

A Book Set In the Future

Book Suggestions for the October Student Reading Challenge

Picture Books:

Updated 9/2025

Call Number:	Title:
E Becker A	<i>The Last Zookeeper</i> by Aaron Becker
E Brown P	<i>The Wild Robot on the Island</i> by Peter Brown
E Cayuso A	<i>Aiko and the Planet of Dogs</i> by Ainhua Cayuso
E Cummins L	<i>Dalmatian; A Mars Rover's Story</i> by Lucy Ruth Cummins
E Fang X	<i>We Are Definitely Human</i> by X Fang
E Hare J	<i>Field Trip to the Moon</i> by John Hare
E Klassen J	<i>The Rock from the Sky</i> by Jon Klassen
E Sima J	<i>Cookie Time</i> by Jessie Sima
E Underwood D	<i>Jo Bright and the Seven Bots</i> by Deborah Underwood
E Underwood D	<i>Reading Beauty</i> by Deborah Underwood
E Wiesner D	<i>Sector 7</i> by David Wiesner
E Yoshitake S	<i>There Must Be More Than That!</i> By Shinsuke Yoshitake

Early Chapter Books:

Call Number:	Title:
[GRAPHIC] j Little Robot	<i>Little Robot</i> by Ben Hatke
j Fang V	Layla and the Bots series by Vicky Fang (<i>Happy Paws</i>)
j Loney A	Abby in Orbit series by Andrea Loney (<i>Blast Off!</i>)
j Mass W	Space Taxi series by Wendy Mass (<i>Archie Takes Flight</i>)
j O'Ryan R	Galaxy Zack series by Ray O'Ryan (<i>Hello, Nebulon!</i>)

Chapter Books:

Call Number:	Title:
[GRAPHIC] j Cleopatra	Cleopatra in Space series by Mike Maikack (<i>Target Practice</i>)
[GRAPHIC] j Sanity	<i>Sanity & Tallulah</i> series by Molly Brooks
[GRAPHIC] j Zita	Zita the Spacegirl series by Ben Hatke (<i>Far From Home</i>)
j / [BETWEEN] Anderson J	<i>Stowaway</i> by John David Anderson
j Bacon L	<i>The Last Human</i> by Lee Bacon
j Burt J	<i>Cleo Porter and the Body Electric</i> by Jake Burt
j Christopher J	The Tripods trilogy by John Christopher (<i>The White Mountains</i>)
j Clayton E	<i>The Roar</i> by Emma Clayton
j DuPrau J	Ember series by Jeanne DuPrau (<i>City of Ember</i>)
j Emerson K	Chronicle of the Dark Star by Kevin Emerson (<i>Last Day on Mars</i>)
j Gibbs S	Moon Base Alpha series by Stuart Gibbs (<i>Space Case</i>)
j Holm J	<i>The Lion of Mars</i> by Jennifer L. Holm
j Holyoke P	<i>The Neptune Project</i> by Polly Holyoke
j Hunter H	Futureland series by H.D. Hunter (<i>Futureland: Battle for the Park</i>)
j Lee Y	Thousand Worlds series by Yoon Ha Lee (<i>Dragon Pearl</i>)

Call Number:	Title:
j Liu S	<i>Hana Hsu and the Ghost Grab Nation</i> by Sylvia Liu
j / BETWEEN Lowry L	<i>The Giver</i> quartet by Lois Lowry
j Mbalia K	<i>The Last Gate of the Emperor</i> duology by Kwame Mbalia
j McDougall S	<i>Mars Evacuees</i> series by Sophia McDougall
j Okogwu T	Onyeka series by Tola Okogwu (<i>Onyeka and the Academy of the Sun</i>)
j Older D	<i>Flood City</i> by Daniel José Older

Teen:

Call Number:	Title:
[BETWEEN] Bacigalupi P	<i>Ship Breaker</i> trilogy by Paolo Bacigalupi
[BETWEEN] Dashner J	<i>The Maze Runner</i> trilogy by James Dashner
[BETWEEN] Farmer N	<i>The House of the Scorpion</i> by Nancy Farmer
[BETWEEN] Haddix M	Shadow Children series by Margaret Peterson Haddix (<i>Among the Hidden</i>)
[BETWEEN] Higuera D	<i>The Last Cuentista</i> series by Donna Barba Higuera
[BETWEEN] Reeve P	The Hungry City Chronicles by Philip Reeve (<i>Mortal Engines</i>)
YA Ahmed S	<i>Internment</i> by Samira Ahmed
YA Aguirre A	Razorland series by Ann Aguirre (<i>Enclave</i>)
YA Anderson M.T.	<i>Feed</i> by M.T. Anderson
YA Carmen P	<i>Pulse</i> trilogy by Patrick Carmen
YA Carson R	<i>Any Sign of Life</i> by Rae Carson
YA Cass K	<i>The Selection</i> series by Kiera Cass
YA Charbonneau J	<i>The Testing</i> trilogy by Joelle Charbonneau
YA Collins S	<i>The Hunger Games</i> series by Suzanne Collins
YA Condie A	<i>Matched</i> trilogy by Allyson Braithwaite Condie
YA Gaudin R	<i>Invictus</i> by Ryan Gaudin
YA Kaufman A	Aurora Cycle by Amie Kaufman (<i>Aurora Rising</i>)
YA Kaufman A	The Illuminae Files by Amie Kaufman (<i>Illuminae</i>)
YA Lu M	<i>Warcross</i> duology by Marie Lu
YA Mendoza P	<i>Sanctuary</i> by Paola Mendoza
YA Meyer C	Lunar Chronicles by Marissa Meyer (<i>Cinder</i>)
YA Meyer M	<i>Renegades</i> trilogy by Marissa Meyer
YA Pfeffer S	The Last Survivors series by Susan Beth Pfeffer (<i>Life As We Knew It</i>)
YA Pon C	<i>Want</i> duology by Cindy Pon
YA Roth V	<i>Divergent</i> trilogy by Veronica Roth
YA Schrefer E	<i>The Darkness Outside Us</i> duology by Eliot Schrefer
YA Shusterman N	Arc of the Scythe series by Neal Shusterman (<i>Scythe</i>)
YA Westerfeld S	<i>Uglies</i> series by Scott Westerfeld