

## Science Fiction Books for Teens

### Akron-Summit County Public Library

Anders, Charlie Jane. **Victories Greater Than Death**, 2021. TEEN

Tina never worries about being 'ordinary'-- she is the hidden clone of a famed alien hero, left on Earth disguised as a human to give the universe another chance to defeat a terrible evil. When an interplanetary rescue beacon activates, it turns out that Tina's destiny isn't quite what she expected.

Arnold, David. **The Electric Kingdom**, 2021. TEEN

When a deadly Fly Flu sweeps the globe, it leaves a shell of the world that once was. As swarms of infected Flies roam the earth, eighteen-year-old Nico and her dog; a young artist named Kit; and the enigmatic Deliverer must navigate the woods of post-apocalyptic New England, meeting others along the way, each on their own quest to find life and love in a world gone dark.

Brown, Erik J. **All That's Left in the World**, 2022. TEEN

Putting their trust in one another, two boys, Andrew and Jamie, search for civilization in a world ravaged by a deadly pathogen, but their secrets could cost them everything as they try to find the courage to fight for the future, together.

Dow, Alechia. **The Kindred**, 2022. TEEN

Accused of murdering the royal family, Duke Felix Hamdi goes on the run with Joy, his Kindred mind-pairing, and discovers the true strength--and love--of the Kindred bond to expose the truth.

Harvey, Janet. **The Curie Society**, 2021. TEENGN

A covert team of young women--members of the Curie society, an elite organization dedicated to women in STEM--undertake high-stakes missions to save the world.

Hutchinson, Shaun David. **A Complicated Love Story in Space**, 2021. TEEN

Sixteen-year-olds Noa, DJ, and Jenny awake on a spaceship, unaware of how they got there or what is coming, but soon Noa and DJ are falling in love.

Jackson, Kosoko. **Survive the Dome**, 2022. TEEN

A high school junior teams up with a hacker during a police brutality protest to shut down a device that creates an impenetrable dome around Baltimore that is keeping the residents in and information from going out.

Johnson, Lora Beth. **Goddess in the Machine**, 2020. TEEN

Bound for humanity's new colony planet, seventeen-year-old Andra wakes up from a cryogenic sleep 1,000 years later than scheduled, forcing her to navigate an unfamiliar planet where technology is considered magic and its practitioners revered as deities.

Kaufman, Amie and Jay Kristoff. **Aurora Rising**, 2019. TEEN

Told in separate voices, eighteen-year-old Tyler Jones, top graduate of Aurora Academy, and a group of misfits and troublemakers embark on their first mission with Auri, a stowaway from the distant past.

Kaufman, Amie and Jay Kristoff. **Illuminae**, 2014. TEEN

The planet Kerenza is attacked, and Kady and Ezra find themselves on a space fleet fleeing the enemy, while their ship's artificial intelligence system and a deadly plague may be the end of them all.

Long, Meg. **Cold the Night, Fast the Wolves**, 2022. TEEN

On a frozen wasteland of a planet, a girl is on the run with a wolf who is born to be a killer but bound to be her guide. As they fight to escape ice goblins, giant bears, and a ruthless leader intent on trapping them both, one question drives them relentlessly forward: where do you turn when there is nowhere to hide?

Lore, Pittacus. **Ashfall Legacy**, 2021. TEEN

Sixteen-year-old half-alien Sydney Chambers leaves Earth to seek his long-missing father, and unearths a devastating, centuries-old secret about humanity.

Onyebuchi, Tochi. **War Girls**, 2019. TEEN

The year is 2172. Climate change and nuclear disasters have rendered much of earth unlivable. In a war-torn Nigeria, two sisters, Onyii and Ify, dream of more.

Redgate, Riley. **Alone Out Here**, 2022. TEEN

When the apocalypse arrives early, a group of teens, including First Daughter Leigh Chen, search for a habitable planet on a starship manned by the pilot's mysterious daughter with whom Leigh struggles for control of the mission.

Sanderson, Brandon. **Skyward**, 2018. TEEN

When a long-term attack against her world by the alien Krell escalates, Spensa's dream of becoming a pilot may come true, despite her deceased father being labeled a deserter.

Schrefer, Eliot. **The Darkness Outside Us**, 2021. TEEN

Two boys, alone in space. After the first settler on Titan trips her distress signal, neither remaining country on Earth can afford to scramble a rescue of its own, and so two sworn enemies are installed in the same spaceship. In order to survive the ship's secrets, Ambrose and Kodiak will need to work together and learn to trust one another... especially once they discover what they are truly up against.

Vaca, Julian R. **The Memory Index**, 2022. TEEN

In a reimagined 1987, mankind's ability to remember has deteriorated. Freya and Fernando's lives are both upended when they are selected for a prestigious boarding school, where they will trial the new medical technology in pursuit of a "better tomorrow." But when students disappear in the night, Freya and Fernando begin to question everything-including all they've come to believe about memory loss.

White, Andrew Joseph. **Hell Followed With Us**, 2022. TEEN

Sixteen-year-old trans boy Benji is on the run from the cult that raised him. Desperately, he searches for a place where the cult can't get their hands on him, or more importantly, on the bioweapon they infected him with. But when cornered by monsters born from the destruction, Benji is rescued by a group of teens from the local Acheson LGBTQ+ Center, whose leader knows Benji's darkest secret.