

HUMOROUS

Abbott, Hailey

The Bridesmaid

Having vowed as children to never marry after witnessing many disastrous weddings and obnoxious brides in their parents' wedding planning business, fifteen-year-old Abby is dismayed when her older sister Carol suddenly gets engaged and turns into "Bridezilla."

Abdel-Fattah, Randa

Does My Head Look Big in This?

Year Eleven at an exclusive prep school in the suburbs of Melbourne, Australia, would be tough enough, but it is further complicated for Amal when she decides to wear the hijab, the Muslim head scarf, full-time as a badge of her faith--without losing her identity or sense of style.

Adams, Douglas

The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy (and sequels)

1st book in the Hitchhiker's series. Join hapless hero Arthur Dent as he travels the galaxy with his intrepid pal Ford Prefect, getting into horrible messes and generally wreaking hilarious havoc. Dent is grabbed from Earth moments before a cosmic construction team obliterates the planet to build a freeway.

Ashby, Amanda

Demonosity

Thomas Delacroix, the spirit of a fourteenth-century knight, needs a contemporary girl to help him protect the Black Rose, a powerful ancient force, but popular, quirky high school junior Cassidy Carter-Lewis is not happy about being chosen to train before dawn and battle demons at parties, the mall, and even school.

Barson, K. A.

45 Pounds (More or Less)

Ann Galardi is 16. And a size 17. Her perfect mother is a size 6. Her aunt Jackie is getting married in 10 weeks and wants Ann to be a bridesmaid. So Ann makes up her mind. Time to lose 45 pounds (more or less) in time for the wedding!

Bates, Marni

Awkward

When a humiliating accident at school is captured on video and posted on the Internet, clumsy Mackenzie is turned into an overnight Internet sensation and is sucked into the world of rock stars, paparazzi, and worldwide popularity.

Bauer, Joan

Rules of the Road (and sequel)

Sixteen-year-old Jenna gets a job driving the elderly owner of a chain of successful shoe stores from Chicago to Texas to confront the son who is trying to force her to retire.

Bradley, Alex

24 Girls in 7 Days

After Jack Grammar's friends, Percy and Natalie, post a personal ad in the school newspaper for him, Jack ends up with only seven days to date all of the responses before asking one special girl to the prom.

Bray, Libba

Beauty Queens

When a plane crash strands thirteen teen beauty contestants on a mysterious island, they struggle to survive, to get along with one another, to combat the island's other diabolical occupants, and to learn their dance numbers in case they are rescued in time for the competition.

Cabot, Meg

Airhead (and sequels)

1st book in the Airhead series. Sixteen-year-old Emerson Watts, an advanced placement student with a disdain for fashion, is the recipient of a "whole body transplant" and finds herself transformed into one of the world's most famous teen supermodels.

Cabot, Meg

The Princess Diaries (and sequels)

1st book in the Princess Diaries series. Fourteen-year-old Mia, who is trying to lead a normal life as a teenage girl in New York City, is shocked to learn that her father is the Prince of Genovia, a small European principality, and that she is a princess and the heir to the throne.

Calame, Don

Swim the Fly

Matt and his two best friends, Sean and Coop, the least athletic swimmers on the local swim team, find their much anticipated summer vacation bringing them nothing but trouble with unsuccessful schemes to see a live naked girl and with Matt, eager to impress the swim team's new girl, agreeing to swim the 100-yard butterfly.

