

# It's a Boys World

## Fiction

- YA Fic  
SS Dude  
**Dude! Stories and Stuff for Boys**  
An anthology of original stories, plays, and poems by a variety of authors that celebrates what being a boy is all about.
- YA Fic  
Booth  
**Tyrell**  
Fifteen year old Tyrell, who is living in a Bronx homeless shelter with his spaced out mother and his younger brother, tries to avoid temptation so he does not end up in jail like his father.
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Bloor  
**London Calling**  
Seventh grader Martin believes that his life is dull until the night the antique radio he uses as a night light transports him to the bombing of London in 1940.
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Boyne  
**The Boy in the Striped Pajamas**  
Bored and lonely after his family moves from Berlin to a place called "Out With" in 1942, Bruno, the son of a Nazi officer, befriends a boy in striped pajamas who lives behind the wire fence.
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Broach  
**Desert Crossing**  
A trip across the New Mexico desert turns nightmarish for fourteen year old Lucy, her older brother Jamie, and his best friend Kit, as they become involved in the suspicious death of a young girl.
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Flinn  
**Nothing to Lose**  
A year after running away with a traveling carnival to escape his unbearable home life, sixteen year old Michael returns to Miami to find that his mother is going on trial for the murder of his abusive stepfather.
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Giles  
**What Happened to Cass McBride: A Novel**  
After his younger brother commits suicide, Kyle decides to exact revenge on the person he holds responsible.
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Going  
**Saint Iggy**  
Iggy is caught physically and spiritually between good and bad when he is kicked out of school. He goes searching for his missing mother and causes his friend to get involved with the same dangerous drug dealer who deals to his parents.
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Green  
**Looking for Alaska**  
Sixteen year old Miles' first year at Culver Creek Preparatory School in Alabama includes good friends and great pranks, but is defined by the search for answers about life and death after a fatal car crash.
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Hautman  
**Invisible**  
Doug and Andy are unlikely best friends who grew up together and share a bond that nothing can sever.
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**Nailed**

Jones	An outcast in a school full of jocks, sixteen year old Bret struggles to keep his individuality through his interest in drama and music, while trying to reconnect with his father.
YA Fic Korman	<b>Born to Rock</b> High School senior Leo Caraway, a conservative Republican, learns that his biological father is a punk rock legend.
YA Fic Levithan	<b>Are We There Yet?</b> Tricked by their parents into taking a trip to Italy together, two brothers reflect on the directions of their lives and on the distance that has grown between them.
YA Fic Lipsyte	<b>Raiders Night</b> Matt Rydeck, co-captain of his football team, endures a traumatic season as he witnesses the rape of a rookie player by teammates and grapples with his own use of performance enhancing drugs.
YA Fic Lubar	<b>Sleeping Freshman Never Lie</b> While navigating his first year of High School and awaiting the birth of his baby brother, Scott loses some old friends and gains some unlikely new ones as he hones his skills as a writer.
YA Fic Lynch	<b>Inexcusable</b> High School senior and football player Keir sets out to enjoy himself on graduation night, but when he attempts to comfort a friend whose date has left her stranded, things go terribly wrong.
YA Fic McDonald	<b>Harlem Hustle</b> Eric "Hustle" Samson, a smart and street wise seventeen year old dropout from Harlem, aspires to rap stardom, a dream he naively believes is about to come true but the fast cash of the streets still tempt him.
YA Fic Myers	<b>Monster</b> While on trial as an accomplice to a murder, sixteen year old Steve records his experiences in prison and in the courtroom in the form of a film script as he tries to come to terms with the course his life has taken.
YA Fic Myers	<b>Street Love</b> A free verse story set against the backdrop of street gangs and poverty in Harlem. Seventeen year old Damien takes a bold step to ensure that he and his new love will not be separated.
YA Fic Price	<b>Dead Connection</b> A loner who communes with the dead in the town cemetery hears the voice of a murdered cheerleader and tries to convince the adults that he knows what happened to her.
YA Fic Rosoff	<b>Just In Case</b> Convinced that fate is out to get him, fifteen year old David assumes a new identity in the hope of avoiding what he believes is certain doom.
YA Fic	<b>Endymion Spring</b>

Skelton Having reluctantly accompanied his academic mother and pesky younger sister to Oxford, twelve year old Blake is at loose ends until he stumbles across an ancient and magical book brought to England by Gutenberg's apprentice to save it from evil forces.

YA Fic No Right Turn  
Trueman After three years of wanting to be invisible, sixteen year old Jordan begins to recover from his father's suicide and start living again when a neighbors vintage Corvette Stingray opens up new possibilities for him.

YA Fic The Rules of Survival  
Werlin Seventeen year old Matthew recounts his attempts, to free himself and his sisters from the grip of their emotionally and physically abusive mother.

YA Fic Peeps  
Westerfeld Cal Thompson is a carrier of a parasite that causes vampirism, and must hunt down all of the girlfriends he has unknowingly infected.

YA Fic I Am the Messenger  
Zusak After capturing a bank robber, nineteen year old cab driver Ed begins receiving mysterious messages that direct him to addresses where people need help.

### **Non-Fiction**

YA Shipwreck at the bottom of the  
919.8A World: the extraordinary true  
Adventure of Shackleton and the Endurance

YA Quiet Storm: Voices of Young  
811.008Q Black Poets.

YA O Best Shots: The Greatest NFL  
796.3326B Photography of the Century

YA The Teenage Guy's Survival  
305.235 D Guide