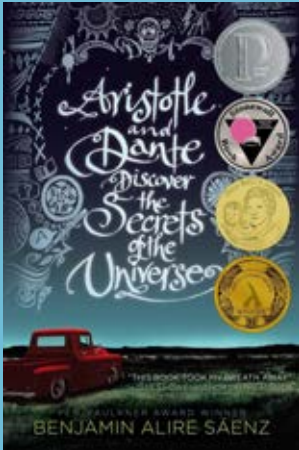




SUMMER READING

400-600



Aristotle and Dante Discover the Secrets of the Universe

Saenz, Benjamin Alire

Genres: LGBT, Contemporary, Romance

Mood: Emotional, reflective, hopeful, inspiring

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 380L



On the Come Up

Thomas, Angie

Genres: Contemporary, Music, Coming of Age

Mood: Emotional, inspiring, hopeful, reflective

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 550L



The Kindred

Dow, Alechia

Genres: Romance, Sci-Fi, Fantasy, LGBTQ+

Mood: Adventurous, hopeful, emotional, funny

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 580L



A Curse so Dark and Lonely

Kemmerer, Brigid

Genres: Fantasy, romance, retellings, urban fantasy

Mood: Adventurous, emotional, mysterious, dark

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 580L



To Kill a Kingdom

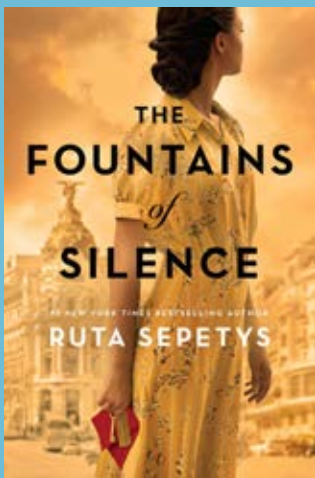
Christo, Alexandra

Genres: Fantasy, romance, retellings, adventure

Mood: Adventurous, dark, funny, mysterious

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 600L



Fountains of Silence:

