

Chick Lit

Teen Fiction Suggested Reading List

Titles located in YA Fiction or YA paperbacks by the author's last name

**Series*



Peaches* by Jodi Lyn Anderson

Three teenaged girls from different backgrounds, thrown together to pick peaches in a Georgia orchard, spend a summer in pursuit of the right boy, the truest of friends, and the perfect peach. (Grades 9+)



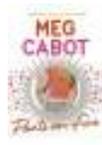
3 Willows by Ann Brashares

Ama, Jo, and Polly, close friends from Bethesda, Maryland, spend the summer before ninth grade learning about themselves, their families, and the changing nature of their friendship. (Grades 7+)



Megan Meade's Guide to the McGowan Boys by Kate Brian

While her parents are stationed overseas, Megan learns a great deal about boys and herself when she moves to Massachusetts and lives with a family that has seven sons. (Grades 7+)



Pants on Fire by Meg Cabot

Having become a proficient liar in order to keep everyone happy, Katie is stunned when her old friend and local pariah Tommy Sullivan returns to town, and suddenly things start looking a lot different to her. (Grades 8+)



Welcome to Wahoo by Dennis Carr

After being told that she must leave her European boarding school to live in Nebraska under a fake name to be safe from Mafia assassins, Victoria tries to stop a smear campaign directed at her new friend by the school's popular clique. (Grades 7+)



Nick and Norah's Infinite Play List by Rachel Cohn and David Levithan

High school student Nick O'Leary, a member of a rock band, meets college-bound Norah Silverberg and asks her to be his girlfriend for five minutes in order to avoid his ex-girlfriend. (Grades 9+)



Something Like Fate by Susane Colasanti

Lani and Jason, who is her best friend's boyfriend, fall in love, causing Lani tremendous anguish and guilt. (Grades 8+)



Along For the Ride by Sarah Dessen

When Auden goes to stay with her father, stepmother, and new baby sister the summer before she starts college, all the trauma of her parents' divorce is revived, even as she is making new friends and fun experiences. (Grades 8+)



Forget You by Jennifer Echols

After her parents separate, 17 year old Zoey has a car accident she cannot remember and starts asking her high school swim team friends what happened on that night at the beach on the Florida panhandle. (Grade 9+)



How to Ruin a Summer Vacation by Simone Elkeles

When sixteen-year-old Amy, a spoiled American, goes to Israel for a three-month summer vacation with a father she barely knows, she is not prepared for his Jewish family and the changes they bring about in her life. (Grades 8+)



The Lonely Hearts Club by Elizabeth Eulberg

Penny vows no more boys or dating. Soon, a few other girls are inspired. A movement is born: The Lonely Hearts Club. She is suddenly known for her non-dating ways, which is too bad, because there's a certain boy she can't help but like. (Grades 8+)



Prom and Prejudice by Elizabeth Eulberg

For Lizzie, a music scholarship student at the exclusive, girls-only Longbourn Academy, the furor over prom is senseless, but even more puzzling is her attraction to the pompous Will Darcy, best friend of her roommate's boyfriend. (Grades 7+)



My Life Next Door by Huntley Fitzpatrick

When Samantha, the daughter of a Republican state senator, falls in love with the next door, she discovers a different way to live, but when her mother is involved in an accident Sam must make some difficult choices. (Grade 9+)



Just One Day by Gayle Forman

Sparks fly when American good girl Allyson meets Dutch actor Willem, so she follows him on a whirlwind trip to Paris, upending her life in just one day and prompting a year of self-discovery and the search for true love. (Grade 9+)



The Possibilities of Sainthood by Donna Freitas

While petitioning the Vatican to make her the first living saint, Antonia Labella prays to assorted saints for everything from help with preparing the family's fig trees for the winter to getting her first kiss from the right boy. (Grades 8+)



