NILES WEST HIGH SCHOOL

SUMMER BOOKS

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DYSTOPIAN

ROMANCE

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Nyxia

OTHERWORLD

HISTORICAL

THE ASSASSIN'S GUIDE TO LOVE & TREASON

WAR OUTSIDE

ASH PRINCESS

WHEN WE CAUGHT FIRE

DANIEL

THE GILDED WOLVES

FANTASY

THE FAIRY OF THE SPECIES

MIRAGE

MYSTERY/THRILLER

LONELY,

BAD LIES

NO ONE CAN KEEP A SECRET

SADIE

NOMI SUMMERS

HUMOR

THE WAY YOU MAKE ME FEEL

THE SPOON WHO HAD DNA

THE 57 BUS

SPORTS

CLASSIC

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AP LIT: THE POISONWOOD BIBLE BY BARBARA KINGSOLVER

AP LANT (GAW): OUTLIERS BY MALCOLM GLADWELL
Dystopian

Dread Nation by Justina Ireland
Jane was born 2 days before the dead began to walk the battlefields of the Civil War, derailing the War and changing America forever. Trained to fight “shambler”, Jane gets caught in the middle of a conspiracy and finds that Zombies are the least of her problems.

Do by Neal Shusterman
When the California drought escalates to catastrophic proportions, Alyssa’s quiet suburban street spirals into a warzone of desperation; neighbors and families turn against each other on the hunt for water.

The Rule of Three by Eric Walters
A global black-out forces teenager Adam Daley and his neighbors to turn their community into a fortress, defending against enemies, but a new danger threatens to destroy them all.

Science Fiction

#Murder trending by Gretchen McNeil
Welcome to the near future, where citizens use an app to watch live executions of society’s worst criminals. Wrongfully convicted Dee Guerrero is in for the fight of her life.

Nyxia by Scot Reintgen
Emmett is recruited by the Corporation to leave Earth to mine Nyxia, the most valuable material in the universe. There’s one catch…all 10 recruits must compete for a spot.

Otherworld by Jason Segal
Otherworld is amazing and addictive and promises to make all your dreams come true. Simon thought Otherworld was just a game. Turns out he knew nothing.

Historical

The Assassin’s Guide to Love & Treasure by Virginia Boecker
When Lady Katherine’s father is killed for being an illegitimately practicing Catholic, she finds he was also involved in a murder plot against Queen Elizabeth. Katherine disguises herself as a boy and travels to London to fulfill her father’s mission.

The War Outside by Monica Hesse
World War II is raging across Europe and the Pacific. Margot and Haruko are uprooted to a “family internment camp” for those accused of colluding with the enemy, all because their parents are from Germany and Japan.

When We Caught Fire by Anna Godbersen
As the summer of 1871 turns to fall, the city is at a tipping point: friendships are tested, hearts are broken, and the tiniest spark might set everything ablaze. The days leading up to and including Chicago’s Great Fire are the backdrop for this epic love triangle.

Humor

Don’t Get Caught by Kurt Dinan
Max receives a mysterious invite from the untraceable, epic prank-pulling Chaos Club. He and the four fellow invites end up at the newly defaced water tower when campus security “catches” them. Definitely a setup. Let the prank war begin.

The Field Guide to the North American Teenager by Ben Philippe
Norris is a black French Canadian who moves to Texas. There he amuses himself by competing wearing hijab, and made history as the first Muslim American woman to medal.

The Way You Make Me Feel by Maurene Goo
Clara Shin lives for pranks and disruption. When she takes one joke too far, her dad catches her. But when he finds that none of this. She has no memories of her life before.

Sports

After the Shot Drop by Randy Ribay
Bunny and Nasir are best friends, but Bunny accepts an athletic scholarship across town. With Bunny gone, Nasir spends more time with his cousin, Wallace, who is being evicted.

Check, Please! Book 1 #Hockey! by Ngozi Ukazu
Y’all in for a greater tour of hockey! Have you met the girls? They’re fierce, fierce, but they’ve got a heart of gold.

Romance

From Twinkle, With Love by Sandhya Menon
Aspiring filmmaker and wallflower Twinkle has stories she wants to tell and universes she wants to explore, if only the world would listen.

A Very Large Expanse of Sea by Tahereh Mafi
It’s 2002, an bad time for someone like Shhirin, a Muslim girl who wears a hijab. She’s tired of the nude staries and the degrading comments. But then she meets Ocean James.

A Week of Mondays by Jessica Brody
Ellie just had a horrible Monday that ended with her boyfriend Tristan breaking up with her. When she wakes up the next morning and re-lives the exact same day, she knows what she has to do.

What If It’s Us by Becky Albertalli & Adam Silvera
Arthur believes that the universe can deliver a show stopping romance when you least expect it. Ben thinks the universe needs to mind its business. When Arthur and Ben meet at the post office, what exactly does the universe have in store for them?

Realistic

Darius and the Great is Not Okay by Adib Khorram
Darius is on his first-ever trip to Iran, while dealing with clinical depression, a disapproving dad, and an anemic social life. In Iran, he gets to know his family and meets Sohrab, the boy next door who changes everything.

Nonfiction

Proud Living my American Dream by Ibtihaj Muhammad
At the 2016 Rio Olympics, Ibtihaj Muhammad smashed barriers as the first American to compete wearing hijab, and made history as the first Muslim-American woman to medal.