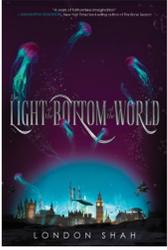


Sci-Fi & Dystopia



The Light at the Bottom of the World

by London Shah

Teenaged Leyla McQueen, who lives beneath the ruins of a submerged London in 2099, joins a prestigious submersible race in the hope of clearing her father's name before encountering government corruption and a hidden world. Lexile: 670.



The Owls Have Come to Take Us Away

by Ronald L. Smith

A boy who is so obsessed by aliens that he becomes too paranoid to sleep begins to suspect that he has been abducted in the aftermath of a strange camping-trip incident. Lexile: 600.



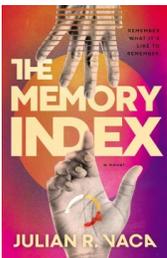
Queen's Peril

by E. K. Johnston

Middle School Star Wars

Elected as Queen of Naboo at the age of 14, Padmé Naberrie adopts the name Amidala and selects a group of highly skilled handmaidens before facing unexpected tests when the planet is invaded by the forces of the

oppressive Trade Federation. No Lexile.



The Memory Index

by Julian R. Vaca

Five hundred randomly selected students will be sent to a boarding school, where they will trial a new medical technology in pursuit of a "better tomorrow." But when students disappear in the night, Freya and Fernando begin to question everything.

No Lexile.



Impostors

by Scott Westerfeld

Frey is Rafi's twin sister and her body double, she has been trained to kill to protect Rafi, so when her father sends her in Rafi's place as collateral in a precarious deal, Frey is the perfect imposter. Lexile: 640.



The Midler

by Kirsty Applebaum

Eleven-year-old Maggie, a middle-born child where only the eldest are valued, has her world turned upside-down by forbidden friendship with Una, a wanderer girl from outside the boundaries of Fennis Wick. Lexile: 430.



Moongarden

by Michelle A. Barry

Crumbling under the pressure at her school on the moon, misfit Myra discovers a lab full of toxic plants and uses her magic to weed out its secrets, but discovers some will do anything to take those secrets to the grave. No Lexile.



The Infinity Courts

by Akemi Dawn Bowman

Waking up in the afterlife after being murdered en route to her graduation party, Nami discovers that the world where consciousness goes after death has been taken over by a genocidal artificial-intelligence entity. Lexile: 740.



Any Sign of Life

by Rae Carson

Waking up from a deadly illness to a world that has perished, Paige Miller struggles to endure her new reality and learns that there are worse things than being alone.



The Last Beekeeper

by Pablo Cartaya

In a future shaken by climate disasters, twelve-year-old Yoland Ciceron struggles to get away from the grueling life of farming and discovers her only chance of survival may lie in the rediscovery of a long-extinct species--the honeybee. No Lexile.



Dreadnought

by April Daniels

After inheriting the powers of Dreadnought, Danny's hidden identity is brought into the open when her body assumes the gender she identifies with, bringing personal complications just as she is forced to face a killer. No Lexile.

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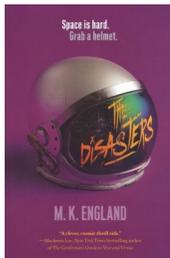


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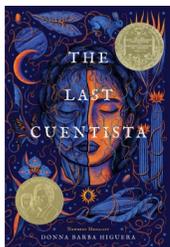
The Disasters

by M. K. England
Nax and a handful of other space Academy washouts are the only surviving pilots after the school is hijacked by terrorists, but in order to spread the truth about the attack, Nax and his fellow failures must execute a dangerous heist. No Lexile.



The Upper World

by Femi Fadugba
When Dr. Esso arrives in her world in need of her help to unravel a tragedy that happened 15 years before, Rhia discovers a connection not only to her own past but to a future worth fighting for. No Lexile.



The Last Cuentista

by Donna Barba Higuera
There lived a girl named Petra Peña, who wanted nothing more than to be a storyteller, like her abuelita. But Petra's world is ending. Petra alone now carries the stories of our past, and with them, any hope for our future. Lexile: 730.



Mister Miracle : the Great Escape

by Varian Johnson
Scott Free, a student at the Goodness Academy on the planet Apokolips, wants to escape to Earth but falls in love with the head of the Female Furies--the one person tasked with ensuring he never escapes.



Sanctuary

by Paola Mendoza
In 2032, when sixteen-year-old Vali's mother is detained by the Deportation Forces, Vali must flee Vermont with her little brother, Ernie, hoping to reach their Tía Luna in the sanctuary state of California. Lexile: 750.



Ignite the Stars

by Maura Milan
When outlaw Ia Ccha is captured by the Olympus Commonwealth and revealed to be a sixteen-year-old girl, they force her to serve them by joining the Commonwealth's military academy where new acquaintances cause Ia to question her own alliances. Lexile: 730.



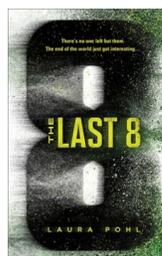
The Knife of Never Letting Go

by Patrick Ness
Pursued by power-hungry Prentiss and mad minister Aaron, young Todd and Viola set out across New World searching for answers about his colony's true past and seeking a way to warn the ship bringing hopeful settlers from Old World. Lexile: 860.



The Hero of Numbani

by Nicky Drayden
Middle School Overwatch
After witnessing a terrorist attack on the city of Numbani, teen genius Efi engineers an intelligent and compassionate robot named Orisa to defeat the terrorist organization known as Doomfist. No Lexile.



The Last 8

by Laura Pohl
After an alien attack devastates the Earth, pilot and future astronaut Clover Martinez bands with seven other teens in a struggle to survive. Lexile: 650.



I Hope You Get this Message

by Farah Naz Rishi
When Earth receives messages from another world, claiming that the planet is their created colony and that they are planning to destroy it within a week, three teens are forced to confront the mistakes of their past before they run out of time. No Lexile.



Divergent

by Veronica Roth
In a future Chicago, Beatrice Prior must choose among five predetermined factions to define her identity for the rest of her life, a decision made more difficult when she discovers that she does not fit into any one group. Lexile: 730.



Skyward

by Brandon Sanderson
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. Lexile: 680.