

New Fiction Books at Cal Young ~ 2012-2013 ***Action/Adventure/Survival/Fantasy***

Aguirre, Ann - *Enclave*

In a post-apocalyptic future, fifteen-year-old Deuce, a loyal Huntress, brings back meat while avoiding the Freaks outside her enclave, but when she is partnered with the mysterious outsider, Fade, she begins to see that the strict ways of the elders maybe wrong--and dangerous.

Bacigalupi, Paolo - *Drowned Cities*

Mature Content

In a dark future America that has devolved into unending civil war, orphans Mahlia and Mouse barely escape the war-torn lands of the Drowned Cities, but their fragile safety is soon threatened and Mahlia will have to risk everything if she is to save Mouse, as he once saved her. A companion to the Printz Award winner and National Book Award finalist Ship Breaker.

Bick, Ilsa J. - *Ashes*

Mature Content

Alex, a resourceful seventeen-year-old running from her incurable brain tumor, Tom, who has left the war in Afghanistan, and Ellie, an angry eight-year-old, join forces after an electromagnetic pulse sweeps through the sky and kills most of the world's population, turning some of those who remain into zombies and giving the others superhuman senses.

Brooks, Kevin - *iBoy*

Mature Content

Sixteen-year-old Tom Harvey was an ordinary Londoner until an attack that caused fragments of an iPhone to be embedded in his brain, giving him incredible knowledge and power, but using that power against the gang that attacked him and a friend could have deadly consequences.

Cadnum, Michael - *Seize The Storm*

When a brutal storm throws her family's sailboat into the path of a dead drug-runner's drifting powerboat, Susanna watches how the discovery of valuable cargo changes agendas and places all of their lives in danger. By the National Book Award finalist author of *The Book of the Lion*.

Colfer, Eoin - *Last Guardian (Artemis Fowl conclusion)*

A conclusion to the internationally best-selling series leads to an ultimate confrontation between teen genius Artemis Fowl and his arch rival, Opal Koboi, who reanimates dead fairy warriors to possess Artemis' little brothers and reignite an ancient war.

Cross, Gillian - *Where I Belong*

Thirteen-year-old Khadija, a Somali refugee, becomes a model for a famous fashion designer to help her family back home, while the designer's daughter Freya and fourteen-year-old Abdi, whose family Khadija lives with in London, try to protect her.

Dashner, James - *Kill Order (Maze Runner prequel)*

A prequel to the best-selling *Maze Order* Trilogy traces the fateful period after the earth is decimated by catastrophic solar flares and reveals the stories behind the formation of WICKED, the construction of the Glade and Thomas' entry into the Maze.

D'Lacey, Chris - *Fire Ascending (Fire conclusion)*

The highly anticipated final installment of the best-selling series that includes Icefire finds David Rain struggling to save his loved ones when a mysterious force suspends the Dragons and their natural enemies, the Ix, in time in order to rewrite history in startling new ways.

Early, Alan - **Arthur Quinn and the World Serpent**

An exciting adventure story set in Dublin, where Viking mythology comes to life. Can Arthur stop the trickster Viking god Loki and the World Serpent from destroying the world?

Evans, Richard Paul - **Michael Vey : The Prisoner of Cell 25**

Michael Vey, a fourteen-year old who has Tourette's syndrome and special electric powers, finds there are others like him, and must rely on his powers to save himself and the others from a diabolical group seeking to control them.

- **Rise of the Elgen**

A sequel to Michael Vey finds Michael, Taylor and tecno-genius Ostin forming an alliance meant to protect them from the Order of Elgen, who has kidnapped Michael's mother as part of a plot to destroy children with supernatural powers.

Flanagan, John – **Invaders (Brotherband series)**

Hal and the Herons celebrate their victory in the Brotherband competition only to be wrongly blamed for the theft of a sacred artifact that they must risk their lives to reclaim.