- Calloway, Cassidy** **Confessions of a First Daughter** (and sequel)
High school senior Morgan Abbott pretends to be her mother, the President of the United States, as a decoy, while she also tries to lead the life of a normal teenager.
- Cherry, Alison** **For Real**
When shy, intelligent, eighteen-year-old Claire convinces her beautiful, popular sister Miranda to team up and compete against Miranda's cheating ex-boyfriend on a reality television show, Claire is the one to capture a fellow contestant's attention.
- Cherry, Alison** **Red**
In a town that values red hair above all else, someone threatens to expose pageant contestant Felicity's secret about her coppery locks.
- Cheva, Cherry** **Duplicate**
When she wakes up one morning to find her double in her room, seventeen-year-old Kate, already at wit's end with college applications, finals, and extracurricular activities, decides to put her to work.
- Clark, Terri** **Hollyweird**
Fallen angel Jameson's last chance at redemption is taking down movie star Dakota Danvers, Satan's son, but he is distracted by his attraction to sixteen-year-old Aly, who won a contest to meet Dakota and is in Hollywood with her best friend, Desi, and her sister, Missy.
- Collins, Yvonne** **The Black Sheep**
Fifteen-year-old Kendra Bishop quickly regrets her rash decision to write to a new reality television show when she finds herself in Monterey, California, living with a large family of activists rather than in a Manhattan apartment with her uptight, money-oriented parents.
- Crawford, Brent** **Carter Finally Gets It**
Awkward freshman Will Carter endures many painful moments during his first year of high school before realizing that nothing good comes easily, focus is everything, and the payoff is usually incredible.
- Damico, Gina** **Croak** (and sequel)
A delinquent sixteen-year-old girl is sent to live with her uncle for the summer, only to learn that he is a Grim Reaper who wants to teach her the family business.
- Dinan, Kurt** **Don't Get Caught**
To his great surprise, uncool eleventh-grader Max Cobb is invited to join the Chaos Club, an exclusive group of students responsible for some of the biggest pranks at his high school.
- Easton, T. S.** **Boys Don't Knit (in Public)**
After a brush with the law, Ben, a dyed-in-the-wool worrier, must take up a new hobby and chooses knitting, an activity at which he excels but must try to keep secret from his friends, enemies, and sports-obsessed father.
- Eulberg, Elizabeth** **Revenge of the Girl with the Great Personality**
Sick of living in the shadow of her seven-year-old beauty pageant queen sister who is praised for her looks, Lexi resolves to get a makeover when she determines her personality just isn't enough to garner the attentions of boys.
- Grisham, John** **Skiping Christmas**
Luther and Nora Krank have decided to set sail on a Caribbean cruise on December 25th and skip Christmas. They are about to discover that their decision brings enormous consequences--and isn't half as easy as they imagined.
- Hattemer, Kate** **The Vigilante Poets of Selwyn Academy**
When a sleazy reality television show takes over Ethan's arts academy, he and his friends concoct an artsy plan to take it down.
- Hubbard, Mandy** **You Wish**
Kayla McHenry's life is transformed when a wish on her sixteenth birthday comes true--along with all of her previous birthday wishes, beginning with the appearance of a pink pony.
- Iserson, David** **Firecracker**
Astrid Krieger is filthy rich and lives in a rocket ship parked in her backyard. When she is expelled for cheating at her private school, her parents decide to send her to public school. Astrid, who only thinks of herself, is forced to attend therapy, where she is asked to complete at least three things that she doesn't want to do but would make someone else happy.

Jaffe, Michele

Bad Kitty

While vacationing with her family in Las Vegas, seventeen-year-old Jasmine stumbles upon a murder mystery that she attempts to solve with the help of her friends.

Kaplan, A. E.

Grendel's Guide to Love and War

A teen misfit resolves to defeat a local bully who upsets the senior community in which he lives by constantly throwing wild parties, an effort that is complicated by the teen's father's PTSD, his unrequited feelings for the bully's sister and an existential crisis related to his mother's death.

Karo, Aaron

Galgorithm

Working as an underground matchmaker for his hapless classmates, Shane struggles with his own broken heart and hangs out with his best friend, Jennifer, before deciding to apply his own advice to find true love before graduation.

Katcher, Brian

Deacon Locke Went to Prom

The love life of an awkward teen takes an unforgettable turn after he brings his grandmother to prom in this funny, offbeat, and smile-inducing contemporary romance.

Kinsella, Sophie

Confessions of a Shopaholic (and sequels)

1st book in the Shopaholic series. At age 25, Rebecca Bloomwood has everything she wants. Or does she? Can her career as a financial journalist, a fab flat, and a closet full of designer clothes lessen the blow of the letters from credit card companies and banks that have been arriving too quickly to be contained by the drawer in which Rebecca hides them?

Korman, Gordon

Son of the Mob (and sequel)

Seventeen-year-old Vince's life is constantly complicated by the fact that he is the son of a powerful Mafia boss—a relationship that threatens to destroy his romance with the daughter of an FBI agent.

Larbalestier, Justine

Team Human

Mel isn't against vampires. They are a recognized group in the U.S., and after all, they're just nice, perfect looking, superstrong citizens. She does have a problem with her best friend falling in love with one, though. A funny and fascinating take on a society where vampires are legal citizens.

