

Realistic Fiction for Young Adults

This list of YA realistic fiction titles was created by Sally Zhao, one of BPL's Librarian of Tomorrow Interns. All of these titles are available for teens in print and electronic formats.

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Five feet apart

Lippincott, Rachael, author.

Teenager, Stella Grant is hospitalized with cystic fibrosis. To ensure safety, she needs to be physically distanced by 6 feet from others. The one thing keeping Stella far from safety is Will Newman, who could care less about his diagnosis. An attraction between the two starts. As that

continues, th...



To all the boys I've loved before

Jenny Han.

As teen who has never experienced romance, she writes her feelings through envelopes of love letters to her crushes. All five letters are kept in a green heart shaped box her mother left her before she

passed. Those letters hold all of Lara Jean's emotion and feeling for each boy she had ever liked...



All the Bright Places

Niven, Jennifer

When two worlds, literally collide. Theodore Finch and Violet Markey. One who is interested in death while one is focused on their bright future. Though two people can be so different, the two manage to get along and help each other. Throughout their friendship, Violet

proceeds to thrive while Theod...

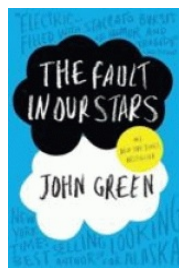


Everything, everything

Nicola Yoon.

Living in an unexpected reality, eighteen year old, Maddy Whitman, has never gone outside. She is allergic to the world. Has never once experienced anywhere other than the walls of her home that are separating her and the world. Until she meets the boy next door, Olly. Maddy has

never experienced an...



The fault in our stars

John Green.

After being diagnosed with lung cancer, Hazel Grace Lancaster decides to join a cancer kids supports group. There, she meets a boy by the name of Augustus Waters. After meeting each other, their bond amongst each other is rich and tight. Until, they both go on a loving trip and

Augustus drops some d...



Paper towns

John Green.

Finding himself in a boarding school environment, Quentin Jacobsen adjusts in with his new friend group, he spots a girl. The girl by the name of Margo Roth Spiegelman, the one Q is so interested and on a look out for. After hanging out together for a bit, there seems to be an

unknown mystery of Mar...