Sepetys, Ruta

Genres: Historical Fiction, Romance

Mood: Emotional, informative, dark, sad

Pace: Medium/Slow

Lexile: 620L



Wicked Fox

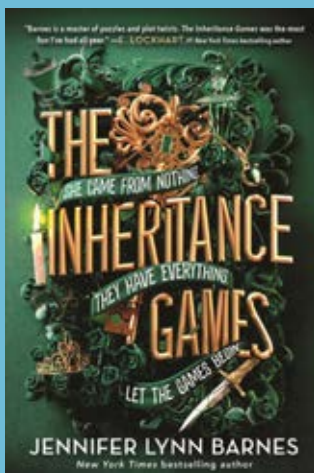
Cho, Kat

Genres: Romance, Mythology, paranormal

Mood: Adventurous, emotional, mysterious, dark

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 630L



The Inheritance Games

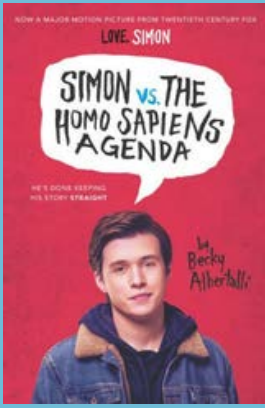
Barnes, Jennifer Lynn

Genres: Mystery, contemporary, thriller, romance

Mood: Mysterious, adventurous, tense, challenging

Pace: Fast/Medium

Lexile: 640L



Simon Vs. the Homosapiens Agenda

Albertalli, Becky

Genres: LGBTQ+, Contemporary, romance

Mood: Lighthearted, funny, emotional, hopeful

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 650L



Lovely War

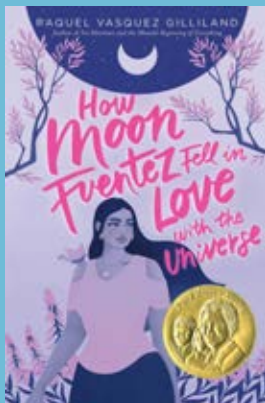
Berry, Julie

Genres: Historical, romance, mythology, fantasy

Mood: Emotional, hopeful, sad, inspiring

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 650L



How Moon Fuentes Fell In Love with the Universe

Gilliland, Rawuel Vasquez

Genres: Romance, contemporary, magic realism, LGBTQ+

Mood: Emotional, hopeful, reflective, inspiring

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 660L



Children of Blood and Bone

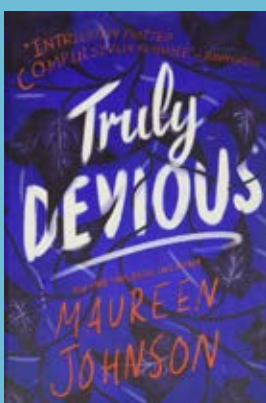
Adeyemi, Tomi

Genres: Fantasy, romance, adventure,

Mood: Adventurous, emotional, tense, dark

Pace: Fast/Medium

Lexile: 670L



Truly Devious

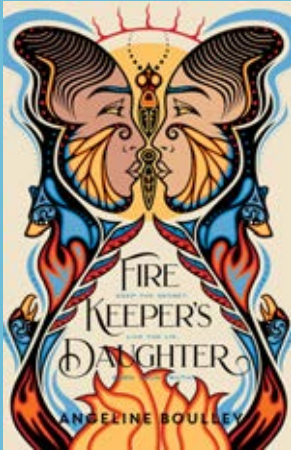
Johnson, Maureen

Genres: Mystery, contemporary, thriller

Mood: Mysterious, adventurous, dark, tense

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 680L



Firekeeper's Daughter

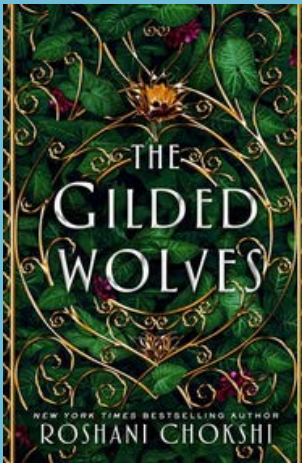
Boulley, Angeline

Genres: Mystery, thriller, fantasy

Mood: Emotional, mysterious, dark, tense

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 720L



The Gilded Wolves

Chokshi, Roshani

Genres: Fantasy, Historical fiction, LGBT, romance

Mood: Adventurous, mysterious, emotional, funny

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 730L



