



gossip girl read-alikes

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The following books are located in the Teen Fiction (YA) section, alphabetical by author's last name.

Abbott, Hailey. ***Summer Boys***

From the creators of "Gossip Girl" comes a fresh, edgy take on summertime romance. Cousins Ella, Beth, and Jamie are gearing up for the wildest time of their lives, but nothing can prepare them for the crazy ups and downs of love.

Ashton, Victoria. ***Rich Girls: A Novel***

Two teen nannies learn the dangers of losing old boyfriends and gaining new ones in the glamorous but deceptive world of the rich and powerful.

Bauer, Joan. ***Rules of the Road***

Seventeen-year-old Jenna's job at crusty Mrs. Gladstone's shoe store leads to her driving Mrs. Gladstone across the country to Texas to prevent a company takeover.

Brian, Kate. ***Private: A Novel***

When fifteen-year-old Reed wins a scholarship to Easton Academy, she quickly discovers the A-list Billings Girls and tries to become a member. But she soon finds that everyone at Easton is just a bit more sophisticated, a bit more gorgeous, and a lot wealthier than she ever thought possible.

Castellucci, Cecil. ***The Queen of Cool***

Bored with her life, popular high school junior Libby signs up for an internship at the zoo and discovers that the "science nerds" she meets there may have a few things to teach her about friendship and life.

Coburn, Jake. ***Prep***

One-time tag-artist, Nick tries to come to terms with the death of a friend, to protect the brother of his would-be girlfriend, to escape the violence of wealthy New York City prep school hoods, & to figure out who he really is.

Cohn, Rachel. ***Gingerbread***

After being expelled from a fancy boarding school, Cyd Charisse's problems with her mother escalate. Cyd falls in love with a sensitive surfer and is subsequently sent from San Francisco to New York City to spend time with her biological father.

De la Cruz, Melissa. ***The Au Pairs***

Three teenage girls from different backgrounds work for a summer in the Hamptons as au pairs for a wealthy family, and in spite of many ups and downs, all three end up changing for the better.

Dean, Zoey. ***The A-List***

Seventeen-year-old blueblood Anna Percy leaves Manhattan to spend the second half of her senior year with her father in Los Angeles and quickly becomes involved in the lives of the rich and famous at Beverly Hills High School.

Dessen, Sarah. ***This Lullaby***

Made cynical by her romance novelist mother's five failed marriages, Remy Starr is stunned to discover that her heart may not be made of stone, when she reluctantly falls for quirky-cute Dexter the summer before she leaves for college.

Friedman, Aimee. ***South Beach***

On a trip to a place where anything can happen - and does - two ex-best friends discover that a chance encounter can lead to the chance of a lifetime. This year, Spring Break is going to be scandalous!!

Godbersen, Anna. ***The Luxe***

In Manhattan in 1899, five teens of different social classes lead dangerously scandalous lives, despite the strict rules of society & the best-laid plans of parents.

Harrison, Lisi. ***The Clique: A Novel***

Wealthy Massie is determined to exclude middle class Claire, the daughter of her father's old friend, from her seventh-grade clique at a very exclusive private school in Westchester, New York, but after Massie steals her only friend, Claire strikes back.

Holder, Nancy. ***Pretty Little Devils***

Life seems rosy for the Pretty Little Devils, the most popular girls' clique in high school, until its members begin to experience threats and assaults.



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Kantor, Melissa. ***If I Have a Wicked Stepmother, Where's My Prince?***

After Lucy is forced to move to a posh Long Island suburb with her dad and new stepmother, she goes from the outcast new girl to a reluctant teen queen when the hottest boy in school becomes her boyfriend, in this modern Cinderella story.

Karasyov, Carrie and Jill Kargman. ***Bittersweet Sixteen***

A student at New York's most exclusive preparatory school for girls deals with the mayhem of "Sweet Sixteen" birthday parties given by the ultra-wealthy.

Koss, Amy Goldman. ***The Girls***

Each of the girls in a middle-school clique reveals the strong, manipulative hold one of the group exerts on the others, and the hurt and self-doubt that it causes them.

Mackler, Carolyn. ***The Earth, My Butt and Other Big Round Things***

When her best friend moves away, Virginia learns how to manage her weight, her love life, and an accusation of date rape against her older brother, all on her own.

Mayer, Melody. ***The Nannies***

Kiley, Lydia, and Esme, three teenagers from very different backgrounds, befriend one another while working as nannies for wealthy employers in Beverly Hills, California.

McCafferty, Megan. ***Sloppy Firsts***

Welcome to High School Life, also known as "Wonderbreadland" *you got your IQ's, Upper Crusts, 404's and Hanger-ons.

Mechling, Lauren and Laura Moser. ***The Rise and Fall of a 10th Grade Social Climber***

Mimi's first hour at The Baldwin School in New York City, an institution where teachers offer psychoanalysis in lieu of grades and students hold cocktail parties in the bathroom between classes, leaves her spinning. Mimi keeps a diary about the popular crowd at Baldwin, but what will happen the diary falls in the wrong hands?

Minter, J. ***The Insiders***

In downtown New York City, a sophisticated, stylish high school junior is already having trouble keeping his group of lifelong friends together when his wild cousin Kelli arrives from St. Louis and stirs things up.

Noel, Alyson. ***Art Geeks & Prom Queens***

Seventeen-year-old Alex seriously messes up during her senior year at an Orange County, California high school, skipping classes and staying out all night at Hollywood night clubs with older guys, in an effort to distract herself from some unpleasant realities.

O'Connell, Tyne. ***Pulling Princes***

Hoping to become more popular at her elegant English boarding school, fifteen-year-old Californian Calypso Kelly invents a fake handsome boyfriend, until she realizes that her wit and skill at fencing may be enough to attract the attention of a real-life handsome prince.

Rennison, Louise. ***Angus, Thongs, and Full-Frontal Snogging: Confessions of Georgia Nicolson***

Presents 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.

Serros, Michelle. ***Honey Blonde Chica***

Evie Gomez, while trying to form her own identity, must decide if she wants to be a fun-loving, high-heeled, blonde-streaked Sangro, or a laid-back surfer chick.

Thomson, Sarah L. ***The Manny***

A sixteen-year-old New Yorker looks forward to his summer job as a manny, or "male nanny," to an affluent couple's four-year-old in the Hamptons.

von Ziegesar, Cecily. ***The It Girl***

Having left her elite Manhattan private school to attend an equally exclusive New York State boarding school, sophomore Jenny Humphrey sets out to become the most alluring girl on campus.

Wasserman, Robin. ***Lust***

In the town of Grace, California, seven teenagers experiment with passion and manipulation and use tricks to get ahead. Harper plans to steal Adam from Beth while Kane wants Beth and Miranda wants Kane.

Wilkins, Rose. ***So Super Starry***

Fifteen-year-old Octavia Clairbrook-Cleeve, the daughter of a famous television actress and a respected film and theater director, feels out of place amidst the glamour, wealth, and high society that surround her, and when she begins dating a rich and handsome older boy, her doubts about this lifestyle become impossible to ignore.

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