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Young Adult Newsletter!

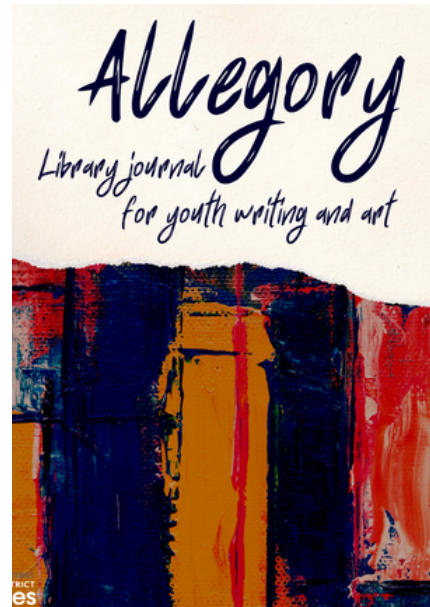
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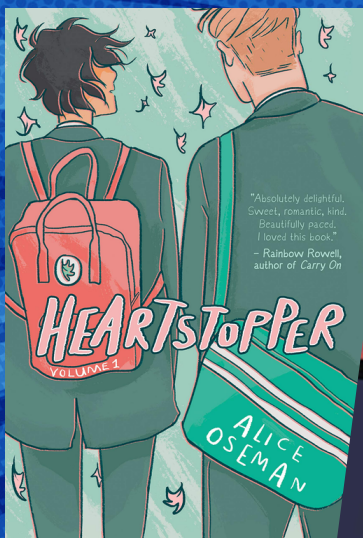


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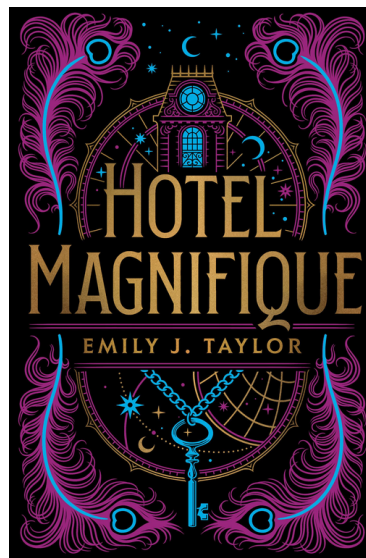
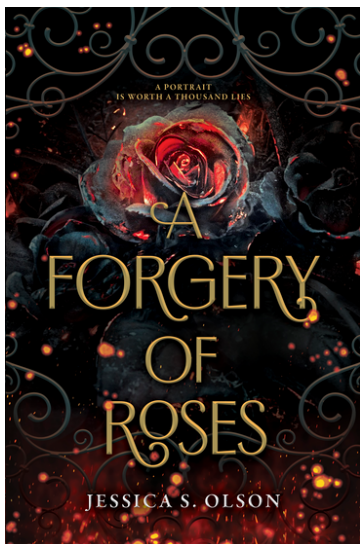
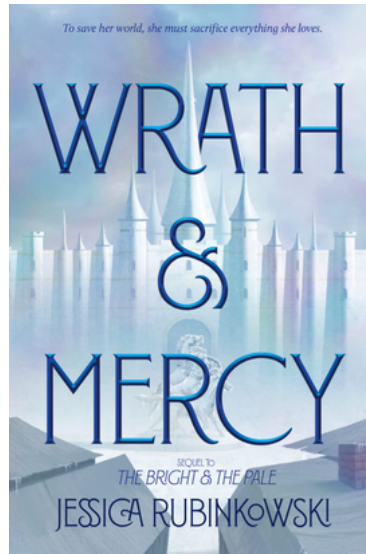
Did you know we have YA graphic novels in our libraries? Graphic novels are great if you're short on time but still want to read a rich story!

What if we don't have a graphic novel you're looking for? You can pick up a 'suggestion for purchase' form from our libraries, or submit one through our catalogue by logging in with your library card number and password (normally your first name!)



