

BAM! Kick Up Your Readers' Advisory Skills for Kids and Teens

Websites to get you kicking up your readers' advisory skills for teens.

Book Lists from Wired for Youth Librarians

A wealth of great book lists on over 40 subject headings.
<http://www.wiredforyouth.com/books/index.cfm>

Booklists & Awards from YALSA

Young Adult Library Services Association (YALSA) is an excellent source for lists of books and awards. <http://www.ala.org/yalsa/booklists>

Flamingnet Book Reviews

Website is for students between 8 and 18 years old, their parents, grandparents, teachers, and librarians who are looking for books to recommend or buy for their children, grandchildren, or students. Website lists current and classic books that this age group may find interesting and enjoyable. <http://www.flamingnet.com/>

no flying, no tights

A website reviewing graphic novels for teens. <http://www.noflyingnotights.com/index2.html>

Reading Matters from TeensPoint.org

A website from the Central Rappahannock Regional Library in Fredericksburg, VA.
http://www.teenspoint.org/reading_matters/index.asp

Teen Books from Barnes & Noble

Check here for bestsellers, new releases, coming-soon, bargain books, fiction by genre, hit series, favorite authors, special collections, and awards. <http://www.barnesandnoble.com/subjects/teens/>

Teen Ink

Print magazine, website, and book series since 1989--written by teens. <http://teenink.com/>

Teen Reads

Booklists, author websites, graphic novels and comics, and award winners from the Morton Grove Public Library. <http://www.webrary.org/teen/teenreads.html>

Teenreads.com

Includes a free newsletter, author interviews and talks, contests, cool new books, new in paperback, fiction reviews, manga, Christian fiction, podcasts and videos, reading list, bookclubs, and reading guides. <http://teenreads.com/>

Teens' Top Ten Nominations for 2008

Teens' Top Ten is a "teen choice" list, where teens nominate and choose their favorite books of the previous year! Nominators are members of teen book groups in fifteen school and public libraries around the country. If you read nominated books throughout the year, you'll be ready to vote for your favorites during Teen Read Week, October 12 - 18, 2008. For readers aged 12 - 18. http://www.ala.org/ala/yalsa/teenreading/teenstopten/2008_nominees.pdf

Teenreads.com

Teenreads.com bring teens info and features about their favorite authors, books, series and characters. Teenreads.com is THE place online for teens to talk about their fave books --- and find the hippest new titles! <http://teenreads.com/>

VOYA Online

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