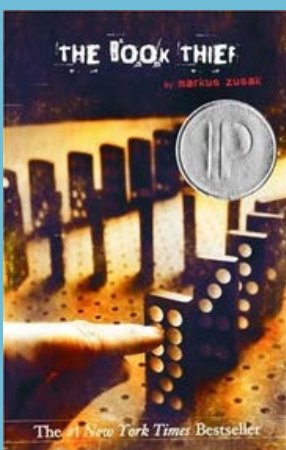
The Taking of Jake Livingston

Douglass, Ryan

Genres: Horror, LGBTQ+, fantasy, thriller, contemporary

Mood: Dark, mysterious, tense, emotional

Lexile: 730L



The Book Thief

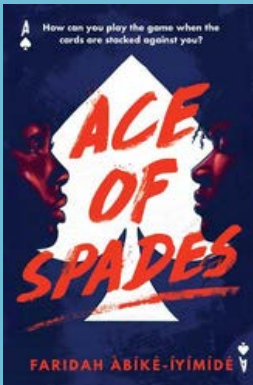
Zusak, Markus

Genres: Historical, classics, war

Mood: Emotional, sad, dark, reflective, tense

Pace: Medium/Slow

Lexile: 730L



Ace of Spades

Adike-Iyimide, Faridah

Genres: Mystery, thriller, LGBTQ+, contemporary

Mood: Dark, mysterious, tense, emotional, challenging

Pace: Fast/Medium

Lexile: 740L



Red Queen

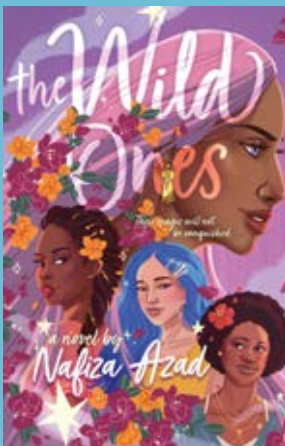
Aveyard, Victoria

Genres: Fantasy, dystopian, romance, science fiction

Mood: Adventurous, tense, dark, mysterious

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 740L



The Wild Ones

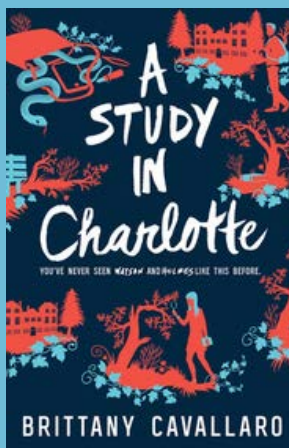
Azad, Nafiza

Genres: Fantasy, LGBTQ+, romance

Mood: Emotional, adventurous, inspiring, reflective

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 750L



A Study in Charlotte

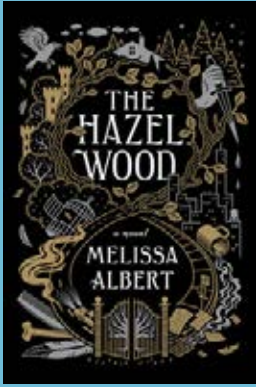
Cavallaro, Brittany

Genres: Mystery, contemporary, retellings, romance

Mood: Mysterious, adventurous, funny, tense

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 750L



The Hazel Wood

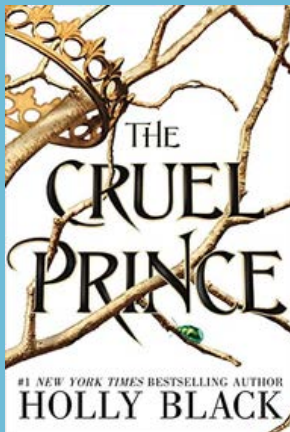
Albert, Melissa

Genres: Fantasy, fairytales, mystery, urban fantasy

Mood: Adventurous, mysterious, dark, tense

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 760L



The Cruel Prince

Black, Holly

Genres: Fantasy, romance, fae

Mood: Adventurous, dark, tense, mysterious

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 760L



The Raven Boys

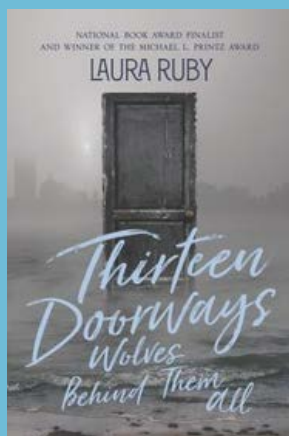
Stiefvater, Maggie

Genres: Fantasy, romance, urban fantasy

Mood: Adventurous, mysterious, funny, dark

Pace: Medium/Slow

Lexile: 760L



Thirteen Doorways, Wolves Behind them All

Ruby, Laura

Genres: Historical fiction, fantasy, magic realism

Mood: Emotional, reflective, dark, sad

Pace: Medium/Slow