LaRochelle, David

Absolutely, Positively Not

Sixteen-year-old Steven Denarski enjoys square dancing with his mother. He doesn't like sports. He's very neat. He's never had a girlfriend—but his best friend is a girl. Despite all that, he is absolutely positively not gay. He's sure of it, so he sets out to prove it to himself and the world.

Leavitt, Lindsey

Going Vintage

When sixteen-year-old Mallory learns that her boyfriend, Jeremy, is cheating on her with his cyber "wife," she rebels against technology by following her grandmother's list of goals from 1962, with help from her younger sister, Ginnie.

Limb, Sue

Girl, 15, Charming But Insane (and sequel)

Plucky and mouthy, Jess Jordan manages to get herself in a variety of messes, mostly having to do with boys. Convinced that she is hopeless compared to her best friend, Flora, she relies on her humor and dry wit to stay afloat. She soon finds that while her mouth can get her in trouble, it can also get her the kind of attention she wants. Romance blooms in improbable places as Jess makes it through a long spring full of funny adventures and lucky mishaps.

Lockhart, E.

The Disreputable History of Frankie Landau-Banks

Spunky boarding-school sophomore Frances "Frankie" Landau-Banks is tired of being underestimated by the men in her life, including her upperclassman boyfriend Matthew and his wittier-than-thou friends. She infiltrates Matthew's secret and exclusive male club—The Loyal Order of the Basset Hounds—and, unbeknownst to them, begins orchestrating their elaborate pranks.

Lubar, David

Sleeping Freshmen Never Lie

While navigating his first year of high school and awaiting the birth of his new baby brother, Scott loses old friends and gains some unlikely new ones as he hones his skills as a writer.

McCoy, Chris

The Prom Goer's Interstellar Excursion

Minutes after eighteen-year-old Bennett Bardo of Gordo, New Mexico, asks Sophie Gilkey, his dream girl, to prom and she says yes, she is abducted by aliens. Bennett catches a ride across the galaxy with a band of misfit musicians to find her.

McCahan, Erin

The Lake Effect

It's the summer after senior year, and Briggs Henry is out the door. He's leaving behind his ex-girlfriend and his parents' money troubles for Lake Michigan and its miles of sandy beaches where he will be working a summer job as a personal assistant and living in a gorgeous Victorian on the shore. But then he gets there. And his eighty-four-year-old boss tells him to put on a suit for her funeral. So begins a summer of social gaffes, stomach cramps, fraught beach volleyball games, moonlit epiphanies, and a drawer full of funeral programs. Add to this Abigail, the mystifying girl next door on whom Briggs's charms just won't work, and "the lake effect" is taking on a whole new meaning.

McDonald, Abby

Getting over Garrett Delaney

Seventeen-year-old Sadie Allen has spent the last two years pining for her best friend, Garrett, but when he heads off to literary camp for the summer without her, she decides to kick her unrequited crush for good with the help of her co-workers, another boy, and her own summer twelve-step program.

Meaney, Flynn

The Boy Recession

When all the boys start transferring out of Julius P. Heil High, a lovable slacker becomes a hot commodity much to his best friend's bewilderment.

Meehl, Brian

Suck It Up

A teenage vampire sets out to prove that not all vampires are the same by demonstrating his non-violent attitude, his sensitive nature, and his desperate need for understanding as the soy-blood substitute drinking guy and Vampire Pride Parade participant that he is.

Mellom, Robin

Ditched: A Love Story

When high school student Justina ends up in a ditch in the middle of the night after prom, she stumbles to a nearby 7-Eleven where she tries to recall exactly how she got there.

Miller, Leah Rae

Romancing the Nerd

A sudden growth spurt and talent at basketball has taken nerd Dan Garrett to the heights of high school popularity but may cause him to lose Zelda, the tuba-playing girl of his dreams.

Murdock, Catherine Gilbert

Dairy Queen (and sequels)

1st book in the Dairy Queen trilogy. After spending her summer running the family farm and training the quarterback for her school's rival football team, sixteen-year-old D.J. decides to go out for the sport herself, not anticipating the reactions of those around her.

