

Fantasy Fiction for Teens

Great Tree of Avalon [series]

T.A. Barron (YA BARRON)

One can save Avalon...the other is fated to destroy it. (Grades 6-9)

The Looking Glass Wars [Series]

Frank Beddor (YA BEDDOR)

Alice—Banished from Wonderland! (Grades 6-8)

Tithe: A Modern Faerie Tale [Series]

Holly Black (YA BLACK)

It's bad enough that Kaye sees faeries; she might be one! (Grades 7-9)

Faerie Wars Chronicles [Series]

Herbie Brennan (YA BRENNAN)

An exiled Faerie isn't much of a king without his throne. (Grades 6-8)

Green Rider [Series]

Kristen Britain (YA BRITAIN)

A promise made to a dying man changes Karighan's life forever. (Grades 9+)

Silverboy

N.M. Browne (YA Browne)

Escaping from prison is difficult...especially when you have glowing skin! (Grades 6+)

Prophecy of the Stones

Flavia Bujor (YA BUJOR)

Jade, Amber and Opal are drawn by the stones to the realm of Fairytale. What awaits them is anyone's guess... (Grades 7-9)

Dragon's Keep

Janet Carey (YA CAREY)

Rosalind's mother won't accept her. Only the love of a dragon can help her feel normal again. (Grades 6-10)

Heir Trilogy [series]

Cinda Williams Chima (YA CHIMA)

Warrior or wizard—which do you want to be? (Grades 6-8)

Mortal Instruments [Series]

Cassandra Clare (YA CLARE)

Fighting invisible demons ensures that the job of a Shadowhunter is never dull. (Grades 9+)

Monster Blood Tattoo [series]

D.M. Cornish (YA CORNISH)

Rossamund dreamed of fighting monsters, but ended up with a job as a lamplighter...where he still has to fight monsters! (Grades 6-8)

Young Wizards [series]

Diane Duane (YA DUANE)

Before Harry Potter, there were the Young Wizards! (Grades 6-8)

The Blue Girl

Charles de Lint (YA DE LINT)

Her name's Imogene Yeck. She's made the fairies of Redding High angry...and they're turning her blue! (Grades 9+)

A Resurrection of Magic [series]

Kathleen Duey (YA DUEY)

Welcome to the wizardry school of hard knocks, where not being able to conjure food means you starve! A far cry from Hogwarts. (Grades 9+)

Ranger's Apprentice [series]

John Flanagan (YA FLANGAN)

In a world of magic, there's only one way to start an adventure...as a Ranger's apprentice. (Grades 6-8)

Stardust

Neil Gaiman (YA GAIMAN)

When you wish upon a star...you could end up in an alternate world! (Grades 8+)

Book of a Thousand Days

Shannon Hale (YA HALE)

Working in a kitchen sure beats being locked in a tower. (Grades 7+)

Icemark Chronicles [series]

Stuart Hill (YA HILL)

Therrin has to make some...unusual...alliances to help save her kingdom & avenge her father's death. (Grades 8-11)

Farseer Trilogy [Series]

Robin Hobb (YA Hobb)

Luck brought Fitz to the king... but skill made him a deadly assassin. (Grades 9+)

Stravaganza [Series]

Mary Hoffman (YA HOFFMAN)

Georgia's horseback riding experience didn't prepare her for the winged equines in the magical world of Stravaganza! (Grades 6-8)

Chronicles of Chrestomanci [series]

Diana Wynne Jones (YA JONES)

Twelve worlds that need to be monitored for magical abuses. That's a tall order for Christopher to fill. (Grades 7+)

Howl's Moving Castle

Diana Wynne Jones (YA JONES)

Talk about bad days! Turned into an old woman AND trapped in the dreaded wizard's castle! (Grades 6+)

Dreamhunter [series]

Elizabeth Knox (YA KNOX)

Everyone loves a good dream...until it turns to nightmare! (Grades 9+)

Annals of the Western Shore [series]

Ursula LeGuin (YA LE GUIN)

The Uplands clans possess gifts...some wonderful, some frightening. Can they trust each other to use their gifts for good? (Grades 7+)

Dragonhaven

Robin McKinley (YA MCKINLEY)

Raising a baby dragon can be a lot of work, but it's necessary when they're almost extinct! (Grades 7+)

The Noble Warriors [series]

William Nicholson (YA NICHOLSON)

"Your life is your own. If it's not the life you want, only you can change it." (Grades 6-8)

Sabriel [series]

Garth Nix (YA NIX)

Her necromancer father has been trapped in death, and only Sabriel can rescue him! (Grades 7+)

Airborn [series]

Kenneth Oppel (YA OPPEL)

And you thought those things drifting through the skies were just clouds! (Grades 6-10)

Chronicles of the Imaginarium Geographica [series]

James A. Owen (YA OWEN)

A mysterious book opens into a magical world, where the evil Winter King must be defeated at all costs. (Grades 7+)

Beka Cooper [series]

Tamora Pierce (YA PIERCE)

Beka's beat as a rookie Provost Guard is a rough one. At least talking to the dead relieves some of that work stress. (Grades 7+)

Melting Stones

Tamora Pierce (YA PIERCE)

Plants and animals are mysteriously dying. Only a stone mage can unlock the truth... (Grades 7+)

Nation

Terry Pratchett (YA PRATCHETT)

It may be a deserted island, but Mau's got to rebuild his civilization. (Grades 8+)

His Dark Materials Trilogy [series]

Philip Pullman (YA PULLMAN)

Daemons, stolen children, Texan balloonists and warrior bears await Lyra on her quest. (Grades 9+)

Septimus Heap [series]

Angie Sage (YA SAGE)

Septimus is the 7th son of a 7th son, and thus destined to possess magical powers. But only if his identity remains secret. (Grades 6-8)

Secrets of Nicholas Flamel [series]

Michael Scott (YA SCOTT)

Getting caught in a battle between alchemists over the secret of immortality wasn't in the job description. (Grades 6-9)

Bartimeus Trilogy [series]

Jonathan Stroud (YA STROUD)

When young magician Nathaniel summons the ancient, powerful and mischievous djinni Bartimaeus, he gets more than he bargained for! (Grades 6-8)

New Policeman

Kate Thompson (YA THOMPSON)

Young J.J. has disappeared. The new policeman is on the case. But how can you find someone who has left on a magical journey to a land where time stands still? (Grades 6-8)

Flora Segunda [series]

Ysabeau Wilce (YA WILCE)

Flora is late for school. The elevator should speed things up, right? Wrong. She's off on an adventure in her family's weird house. (Grades 7-9)

Sorcery & Cecelia [series]

Patricia Wrede (YA WREDE)

Poisonings, exploding dogs and people turned into trees—magic can be so unpredictable! (Grades 8+)