

# CHILLS AND THRILLS

YA BOOK PICKS FOR OCTOBER AT WORTH-PINKHAM MEMORIAL LIBRARY

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- ◆ **Six of Crows**—YA FIC BARDUGO. Grades 7+. *"Six outcasts. One impossible heist."*
  - ◆ **Ruthless**—YA FIC ADAMS. Grades 9+. *"Game of cat-and-mouse... from a killer."*
  - ◆ **The Cemetery Boys**—YA FIC BREWER. Grades 9+. *Supernatural mystery.*
  - ◆ **Watched**—YA FIC BUDHOS. Grades 7+. *Growing up under surveillance; fear.*
  - ◆ **Labyrinth Lost**—YA FIC CORDOVA. Grades 9+. *Brujas (witches); magic; curses; underworld; fantasy and mythology.*
  - ◆ **Wax**—YA FIC DAMICO. Grades 8+. *Horror and secrets in a small town.*
  - ◆ **Ghostlight**—YA FIC GENSLER. Grades 4-6. *"A summer film project turns spooky when the setting turns out to be haunted."*
  - ◆ **The Killer In Me**—YA FIC HARRISON. Grades 9+. *"Girl's unsettling connection with a serial killer leads her on a manhunt."*
  - ◆ **Kill Baxter**—YA FIC HUMAN. Grades 9+. *"Half-breed magician... sent away to a reform/military school."*
  - ◆ **The Smaller Evil**—YA FIC KUEHN. Grades 9+. *"Gillian Flynn-style take on cults."*
  - ◆ **Tales of the Peculiar**—YA FIC RIGGS. Grades 6+. *Miss Peregrine series companion book; "peculiar folklore."*
  - ◆ **How to Hang a Witch**—YA FIC MATHER. Grades 9+. *The historic Salem Witch Trials meets Mean Girls in this twisting read.*
  - ◆ **The Assassin Game**—YA FIC MCKAY. Grades 6+. *A boarding school, secret society, and dangerous game.*
  - ◆ **Rocks Fall, Everyone Dies**—YA FIC RIBAR. Grades 8+. *A teenager can steal people's fears, memories, and more.*
  - ◆ **This Savage Song**—YA FIC SHWAB. Grades 9+. *Monsters, romance, and war meet in a gritty dystopia.*
  - ◆ **Thirteen Chairs**—YA FIC SHELTON. Grades 7+. *Spine-tingling ghost stories.*
  - ◆ **The Greatest Zombie Movie Ever**—YA FIC STRAND. Grades 7+. *Teen YouTubers struggle to make their zombie film; humor.*
  - ◆ **As I Descended**—YA FIC TALLEY. Grades 10+. *"Something wicked comes to [an elite academy] in this modern retelling of one of Shakespeare's darkest works;" LGBT.*
  - ◆ **The Darkest Corners**—YA FIC KARA. Grades 9+. *Dark thriller; buried secrets.*
  - ◆ **Wink Poppy Midnight**—YA FIC TUCHOLKE. Grades 9+. *"Voices come together to reveal the secrets ... hiding in the woods around their home"*
  - ◆ **Three Truths and a Lie**—YA FIC HARTINGER. Grades 9+. *LGBT, "intense mystery perfect for reluctant readers."*
  - ◆ **And I Darken**—YA FIC WHITE. Grades 10+. *Good versus evil; Transylvania; historical fiction; "Vlad Dracul (i.e. Dracula) as a fearsome, brilliant teenage girl."*