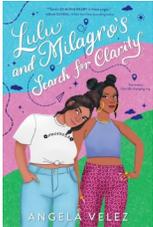




How Moon Fuentez Fell in Love With the Universe

by Raquel Vasquez Gilliland (she/her) - Y VASQUEZ GILLILAND

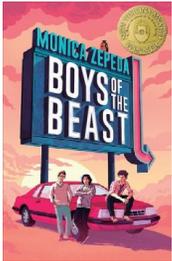
When she takes a job as a merch girl on a tour bus full of beautiful influencers, Moon Fuentez, the twin sister of a social media star, questions her destiny as the unnoticed, unloved wallflower she always thought she was.



Lulu and Milagro's Search for Clarity

by Angela Velez (she/her) - Y VELEZ

Polar opposites, sisters Lulu and Milagro become begrudging partners on their schools cross-country college trip during which they unpack family expectations, uncover their older sister's secrets and discover the true meaning of sisterhood.



Boys of the Beast

by Monica Zepeda (she/her) - Y ZEPEDA

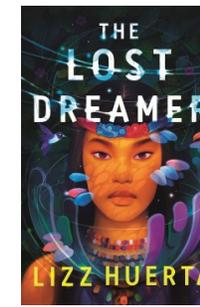
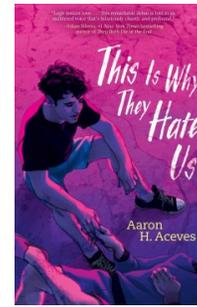
Three teenage boys who are cousins go on a road trip through California and the Southwest and come to terms with truths about their families and themselves.



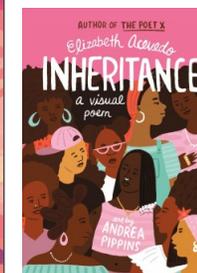
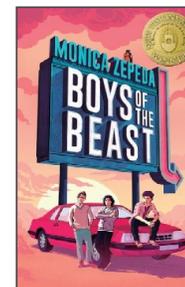
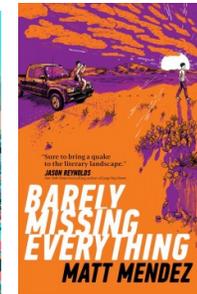
Inheritance: A Visual Poem

by Elizabeth Acevedo (she/her) - Y 811 ACEVEDO

Interweaving a powerful message of self-love, an award-winning author and poet celebrates the beauty and meaning of natural Black hair through her most famous spoken-word poem brought to a lushly illustrated picture book form.



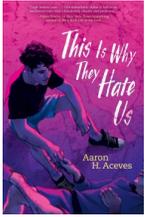
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This Is Why They Hate Us

by Aaron H. Aceves (he/him) - Y ACEVES

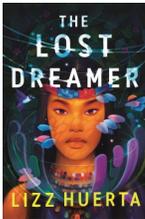
Trying to get over his crush by pursuing other romantic prospects as his deep-seated fears and anxieties boil over, Enrique Quique Luna realizes that living his truth can come at a high cost.



Does My Body Offend You?

by Mayra Cuevas (she/her) - Y CUEVAS

When outspoken feminist rebel Ruby McAllster stands up for a girl being humiliated into covering up, they become the leaders of the schools dress code rebellion, which forces them to face their own insecurities, biases, privileges and the ups-and-downs of newfound friendship.



The Lost Dreamer

by Lizz Huerta (she/her) - Y HUERTA

In an ancient Mesoamerican world, Indir, a Dreamer able to see beyond reality, must carefully guard her secrets from the new king, who plans to see the Dreamers destroyed, while Saya, a seer, risks everything to find the truth about her gifts.



No Filter and Other Lies

by Crystal Maldonado (she/her) - Y MALDONADO

Seventeen-year-old Kat Sanchez uses photos of a friend to create a fake Instagram account, but when one of her posts goes viral and exposes Kat's duplicity, her entire world--both real and pretend--comes crashing down around her.



Lakelore

by Anna-Marie McLemore (they/them) - Y MCLEMORE

Everyone who lives near the lake knows the stories about the world underneath it, an ethereal landscape rumored to be half-air, half-water. But Bastián Silvano and Lore Garcia are the only ones who've been there. When the lines between air and water begin to blur, the world under the lake drifts above the surface.



Barely Missing Everything

by Matt Méndez (he/him) - Y MENDEZ

Three Mexican-American friends each try to overcome their individual struggles as they all grapple with how to make a better life for themselves when it seems like brown lives don't matter.



Just Your Local Bisexual Disaster

by Andrea Mosqueda (she/her) - Y MOSQUEDA

In need of a date for her sister's quinceañera, Maggie Gonzalez confronts new and old feelings for her best friend Amanda, her ex-boyfriend Matthew, and Dani, a new girl with her own romantic baggage.



Ballad & Dagger

by Daniel José Older (he/him) - Y OLDER

While performing for a music legend on the night of the Grand Fete, piano prodigy Mateo witnesses a brutal murder that awakens a power within him, linking him to the killer and possibly unlocking the dark mystery behind his lost homeland.



The Lesbian's Guide to Catholic School

by Sonora Reyes (they/them) - Y REYES

Transferred to a Catholic school, 16-year-old Yami Flores finds it hard to fake being straight when she falls for Bo, the only openly queer girl at school, but refuses to follow her heart until she learns to live her full truth out loud.



The Sunbearer Trials

by Aiden Thomas (he/they) - Y THOMAS

Chosen to participate in The Sunbearer Trials, where the loser is sacrificed to refuel the Sun Stones, Teo, the 17-year-old trans son of the goddess of birds, must compete against more powerful and better trained opponents for fame, glory and his own survival.