Perkins, Lynne Rae

As Easy As Falling Off the Face of the Earth

Sixteen-year-old Ry opens a letter en route to a summer program informing him that camp has been canceled because "a statistically improbable number of things have gone wrong." He hops off the train in Montana to figure out what to do, and his own series of improbable misfortunes begins—the train moves on without him (but with all his stuff) leaving him alone with a dying cell phone in the precise middle of nowhere. He befriends a man named Del, who figures there's nothing he can't fix (when it comes to other people's problems, anyway). They set off on a cross-country road trip to get Ry back home.

Pratchett, Terry

The Color of Magic (and many other titles set in Discworld)

A slightly disorganized and somewhat naive interplanetary tourist named Twoflower joins up with a bumbling wizard and embarks on a chaotic voyage through a world filled with monsters and dragons, heroes and knaves. Fantasy.

Rallison, Janette

Just One Wish

Seventeen-year-old Annika tries to cheer up her little brother Jeremy before his surgery to remove a cancerous tumor by bringing home his favorite television actor, Steve Raleigh, the star of "Teen Robin Hood."

Rennison, Louise

Angus, Thongs, and Full-Frontal Snogging (and sequel)

The humorous journal of a year in the life of a fourteen-year-old British girl who tries to reduce the size of her nose, stop her mad cat from terrorizing the neighborhood animals, and win the love of handsome hunk Robbie.

Rumley, Crickett

Never Sit Down in a Hoopskirt and Other Things I Learned in Southern Belle Hell

Expelled from thirteen boarding schools in the past five years, seventeen-year-old Jane Fontaine Ventouras is returning to her Southern roots, and the small town of Bienville, Alabama--where ladies always wear pearls, nothing says hospitality like sweet tea and pimento cheese sandwiches, and competing in the annual Magnolia Maid Pageant is every girl's dream. But Jane is what you might call an anti-belle—more fishnets and tattoos than sugar and spice. The last thing on her mind is joining the Magnolia Maid brigade and parading around town in a dress so big she can't even fit through doors. So when she finds herself up to her ears in ruffles and etiquette lessons, she has one mission: Escape. What's a hipster to do? Will Jane survive Bienville boot camp intact, or will they make a Southern belle out of her yet?

Sales, Leila

Past Perfect

Sixteen-year-old Chelsea knows what to expect when she returns for a summer of historical reenactment at Colonial Essex Village until she learns that her ex-boyfriend is working there, too, and then meets the very attractive Dan who works at a rival historical village.

Schreiber, Joe

Con Academy

Con man Will Shea may have met his match in scammer Andrea Dufresne as they make a high-stakes deal that will determine who gets to stay at Connaughton Academy, one of the most elite and privileged preparatory schools in the country, and who must leave.

Selfors, Suzanne

Saving Juliet

Seventeen-year-old Mimi Wallingford's stage fright and fight with her mother on the closing night of Romeo and Juliet are nothing compared to the troubles she faces when she and her leading man are transported to Shakespeare's Verona where she decides to give the real Juliet a happy ending.

Sheldon, Dyan

The Crazy Things Girls Do for Love

When fashionista Sicilee, arty Maya, and antisocial Waneeda risk their reputations by joining Clifton Springs High School's Environmental Club to be near gorgeous new student Cody Lightfoot, each finds a new way of looking at the world.

Stampler, Laura

Little Black Dresses, Little White Lies

Harper lands a dream summer internship at a trendy teen magazine in New York City, working as their resident dating blogger—but there is a problem—she has absolutely zero dating experience.

Stohl, Margaret

Royce Rolls

For most of her life, Bentley Royce has been a character on the set of her family's reality TV show. Her every move is calculated, down to daily outfits and breakfast choices. Though her mother, older sister, and younger brother take their scripted lives in stride, Bentley yearns for something more real, including a college education. When ratings begin to slip and renewal of their show becomes uncertain, Bentley starts working on a plan to transform her life—until everything suddenly spirals out of control.

Strand, Jeff

The Greatest Zombie Movie Ever

After producing three horror films that went mostly ignored on YouTube, Justin and his filmmaking buddies decide it's time to make something epic.

Tanen, Sloane

Are You Going to Kiss Me Now?

After winning an essay contest, high school junior Francesca Manning finds herself stranded on an island with five celebrities when their plane crashes on the way to a charity event.

Valentine, Allyson

How (Not) to Find a Boyfriend

When varsity cheerleader Nora falls for brilliant new student Adam, she struggles to maintain her popularity while proving to Adam that she is actually a genius in disguise.