FANTASY

NEW

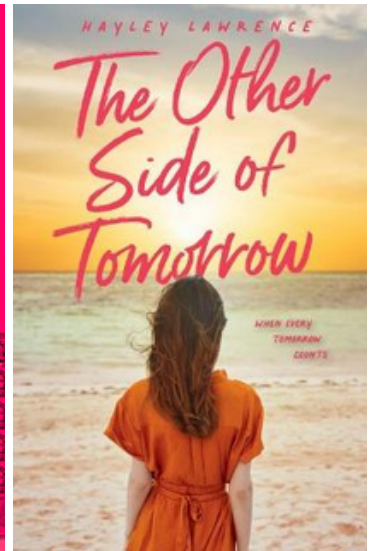
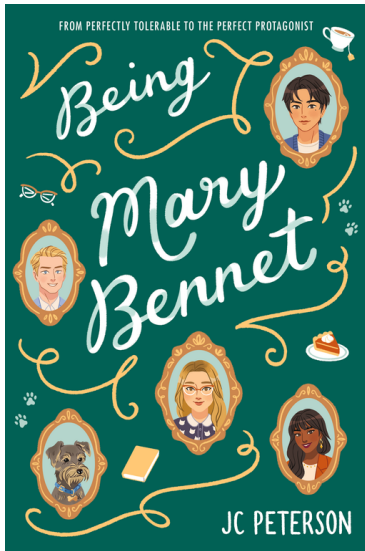


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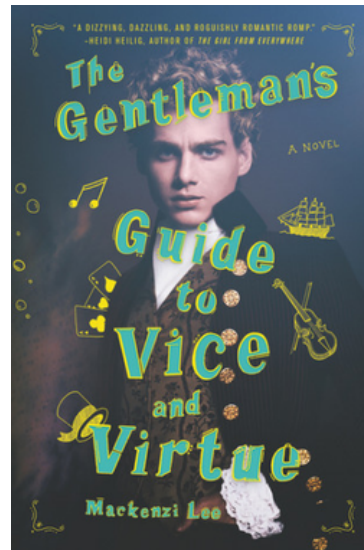
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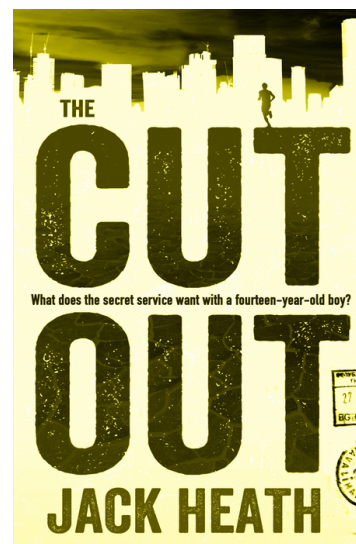
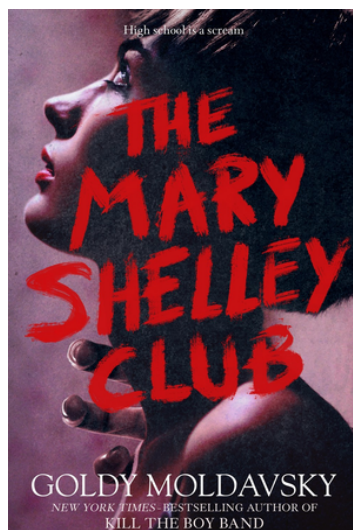
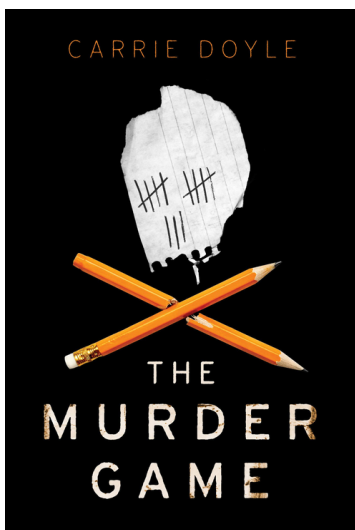
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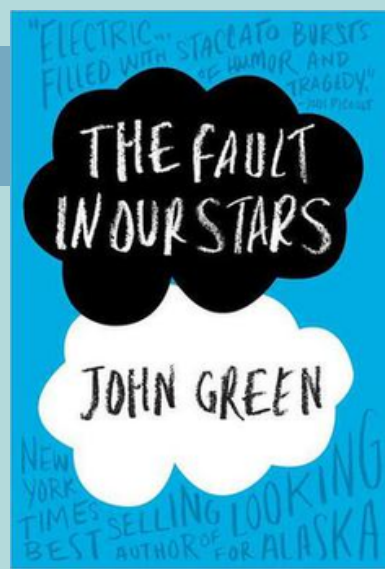
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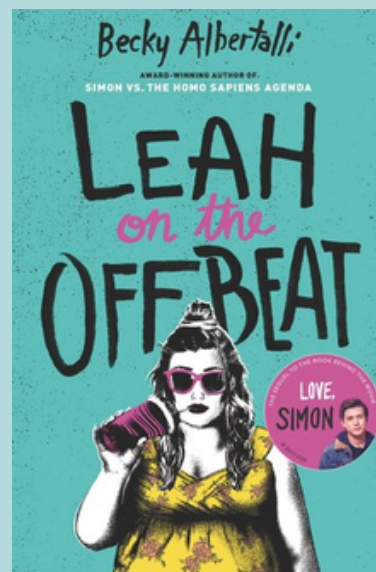
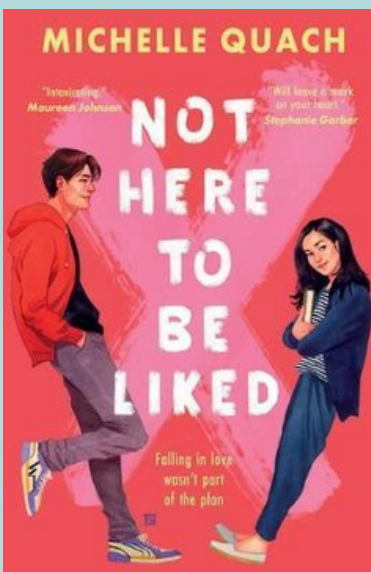
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IF YOU LIKED THIS...

