

Thriller Books for Tweens and Teens

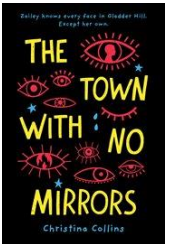
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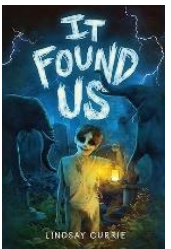
Averling, Mary. **The Curse of Eelgrass Bog**, 2024. JFIC AVERLING *Curse*
Nothing about Kess Pedrock's life is normal. She lives in her family's Unnatural History Museum, she has peculiar interests like hunting for fossils and skeletons, and her best friend is a talking demon's head in a jar named Shrunken Jim. But things get even stranger than usual when Kess meets Lilou Starling, the new girl in town. Lilou comes to Kess for help breaking a mysterious curse, and the only clue she has leads them straight into the center of Eelgrass Bog full of witches and demons! Will Kess be able to break the curse and escape?



Cervantes, Angela. **The Cursed Moon**, 2023. JFIC CERVANTES *Cursed*
Rafael Fuentes loves scaring his friends with the terrifying ghost stories he can make up. One night when the moon is big and red he tells the story of The Caretaker, an evil ghost that lures unsuspecting kids into the local pond...and they never come out. Afterwards a series of strange and eerie things start to happen to people around him and Rafa is afraid that he has accidentally brought the Caretaker ghost to life.

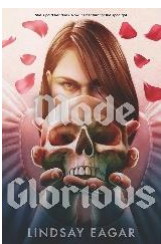


Collins, Christina. **The Town with No Mirrors**, 2023. JFIC EBOOKS
Cameras and mirrors are forbidden in the special town of Gladder Hill. It's why everyone there is happy. You don't have to think about your appearance or others' appearances. But Zailey does think about it, and she keeps a sketchbook of the people she knows. When she discovers a way out of her secluded town, she has a chance to see what the real world is like. Is she ready to discover the dark truth about Gladder Hill?



Curry, Lindsay. **It Found Us**, 2023. JFIC CURRY *It*
12-year-old Hazel Woods has always loved and had a knack for sleuthing. When she follows her brother and his friends into the local cemetery, they hear eerie sounds and whispers and then one of them goes missing. Hazel must use her skills to find their friend and solve the spooky mystery of the cemetery ghost.

Teens

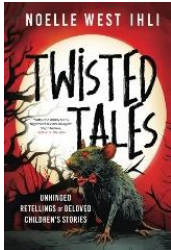


Eagar, Kindsay. **Made Glorious**, 2024. TEEN EAGER *Made*
Rory will do anything to get the lead role in Bosworth Academy's senior musical, no matter how much she manipulates and endangers those around her. This thrilling page-turner will leave you wincing and cheering for the antihero as she does whatever it takes to fulfill her dreams.



Ellis, Sami. **Dead Girls Walking**, 2024. TEEN ELLIS Dead

Temple Baker is the daughter of the infamous North Point Killer, a serial killer known for branding his victims. When her father confesses to killing her mother while on death row, Temple goes back to the family farm to see if she can find the body to prove it. She discovers that the farm has been turned into an overnight camp for horror-obsessed girls, and so she poses as a counselor to go digging in the woods. When a girl turns up dead, she's afraid one of the campers is mimicking her father's crimes.



Ihli, Noelle West. **Twisted Tales**, 2024. TEEN IHLI Twisted

The stories from your childhood have gone insane! From "The very, VERY Hungry Caterpillar" to "The Taking Tree", the childhood favorites in this collection take new, scary twists that will give you chills and leave you chuckling.



Lee, Stacey. **Kill Her Twice**, 2024. TEEN LEE Kill

It's 1932 and Lulu Wong is a famous movie star and the pride of Chinatown. When Lulu's dead body is discovered in a stable near her Beverly Hills home, Lulu's classmates want to solve the mystery of her death, but the police don't seem interested. The girls begin to believe there is a cover-up and that powerful people want to blame Chinatown for her murder in order to clear it out and make room for a new railway depot.



Lepore, Gabriella. **Bad Like Us**, 2024. TEEN LEPORE Bad

Fans of teen thrillers like "I Know What You Did Last Summer" will enjoy this murder mystery about a senior high school student named Eva who travels with a group of friends to a private beach lodge during Spring Break. But there are jealousy and secrets among the Spring-breakers, and when someone turns up dead Eva discovers something very disturbing.



Stokes, Stacy. **The Darkness Rises**, 2024. TEEN STOKES Darkness

In this gripping supernatural thriller, Whitney has the power to see a person's death before it happens. When she saves someone from death, she is horrified when the person turns out to be the perpetrator of a deadly school shooting. She must deal with the guilt that overcomes her and accept the consequences of her actions while dealing with her special gift.