Lexile: 770L



Girls of Paper and Fire

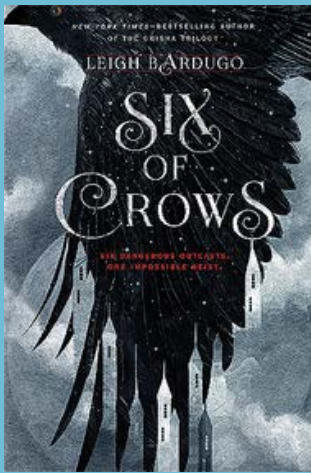
Ngan, Natasha

Genres: Fantasy, LGBTQ+, romance

Mood: Dark, adventurous, emotional, tense

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 780L



Six of Crows

Bardugo, Leigh

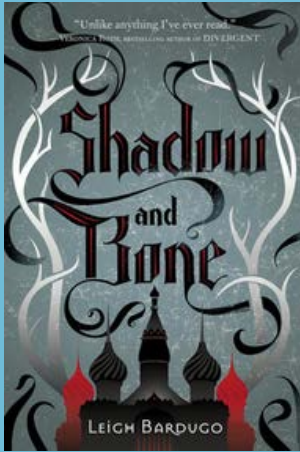
Genres: Fantasy, romance, adventure, LGBT

Mood: Adventurous, dark, tense, mysterious, emotional

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 790L

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Shadow and Bone

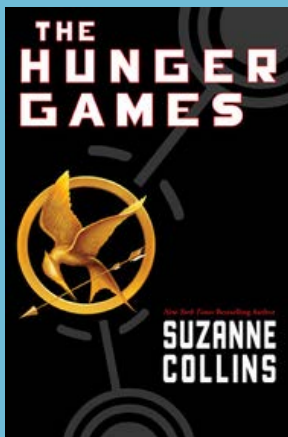
Bardugo, Leigh

Genres: Fantasy, romance, urban fantasy

Mood: Adventurous, dark, mysterious, tense

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 800L



Hunger Games

Collins, Suzanne

Genres: Dystopia, fantasy, romance, sci-fi, adventure

Mood: Adventurous, tense, dark, emotional

Pace: Fast/Medium

Lexile: 810



Caraval

Garber, Stephanie

Genres: Fantasy, romance, mystery, adventure

Mood: Adventurous, mysterious, tense, dark

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 830L



Scythe

Shusterman, Neal

Genres: Fantasy, science fiction, romance

Mood: Adventurous, dark, tense, mysterious, reflective

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 830L



The Fault in Our Stars

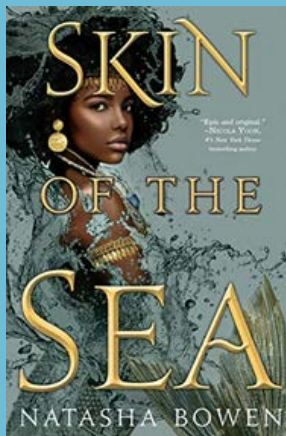
Green, John

Genres: Romance, contemporary, coming of age

Mood: Emotional, sad, funny, reflective

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 850L



Skin of the Sea

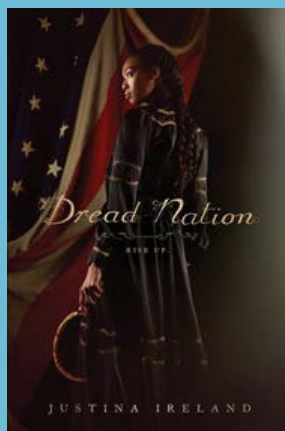
Garber, Stephanie

Genres: Fantasy, retellings, mythology, romance

Mood: Adventurous, emotional, tense, mysterious

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 860L



Dread Nation

Ireland, Justina

Genres: Historical, fantasy, horror, sci-fi

Mood: Adventurous, dark, tense, mysterious, emotional

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 870L



They Both Die at the End

Silvera, Adam

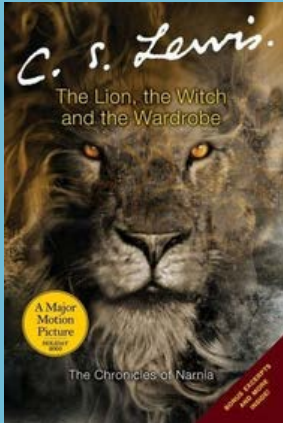
Genres: LGBTQ+. romance, contemporary, sci-fi

