



Bodeen, S. A. ***The Compound***

After he's spent six years in an underground compound built by his father to protect them from a nuclear holocaust, fifteen-year-old Eli, whose twin brother was left behind, discovers that his father has perpetrated a monstrous hoax on them all.

Burgess, Melvin. ***Sara's Face***

Seventeen-year-old Sara wants so much to be famous that when a legendary, plastic-surgery-addicted rock star offers to take her under his wing and pay for her to have surgery too, she jumps at the chance despite her misgivings.

Cormier, Robert. ***Tenderness***

A psychological thriller told from the points of view of a teenage serial killer and the runaway girl who falls in love with him.

Dunkle, Clare. ***The House of Dead Maids***

Tabby has been brought to the dusty mansion of Seldom House to be nursemaid to a savage little boy. She soon discovers that the house is haunted by scores of dead maids and masters with a jealous devotion that extends beyond the grave.

Ellison, Kate. ***The Butterfly Clues***

Lo witnesses a murder while wandering dangerous quarters of Cleveland, Ohio, collecting things that do not belong to her, obsessing about her brother's death.

Ferguson, Alane. ***The Christopher Killer***

On the payroll as an assistant to her coroner father, seventeen-year-old Cameryn Mahoney uses her knowledge of forensic medicine to catch the killer of a friend while putting herself in terrible danger.



Fields, Terry. ***My Father's Son***

Kevin's life of high school classes, crushes, basketball, and shuttling between his parents' homes falls apart when his father is arrested as a serial killer.

Fredericks, Mariah. ***The Girl in the Park***

When a teenaged girl with a bad reputation is murdered in New York City's Central Park after a party, her childhood friend is determined to solve the mystery of who caused her death.

Hahn, Mary Downing. ***Mister Death's Blue-Eyed Girls***

Based on an actual crime in 1955, this novel is at once a mystery and a coming-of-age story. The brutal murder of two teenage girls on the last day of Nora's junior year in high school throws her into turmoil.

Higson, Charles. ***The Enemy***

After a disease turns everyone over sixteen into brainless, decomposing, flesh-eating creatures, a group of teenagers leave their shelter and set out on a harrowing journey across London to the safe haven of Buckingham Palace.

Horowitz, Anthony. ***Bloody Horowitz***

Collects fourteen horror tales, including the story of a teen gang leader taken for a ride by a deadly car, a boy haunted by a phantom cobra, and a reality television show pitting teenagers against adults.

Leonard, Niall. ***Crusher***

The day Finn Maguire discovers his dad bludgeoned to death in a pool of blood, his dreary life is turned upside down. Prime suspect in his father's murder, Finn must race against time to clear his name and find out who hated his dad enough to kill him.



Lyga, Barry. ***I Hunt Killers***

Seventeen-year-old Jazz learned all about being a serial killer from his notorious "Dear Old Dad," but believes he has a conscience that will help fight his own urges and right some of his father's wrongs - so he secretly helps the police apprehend the town's newest murderer, "The Impressionist."

McNamee, Graham. ***Acceleration***

Stuck working in the Lost and Found of the Toronto Transit Authority for the summer, Duncan finds the diary of a serial killer and sets out to stop him.

Michaels, Rune. ***Genesis Alpha***

When thirteen-year-old Josh's beloved older brother, Max, is arrested for murder, the victim's sister leads Josh to evidence of Max's guilt hidden in their favorite online role-playing game.

Mitchard, Jacqueline. ***The Midnight Twins***

As identical twins Meredith and Mallory approach their thirteenth birthday, one begins to see the future and the other the past, leading them to discover that a high school student they know is doing horrible things that places them in grave danger.

Olin, Sean. ***Killing Britney***

Britney is the most popular girl at school, but her life has been touched by tragedy. Is it just bad luck? Or is someone out to get her?

Poblocki, Dan. ***The Nightmarys***

Timothy and his new friend Abigail try to break a curse that is causing them and others to be tormented by their greatest fears brought to life.

Price, Charlie. ***Dead Connection***

A teenage loner hears the voice of a murdered cheerleader and tries to convince the adults that he knows what happened to her.



Revis, Beth. **Across the Universe**
 Teenaged Amy, a cryogenically frozen passenger on the spaceship Godspeed, wakes up to discover that someone may have tried to murder her.

Sampson, Jeff. **Vesper: A Deviant's Novel**
 By the time Emily discovers that she and several of her high school classmates are products of genetic engineering, they display all very dangerous powers by night and are stalked by a murderer.

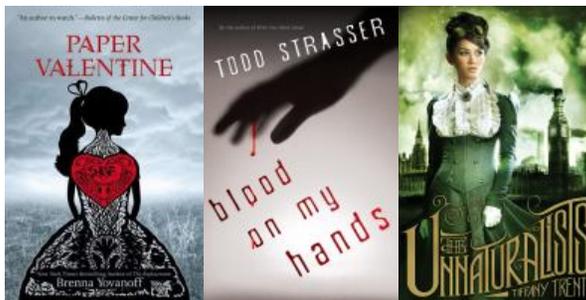
Shepherd, Sara. **The Lying Game**
 Seventeen-year-old Emma Paxton steps into the life of her long-lost twin Sutton to solve her murder, while Sutton looks on from her afterlife.

Shusterman, Neal. **Unwind**
 In a future world where those between the ages of thirteen and eighteen can have their lives "unwound" and their body parts harvested for use by others, three teens try to save their own lives.

Smith, Alexander Gordon. **Lockdown**
 Furnace Penitentiary: the world's most secure prison for young offenders, buried a mile beneath the earth's surface. Convicted of a murder he didn't commit, sentenced to life without parole, Alex must find a way out, or resign himself to a death behind bars.

Springer, Nancy. **Blood Trail**
 After his best friend is murdered, seventeen-year-old Booger realizes he is the only one who has any idea who might have committed the crime - but he doesn't dare tell anyone.

Strasser, Todd. **Blood On My Hands**
 At a high school party, a girl finds her best friend murdered, only to be discovered holding the weapon and accused of the crime.



Suma, Nova Ren. **17 and Gone**
 Seventeen-year-old Lauren has visions of girls her own age who are gone without a trace, but while she tries to understand why they are speaking to her and whether she is next, Lauren has a brush with death and a shocking truth emerges, changing everything.

Trent, Tiffany. **The Unnaturalists**
 In an alternate London where magical creatures are preserved in a museum, two teens find themselves caught in a web of intrigue, deception, and danger.

Wasserman, Robin. **The Book of Blood and Shadows**
 While working on a project translating ancient letters, Nora's best friend is murdered - with her boyfriend the apparent killer - and she is caught up in a dangerous web of secret societies and conspirators.

Werlin, Nancy. **The Killer's Cousin**
 After being acquitted of murder, David goes to stay with relatives where he finds himself forced to face his past as he learns more about his strange cousin Lily.

Yovanoff, Brenna. **Paper Valentine**
 Followed everywhere by the ghost of her recently deceased best friend, Hannah investigates the serial murders of young girls in her community.

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