communicate with plants--uncover the horrible secrets of poisons growing in Thomas Luxson's apothecary garden. (*Grades* 7 & *up*)



Prophecy of the Sisters by Michelle Zink

In late nineteenth-century New York state, wealthy sixteen-year-old twin sisters Lia and Alice Milthorpe find that they are on opposite sides of an ancient prophecy that has destroyed their parents and seeks to do even more harm. (Grades 7 & up)