The Summer I Turned Pretty* by Jenny Han

Teenaged Isobel "Belly" Conklin, whose life revolves around spending the summer at her mother's best friend's beach house, reflects on the tragic events of the past year that changed her life forever. (Grades 7+)



Prada and Prejudice by Mandy Hubbard
Donning designer high heels, Callie ends up falling down, smacking her head, and waking up in the year 1815 where she befriends a young girl named Emily and meets a dashing duke. (Grades 7+)



Suite Scarlett by Maureen Johnson
Scarlett is stuck in New York City for the summer working at her quirky family's historic hotel, but her brother's attractive new friend and a seasonal guest who offers her an intriguing and challenging writing project improve her outlook. (Grades 8+)



Boyfriend List* by E. Lockhart
A Seattle 15 year old explains some of the reasons for her recent panic attacks, including breaking up with her boyfriend, losing all her girlfriends, and tensions between her performance-artist mother and her father. (Grades 8+)



Amy and Roger's Epic Detour by Morgan Matson
After the death of Amy's father, Amy and Roger set out on a carefully planned road trip across the country, but wind up taking many detours, forcing Amy to face her worst fears and come to terms with her grief and guilt. (Grades 8+)



The Sky is Everywhere by Jandy Nelson
In the months after her sister dies, 17 year-old Lennie falls into a love triangle and discovers the strength to follow her dream of becoming a musician. (Grades 9+)



Before I Fall by Lauren Oliver
After she dies in a car crash, teenage Samantha Kingston relives the day of her death over and over again until, on the seventh day, she finally discovers a way to save herself. (Grades 9+)



Geek Charming by Robin Palmer
Rich, spoiled, and popular high school senior Dylan is coerced into doing a documentary film with Josh, a film geek, who leads her to realize that the world does not revolve around her. (Grades 8+)



The Daughters* by Joanna Philbin
In New York City, three teenage best friends who are all daughters of celebrities watch out for each other as they try to strike a balance between ordinary high school events and family functions involving their famous parents. (Grades 7+)



Angus, Thongs, & Full-Frontal Snogging*
by Louise Rennison
The year in the life of a 14 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. (Grades 8+)



The Unwritten Rule by Elizabeth Scott
Petite, young-looking 17 year old Sarah has been best friends with the glamorous and seductive Brianna forever, but when she starts liking Brianna's boyfriend, their friendship becomes precarious. (Grades 8+)



She's So Dead to Us by Kieran Scott
Allie, who lives on the poor side of town, and Jake, the new rich kid, develop feelings for one another that are complicated by her former friends, his current ones, and her father's bad investment. (Grades 9+)



Confessions of a Teenage Drama Queen
by Dyan Sheldon
Mary Elizabeth Cep, who now calls herself "Lola," sets her sights on the lead in the annual drama production, and finds herself in conflict with the most popular girl in school. (Grades 7+)



This is What Happy Looks Like by Jennifer Smith
After Graham accidentally sends Ellie an email about his pet pig, the two begin a relationship from opposite sides of the country, but their relationship is complicated by the secrets they keep when they meet in-person. (Grades 7+)



What My Mother Doesn't Know by Sonya Sones
Sophie describes her relationships with a series of boys as she searches for Mr. Right. (Grades 8+)



Not That Kind of Girl by Siobhan Vivian
High school senior and student body president, Natalie likes to have everything under control, but when she becomes attracted to one of the senior boys and her best friend starts keeping secrets from her, Natalie does not know how to act. (Grades 9+)



Boys, Girls, and Other Hazardous Materials by Rosalind Wiseman
When she transfers to a new high school, freshman Charlotte "Charlie" Healey faces tough choices as she tries to shed her "mean girl" image. (Grade 9+)



The Secret Rite of Butterflies by Lizabeth Zindel
Maggie worries about making friends at her new high school until she is invited to join an elite secret society devoted to eavesdropping and recording the "truth" about students and faculty. (Grades 9+)

