

**YA F PIX**

**Freak by Marcella Fleischman Pixley**

Twelve-year-old Miriam, poetic, smart, and quirky, is considered a freak by the popular girls at her middle school, and she eventually explodes in response to her bullying, revealing an inner strength that she did not know she had.

**YA F PRE**

**Bystander by James Preller**

Eric discovers that there are consequences to not standing by and watching as the bully at his new school hurts people, and although school officials are aware of the problem, Eric may be the one with the solution.

**YA F SUM**

**Some Girls Are by Courtney Summers**

Regina, a high school senior in the popular—and feared—crowd, suddenly falls out of favor and becomes the object of the same sort of viscous bullying that she used to inflict on others, until she finds solace with one of her former victims.

**YA FIC UCC**

**The Body of Christopher Creed  
by Carol Plum-Ucci**

Torey Adams, a high school junior with a seemingly perfect life, struggles with doubts and questions surrounding the mysterious disappearance of the class social outcast.

**NONFICTION**

**YA 302.34 DEL**

**Girl Wars:**

**12 Strategies That Will End Female Bullying  
by Cheryl Dellasega**

Two experts explain not only how to prevent gossip, teasing, forming cliques, and other cruel behaviors, but also how to intervene should it happen, as well as overcome the culture that breeds it.

**YA 302.34 GAR**

**Letters to A Bullied Girl:**

**Messages of Healing and Hope  
by Olivia Gardner**

Correspondence between an epileptic victim of bullying and a pair of sisters who started a letter writing campaign of her behalf.

**YA 305.235 BUR**

**Girls Against Girls: Why We Are Meant to  
Each Other and How Can We Change  
by Bonnie Burton**

Examines the topic of cruel behavior amongst girls and the reasons why it happens, offers tips for handling such problems when they arise, and provides suggestions for team building.

**YA 345.73 JAC**

**Teen Cyberbullying Investigated:  
Where Do Your Rights End  
and Consequences Begin?  
by Thomas A. Jacobs**

Presents a collection of landmark court cases involving cyberbullying, including sending threatening emails, writing hateful comments on blogs, and sending threatening messages using a false identity.

**Books about  
Bullying**

**Fiction  
and  
Nonfiction**

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**YA F ALE**  
**PLAYAWAY YA F ALE**  
**The Absolutely True Diary**  
**of a Part-Time Indian**  
**by Sherman Alexie**

Budding cartoonist Junior leaves his troubled school on the Spokane Indian Reservation to attend an all-white farm town school where the only other Indian is the school mascot.

**YA F AND**  
**Speak by Laurie Halse Anderson**

A traumatic event in the summer has a devastating effect on Melinda's freshman year of high school.

**YA F BER**  
**The Dark Days of Hamburger Halpin**  
**by Josh Berk**

When Will Halpin transfers from his all-deaf school into a mainstream Pennsylvania high school, he faces discrimination and bullying, but still manages to solve a mystery surrounding the death of a popular football player in his class.

**YA F CRU**  
**Whale Talk by Chris Crutcher**

Intellectually and athletically gifted, TJ, a multiracial, adopted teenager, shuns organized sports and the gung-ho athletes at his high school until he agrees to form a swimming team and recruits some of the school's less popular students.

**YA F WIL**  
**Jumped by Rita Williams-Garcia**

The lives of Leticia, Dominique, and Trina are intertwined through the course of one day after Leticia overhears Dominique's plans to beat up Trina and must decide whether or not to get involved.

**YA F KOJ**  
**Buddha Boy by Kathe Koja**

Justin spends time with Jinsen, the unusual and artistic new student whom the school bullies torment and call Buddha Boy, and ends up making choices that impact Jinsen, himself, and the entire school.

**YA F KOR**  
**Schooled by Gordon Korman**

Homeschooled by his hippie grandmother, Capricorn Anderson has never watched TV, tasted pizza, or heard of a wedgie, but when his grandmother ends up in the hospital, Cap is forced to move in with a guidance counselor and attend the local middle school.

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**YA F KOS**  
**The Girls by Amy Goldman Koss**

Each of the girls in a middle school clique, reveals the strong, manipulative hold one of the group exerts on the other, and the hurt and self-doubt that it causes them.

**YA F LOV**  
**Defying the Diva by D. Anne Love**

During Haley's freshman year of high school, a campaign of gossip and bullying causes her to be socially ostracized, but after spending the summer living with her aunt, working at a resort, and making new friends, she learns how to stand up for herself and begin to trust again.

**YA F LYG**  
**Astonishing Adventures of**  
**Fanboy & Gothgirl**  
**by Barry Lyga**

A fifteen-year-old geek who keeps a list of the high school jocks and others who torment him, and pours his energy into creating a great graphic novel, encounters Kyra, Goth Girl, who helps change his outlook on almost everything, including himself.

**YA F MYE**  
**Shooter by Walter Dean Myers**

Written in the form of interviews, reports, and journal entries, the story of three troubled teenagers end in a tragic school shooting.