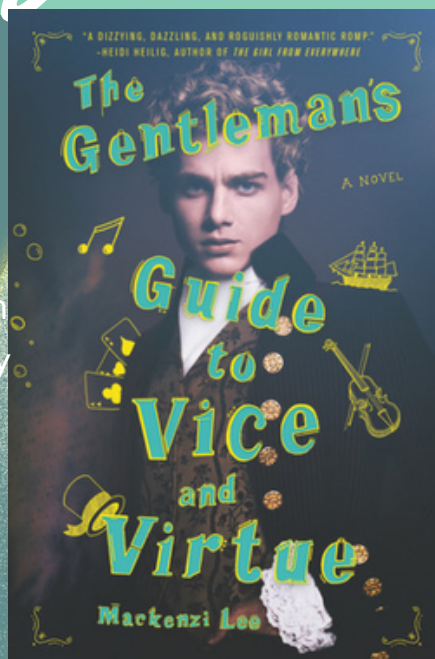


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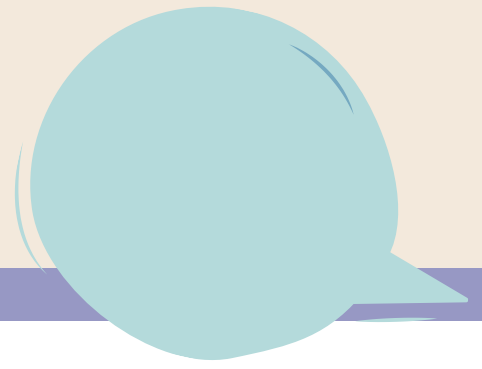
Book of the month...

Henry "Monty" Montague doesn't care that his roguish passions are far from suitable for the gentleman he was born to be. But as Monty embarks on his grand tour of Europe, his quests for pleasure and vice are in danger of coming to an end. Not only does his father expect him to take over the family's estate upon his return, but Monty is also nursing an impossible crush on his best friend and traveling companion, Percy.



"Witty, dazzling, and intriguing at every turn, The Gentleman's Guide to Vice and Virtue is an irresistible romp that explores the undeniably fine lines between friendship and love."


Trope Talk



What's a trope?

A trope is a plot device or character trait that is used so commonly in a genre (romance, fantasy, dystopian etc) that it's seen as commonplace or conventional! For example, the 'chosen one' who is destined to save the world in fantasy, or the many 'love triangles' that feature in romance novels.

Overdone or guilty pleasure?

Many tropes can be overused in YA fiction - but that doesn't mean we can't love them! Cliches are cliché for a reason - it means we, as readers, like to read them. Do you have a trope that you secretly love? Or one you think is overdone? Take a look at the examples over the page. Can you think of books that feature these tropes? Are they more common in one genre than another? 

THE CHOSEN ONE

LOVE TRIANGLES

**STARTING A
REBELLION**

ORPHAN PROTAGONIST

**UNAMBIGUOUSLY
BAD BAD GUY**

**ENEMIES
TO LOVERS**

**ROYAL REALIZATION:
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Reviewers wanted!

Read a good YA book recently? We'd love to hear about it! From a few lines to a full page, email selliffe@waitaki.govt.nz with your thoughts on a book so we can share it with your peers!



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