Mood: Emotional, sad, reflective, adventurous

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 870L

900-1200



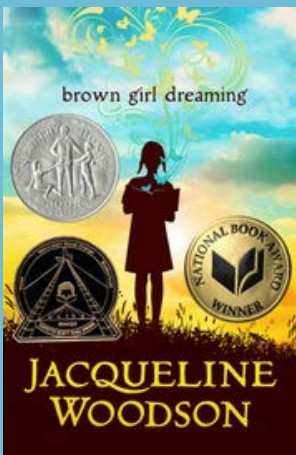
The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe *Lewis, C.S.*

Genres: Fantasy, classics, adventure

Mood: Adventurous, lighthearted, hopeful, inspiring

Pace: Fast/Medium

Lexile: 940L



Brown Girl Dreaming *Woodson, Jacqueline*

Genres: Poetry, memoir, biography

Mood: Reflective, emotional, inspiring, hopeful

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 990L



Ready Player One

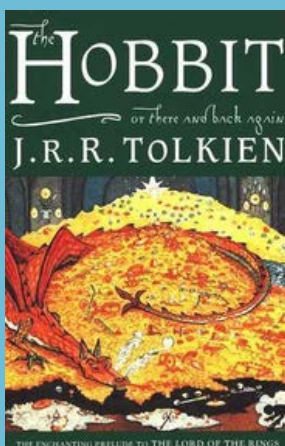
Cline, Ernest

Genres: Science fiction, fantasy, adventure

Mood: Adventurous, funny, tense, lighthearted

Pace: Fast/Medium

Lexile: 990L



The Hobbit

Tolkien, J. R. R.

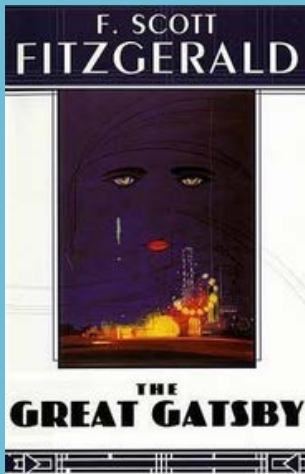
Genres: Fantasy, classics, adventure, sci-fi

Mood: Adventurous, lighthearted, funny, hopeful

Pace: Medium/Fast

Lexile: 1000L

900-1200



The Great Gatsby

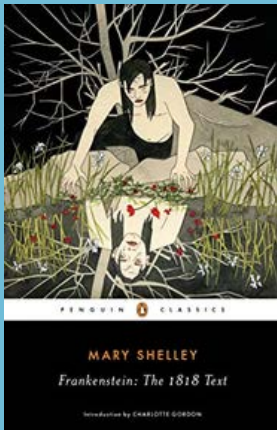
Fitzgerald, F. Scott

Genres: Classics, historical, romance

Mood: Reflective, emotional, sad, mysterious

Pace: Medium/Slow

Lexile: 1010L



Frankenstein

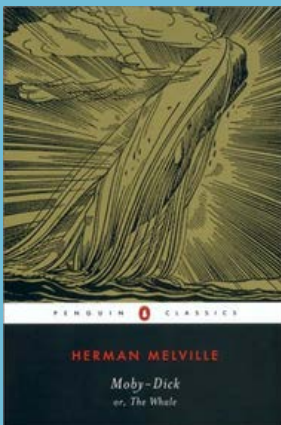
Shelley, Mary

Genres: Classics, horror, Sci-fi, gothic

Mood: Dark, reflective, mysterious, tense

Pace: Slow/Medium

Lexile: 1040L



Moby Dick

Melville, Herman

Genres: Classics, adventure, historical

Mood: Adventurous, challenging, reflective, informative

Pace: Slow/Medium

Lexile: 1150L