Amed, Samira. **Hollow Fires.** New York: Hachette Book Group, 2022. 416p. (Grades 7-12). After a series of events, 14 year old Jawad Ali is found dead in a park. Safiya Mirza, a journalist for her high school newspaper, will stop at nothing to find the killer.

Crowder, Melanie. **Jumper.** New York: Viking, 2022. 336p. (Grades 9-12). Blair Scott is athletic, determined, and has something to prove. As long as she can remember, Blair has wanted to be a smokejumper, and in her second season as a wildland firefighter, due to a terrible year for wildfires, she has the chance to apply. The odds are stacked against her: she’s a rookie, she’s only 19-years-old, she’s a girl, and she’s hiding a secret that could put her opportunity—and her life—on the line. With her best friend Jason at her side, she trains as a smokejumper, until she makes a serious miscalculation that brings her world crashing down around her.

Dutton, Talia. **M is for Monster.** New York: Abrams Comic Arts, 2022. 224 p. (Grades 9-12). Dr. Frances Ai reanimates her dead sister Maura’s body, but M wakes up from the procedure with no memories. Frances is determined that she either will remember or be disassembled and “fixed.” A terrified M turns to the ghost of Maura to fake the proper interests and answers.

Hayden, Chaz, **The First Thing About You,** Somerville, MA: Candlewick Press, 2022, 384 p. (Grades 8-12). Harris has recently started attending a new school, and his only goal is to gain a sense of normalcy. He wants to have friends, a love interest, and some distance from his somewhat overbearing mother. The only problem is he suffers from a neuromuscular disease.

LaDelle, Ebony, **Love Radio,** New York: Simon & Schuster, 2022. 288 p. (Grades 7-9). Danielle dreams of becoming an iconic writer like Zora Neal Hurston, or Maya Angelou. On the other hand, Prince Jones aspires to be one of Detroit’s greatest Disc Jockeys. What’s more, he has had a crush on Danielle since forever. Now that he is a senior in high school, this may just be his last opportunity to do something about it.

Lange, Erin Jade. **Mere Mortals.** New York: HarperTeen, 2022. 368 p. (Grades 9-12). Sibling vampires, Charlie and Reg break a crucial rule and are kicked out of their coven and condemned to being ordinary humans again. After a century of living as supreme beings, they must find a way to either adapt to their newly meager teen lives . . . or earn back their immortality.

Latham, Irene and Waters, Charles. **African Town.** New York: Putnam, 2022. 448p. (Grades 7-12). African Town is a story written in verse and told from the perspective of 14 voices, including Clotilda the slave ship, bringing to light the journey of slaves being transported to America, after the abolishment of slavery.

becomes obsessed with seeking answers from the chatbot that might explain why the accident occurred.

Olson, Jessica S. *A Forgery of Roses*. Toronto: Inkyard Press, 2022. 377 p. (Grades 7-12). Seventeen-year-old Myra is a Prodigy whose artistic talents and magic can heal the wounded. When the governor’s wife blackmails her into bringing her son Will back to life, Myra finds that his death may not have been an accident and sets out to find what happened.

Redgate, Riley. *Alone Out Here*. Los Angeles: Hyperion, 2022. 400 p. (Grades 9-12). In 2072, president’s daughter Leigh Chen abandons Earth on the spaceship Lazarus with a few dozen other teens when a world-ending supervolcano erupts. Lacking necessary supplies and leadership, Leigh struggles to hold their fledgling society together in the cold, lonely depths of space.

Sepetys, Ruta. *I Must Betray You*. New York: Philomel Books, 2022. 321 p. (Grades 7-12). Romania, 1989. Seventeen-year-old Cristian Florescu dreams of becoming a writer, but Romanians aren’t free to dream. There are rules in place that you do not break even as the Communist regime is crumbling, if you want to stay alive. Who would you betray simply to survive? Cristian has to decide.

Tahir, Sabaa. *All My Rage*. New York: Razorbill, 2022. 384 p. (Grades 9-12). Salahudin and Noor, once best friends, are now high school seniors struggling with the repercussions of “the fight” and trying to make it to graduation. When Salahuddin's beloved mother passes away the two rekindle their friendship to stay afloat through tragedy, racial inequality, and strained family relationships.

Weisenberg, Marit. *This Golden State*. New York: Flatiron Books, 2022. 384 p. (Grades 8-12). Poppy and her family have always been on the run, though she doesn’t know why. After taking a DNA test, the carefully constructed facade of her family begins to unravel.

Makos, Adam. *Spearhead: An American Tank Gunner, His Enemy, and a Collision of Lives in World War II, adapted for young adults*. New York: Delacorte Press, an imprint of Random House Children's Books a division of Penguin Random House LLC, New York. 2022. 337 p (Grades 9-12). Follow this first person account from Clarence Smoyer and his 3rd armored division–Spearhead, as they help turn the tide in World War II. As you read, you’ll feel like you are right in the middle of this harrowing account of their story, and what happened after they return, many years later.

known as the Wizard, because the meth he cooks is so pure. Fen has just moved to Kentucky with his dad, and doesn’t know that falling in love with Miri could be dangerous. Clay works for the Wizard, but wants popularity and Miri. Choices that each of them make could bring their worlds to a fiery end.