Gaughen, A. C. - **Scarlet**

Mature Content

Scarlet--a woman who disguises herself as a boy named Will--shadows Robin Hood, but when Gisbourne, a bounty hunter, is hired by the Sheriff of Nottingham to capture Robin and his band of thieves, Robin must become Will's protector.

Golden, Christopher; Lebbon, Tim - **The Secret Journeys of Jack London: The Wild**

Seventeen-year-old Jack London makes the arduous journey to the Yukon's gold fields in 1893, becoming increasingly uneasy about supernatural forces in the wilderness that seem to have taken a special interest in him.

- **The Secret Journeys of Jack London: Sea Wolves**

A follow-up to *The Wild* continues the high-seas adventures of the young Jack London when he is abducted by a savage band of cursed pirates who force him to rely on the sultry and secretive captive, Sabine.

Kirby, Matthew J. - **Icefall**

Solveig and her siblings, including the young Viking heir, must take refuge in a hidden fortress; however, in spite of Berserker guards, they may not be safe. (For fans of *The Ranger's Apprentice*)

Grant, Michael - **Fear: A Gone Novel**

Determined to survive in spite of plague, hunger and betrayals, the ravaged children of Perdido Beach work together to forge a tenuous new existence where the Darkness is becoming an ultimate threat.

Hirsch, Jeff - **Eleventh Plague**

Twenty years after the start of the war that caused the Collapse, fifteen-year-old Stephen, his father, and grandfather travel post-Collapse America scavenging, but when his grandfather dies and his father decides to risk everything to save the lives of two strangers, Stephen's life is turned upside down.

Hulme, John and Michael Wexler - **The Glitch in Sleep**

When twelve-year-old Becker Drane is recruited by The Seems, a parallel universe that runs everything in The World, he must fix a disastrous glitch in the Department of Sleep that threatens everyone's ability to ever fall asleep again.

Hunter, Erin; Barry, James L. (ILT) - **Yellowfang's Secret (Warriors series)**

Yellowfang is a loyal ShadowClan cat through and through--but she is haunted by a dark secret from her past that could threaten the future of the warrior Clans--

Lasky, Kathryn - ***Spirit Wolf: Wolves of the Beyond series Book 5 (# 1, Lone Wolf – YRCA 2013)***

Inspiring awe and suspicion among his fellow wolves as a result of his mysteriously splayed paw and uncanny connection to bears, former outcast Faolan leads his companions into a battle that could mean the salvation or destruction of the pack. By the Newbery Honor-winning author of the Guardians of Ga'Hoole series.

Lore, Pittacus - ***Rise of Nine (Lorien Legacies Book 3)*** Mature Content

The third installment in the action-packed Lorien Legacies series that launched with #1 New York Times best-sellers *I Am Number Four* and *The Power of Six*, finds the stakes higher than ever as John, Number Six, and Number Seven desperately try to find the rest of the Lorien Nine before it's too late.

Lu, Marie - ***Legend***

Raised in an elite military family in a war-torn nation that was once the Western United States, 15-year-old June embarks on a revelatory cat-and-mouse manhunt for criminal youth Day, who is declared a prime suspect in the murder of June's brother.

Machale, D. J.- ***Blood (Morpheus Road Trilogy, Book 3)***

Events proceed to a final showdown between best friends Marshall and Cooper and the terrifying villain Damon, who is more determined than ever to break down the walls between the worlds of the living and the dead.

Meloy, Maile; Schoenherr, Ian (ILT) - ***Apothecary***

Meeting fearless Benjamin Burrows when she moves to London in 1952, 14-year-old Janie Scott helps Benjamin on a quest to rescue his kidnapped father while protecting a sacred apothecary tome from dangerous Russian spies.

Mull, Brandon - ***Seeds of Rebellion (A World Without Heroes Book 2)***

Resuming after the cliffhanger ending in *A World Without Heroes*, a latest entry in the popular series finds Jason returning to Lyrian to share life-saving information while Rachel and her companions encounter new enemies and struggle to recruit a vital ally.

