

Rainbow Vol. 1 by Sunny and Gloomy

Boo has pink hair and a vivid imagination that she has trouble separating from the real world. In her daydreams, she dances at balls and fights monsters. In reality, she has a wicked crush on the girl of her dreams. When new student Mimi arrives, Boo starts exploring a new side of herself, but Boo might have to finally face reality. Is the real Mimi the one in her dreams or the one in real life?



Breaks by Emma Vieceli & Malin Rydén

Cortland has made some dangerous mistakes. Now he's waiting for those mistakes to catch up with him. Ian coasts through life denying the spark of anger beneath his laid back exterior. When school politics and personal lives become a battleground, the pair find that what they share may just be their only safe haven. A story of two young men discovering who they were, who they are and who they will become.



The Ghost of Us by James L. Sutter

A supernatural LGBTQ love triangle filled with sparky humour and spooky romance. Ghost hunter Cara is determined to escape life as a high school outcast by finding proof of the supernatural. Yet when she stumbles upon the spirit of Aiden, a popular upperclassman who died the previous year, she learns that ghosts have goals of their own.



The Bodies Between Us by Sarah Van Name

A wistful coming-of-age story with a haunting twist about four friends who spend their summer learning to become invisible. Intoxicated by the thought of disappearing, even temporarily, Callie and her friends revel in their reckless new freedom, until they realise it's getting harder to come back to themselves... and do they even want to?



At the Library



Reserve your favouri

We recommend these great NEW LGBTQ READS!

September 2024



Lover Birds by Leanne Egan

A fantastic, queer enemies-to-lovers story! In one corner, a girl with ADHD experiencing her first girl crush in a monumental way; in the other corner, a posh rich girl who's new to school and has her own reasons to be guarded. Told with humour and heart, this novel marks a great new young adult romcom voice.



Another Dimension of Us by Mike Albo

The Breakfast Club meets Stranger Things in this thrilling science fiction story about teens from the past and the future who travel across the astral plane to save the ones they love.

Blame My Virgo Moon by Freja Nicole Woolf Never Trust a Gemini #2

The hilarious follow up to *Never Trust a Gemini* featuring Cat Phillips, astrology aficionado and chaotic teen lesbian, as she struggles to balance romance, friendship and the spotlight when she throws herself into the gender-indifferent school production of Romeo and Juliet (a decision she soon regrets!)



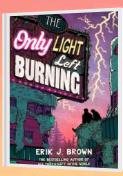
Wrong Answers Only by Tobias Madden

Marco's always done the right thing... until now. He's been sent to live on a cruise ship in the Mediterranean with his estranged uncle. Aboard the Ocean Melody it's time for Marco to forge his own path and hooking up with a hot dancer from the ship is only the beginning.



Be Dazzled by Ryan La Sala

Raffy has a passion for bedazzling. Not just bedazzling, but sewing, stitching, pattern making, all things creative. He's always chosen his art over everything and everyone and is determined to make his mark at this year's biggest cosplay competition. If he can wow there, it could lead to sponsorship, then art school. There's only one small problem... Raffy's ex-boyfriend, Luca, is his main competition.



The Only Light Left Burning by Erik J. Brown All That's Left in the World #2

The highly-anticipated sequel to the queer genre-bending dystopian romance! Against the backdrop of a ravaged world, Andrew and Jamie have settled in a new community. Finally they've reached safety and have each taken on roles and responsibilities in this new life. But it's soon clear they want different things.



The Invocations by Krystal Sutherland

Three girls, one supernatural killer on the loose . . . Zara Jones believes in magic because the alternative is too painful to consider - that her murdered sister is gone forever and there is nothing she can do about it. Rather than grieving and moving on, Zara decides she will do whatever it takes to claw her sister back from the grave, even trading in the occult.



Most Ardently by Gabe Cole Novoa Remixed Classics #9

This bittersweet Pride & Prejudice remix follows a trans boy yearning for the freedom to live openly, centering queerness in a well-known story of longing and subverting society's patriarchal and cisheteronormative expectations.



The Cursed Rose by Leslie Vedder Bone Spindle #3

Filled with vicious bone monsters, new alliances and surprises at every turn, prepare to be swept away by this taut, clever and heart filled series conclusion to the Bone Spindle trilogy,



The Perfect Guy Doesn't Exist by Sophie Gonzales

What happens when the fictional 'perfect guy' comes to life and is convinced you're his soulmate? While her parents are away, sixteen-year-old Ivy plans on binge watching her favourite show and hanging out with her best friend Henry. But things quickly go downhill when Ivy wakes up to find Weston, the gorgeous lead character of her favourite show, in her bedroom!

Night of The Living Queers Edited by Shelly Page & Alex Brown

A horror anthology that explores how Halloween can be more than just candies and frights, but a night where anything is possible. Each short story is told through the lens of a different teen and the spooky night that changes their lives forever. Creative, creepy, and queer, this collection promises fresh terror, heart and humour.

WANT MORE? Find our previous lists @ mnclibrary.org.au/kids-teens