

Where Sleeping Girls Lie

by Faridah Àbíké-Íyímídé

Starting her junior year of high school at the prestigious Alfred Nobel Academy, Sade Hussein decides to investigate when her roommate Elizabeth goes missing and is plunged into a world of dark secrets--ones that rival even her own.



Your Lonely Nights Are Over

by Adam Sass

From the day they met, Dearie and Cole have been two against the world. Even when, Mr. Sandman, a never-caught serial killer emerges from a long retirement. As evidence and bodies begin piling up and suspicion points at Dearie and Cole, they will need to do whatever it takes to unmask the real killer.



Want to see YOUR favorite title on this list next year?

9th-12th graders only!

Send your school or public librarian the title, author, and why you think it should be nominated along with your name, grade, and town! Only books published within last year will be accepted.

You can also email yalsnhla@gmail.com

Past Winners

2025 Princess and the Grilled Cheese Sandwich

2024 I Must Betray You

2023 These Violent Delights

2022 A Good Girl's Guide to Murder

2021 With the Fire on High

2020 Far From the Tree

2019 The Hate U Give

2018 Simon vs. the Homo Sapiens Agenda

2017 Carry On

2016 We Were Liars

2015 Eleanor and Park

2014 The Fault in Our Stars

2013 Divergent

2012 Clockwork Angel

2011 Paper Towns

2010 The Hunger Games

2009 Nineteen Minutes

2008 New Moon

2007 Twilight

2006 The Da Vinci Code

Flume

NH Teen Book Award

2026



The Flume Award promotes teen reading by inviting teens to help select great literature.

Each year, 9th-12th graders across NH nominate their favorite books and vote on the top 10 in April.



Death at Morning House

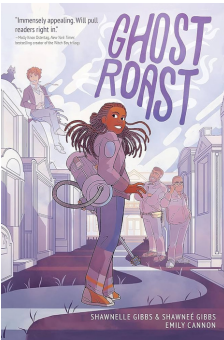
by Maureen Johnson



It seems the universe owes Marlowe a new summer job, and that's how she ends up at Morning House, a mansion built on an island in the 1920s and abandoned shortly after. It's easy enough, giving tours with a chance of getting bored talking about stained glass and nut cutlets and Prohibition. Except for the deaths...

Ghost Roast

by Shawneé Gibbs & Shawnelle Gibbs



Fifteen-year-old Chelsea, daughter of a paranormal specialist, risks her hard-won popularity and more when she is drawn into a paranormal romance after discovering her own ability to communicate with ghosts.

The Glass Girl

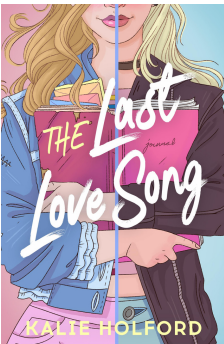
by Kathleen Glasgow



When 15-year-old Bella turns to alcohol to cope with the pressures of life, she soon finds herself struggling with a life-threatening addiction, in a candid, deeply compassionate exploration of the forces pushing young women toward addiction and self-harm.

The Last Love Song

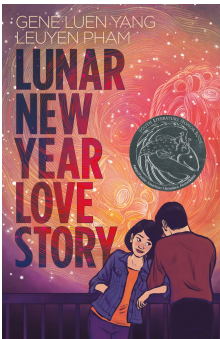
by Kalie Holford



When a series of mysterious letters from her mother, country music star Tori Rose, leads her on a wild scavenger hunt through a Sunset Cove she never knew, aspiring songwriter Mia is brought closer to the real Tori Rose and the destiny she truly wants.

Lunar New Year Love Story

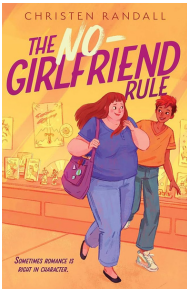
by Gene Luen Yang and Leuyen Pham



Val is ready to give up on love. It's led to nothing but secrets and heartbreak, and she's pretty sure she's cursed—no one in her family, for generations, has ever had any luck with love. But then a chance encounter with a pair of cute lion dancers sparks something in Val. Is it real love? Could this be her chance to break the family curse? Or is she destined to live with a broken heart forever?

The No-Girlfriend Rule

by Christen Randall



Hollis Beckwith isn't trying to get a girl—she's just trying to get by. And besides, she already has a boyfriend. Their relationship isn't particularly exciting, but it's comfortable and familiar, and Hollis wants it to survive beyond senior year. She decides to learn his favorite tabletop roleplaying game, but his unfortunate "No Girlfriends at the Table" rule means she'll need to find her own group if she wants in. Enter: Gloria Castañeda and her all-girls game!

Shut Up, This is Serious

by Carolina Ixta



Belén Dolores Itzel del Toro wants the normal stuff. But nothing is normal anymore. Not in her family. Not at school. And not with her best friend. She soon realizes that distractions are only temporary. What future is there for girls like her?

Sky's End

by Marc J. Gregson



To save the only family he has left from his murderous uncle, Conrad enters the Selection of the Twelve Trades where he overhears whispers of rebellion in the dark while enduring vigorous training, manipulative peers and the Gauntlet--a brutal final test.

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