Mullin, Mike - ***Ashfall***

After the eruption of the Yellowstone supervolcano destroys his city and its surroundings, fifteen-year-old Alex must journey from Cedar Falls, Iowa, to Illinois to find his parents and sister, trying to survive in a transformed landscape and a new society in which all the old rules of living have vanished.

- ***Ashen Winter***

More than six months after the eruption of the Yellowstone supervolcano, Alex and Darla retrace their steps to Iowa hoping to find Alex's parents and bring them to the tenuous safety of Illinois, but the journey is ever more perilous as the remaining communities fight to the death for food and power.

O'Brien, Caragh M. - ***Birthmarked***

When her midwife mother is forcibly taken away by the very people she serves, sixteen-year-old Gaia Stone starts to question the role of the Enclave and whether it deserves the loyalty her family has so faithfully given.

- ***Prized (Birthmarked sequel)***

The leadership in Sylum is threatened by Gaia and attempts to control her by systematically separating her from everyone she loves, including her infant sister and boyfriend Leon.

Patterson, James; Rust, Ned - ***Game Over (Daniel X Book 4)***

In Tokyo, fifteen-year-old Daniel X faces two of the most dangerous aliens on the planet, who are plotting to use video games to control children and turn them into an army of doom.

Perera, Anna - ***Guantanamo Boy***

Mature Content

While visiting family in Pakistan, 15-year-old Khalid Ahmed is captured, imprisoned and tortured at Guantanamo Bay prison after being falsely accused of being a terrorist.

Price, Lissa - ***Starters***

Mature Content

In a postapocalyptic world decimated by a viral outbreak where desperate surviving teens rent their bodies to seniors who want to experience youth again, 16-year-old orphan Callie rents out her body only to discover that her renter is planning to commit a murder. (*Hunger Games* fans?)

Revis, Beth - ***Across the Universe***

Amy joins her parents as frozen cargo aboard the vast spaceship Godspeed and expects to awaken on a new planet three hundred years in the future, but her frozen slumber abruptly ends when someone on board the ship tries to murder her.

Slater, Adam - ***Hunted***

At the time called The Shadowing, the barrier between the netherworld and the human world begins to break down, and as fourteen-year-old Callum sees his visions of grisly murders coming true he strives to fulfill his destiny to stand against bloodthirsty demon forces while he, himself, is being hunted.

Smith, Alexander Gordon - ***Fugitives (Escape from Furnace series)***

After achieving the impossible by escaping the laboratories and cells of Furnace Penitentiary, Alex, injected with superhuman abilities, must uncover the last of Furnace's secrets--the truth about the man who built the prison.

Smith, Roland - ***Eruption***

Twelve-year-old Chase and his friend Nicole Rossi attempt to rescue the Rossi Brothers' Circus--lions, tigers, elephants, and all--in Mexico, where a massive earthquake has struck, leading to the imminent eruption of a volcano.

Somper, Justin - ***Immortal War (Vampirates conclusion)***

A conclusion to the series that includes *Empire of Night* finds pirate warrior Connor and powerful healer Grace teaming up with the Nocturnals to face their greatest challenge in the war against the renegade Vampirates.

Taylor, Laini - ***Daughter of Smoke & Bone***

Seventeen-year-old Karou, a lovely, enigmatic art student in a Prague boarding school, carries a sketchbook of hideous, frightening monsters--the chimaerae who form the only family she has ever known.

Venkatraman, Padma - ***Island's End***

A young girl trains to be the new spiritual leader of her remote Andaman Island tribe, while facing increasing threats from the modern world.

Wells, Robison - ***Variant***

After years in foster homes, seventeen-year-old Benson Fisher applies to New Mexico's Maxfield Academy in hopes of securing a brighter future, but instead he finds that the school is a prison and no one is what he or she seems.