

YA BOOKS FEATURING BIPOC CHARACTERS



Tyler Johnson was here

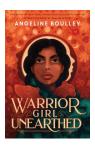
by Jay Coles

"When Marvin Johnson's twin brother, Tyler, is shot and killed by a police officer, Marvin must fight injustice to learn the true meaning of freedom"



Clap when you land

by Elizabeth Acevedo Sixteen-year-olds Camino Rios, of the Dominican Republic, and Yahaira Rios, of New York City, are devastated to learn of their father's death in a plane crash and stunned to learn of each other's existence. A novel in verse told in two voices



Warrior girl unearthed

by Angeline Boulley
Forced into a summer internship,
sixteen-year-old Perry FirekeeperBorch discovers the local university
holds sacred Ojibwe artifacts and
remains, and with the help of her
twin sister and fellow interns she
embarks on a journey to repatriate

the remains and uncovers a deadly mystery involving missing Indigenous women



Tokyo ever after

by Emiko Jean

Discovering in her senior year of high school that the father she has never met is the Crown Prince of Japan, Izzy is introduced to the realities of being a princess while trying to understand conniving relatives, a hungry press, a handsome

bodyguard and thousands of years of tradition. 250,000 first printing. Simultaneous eBook.



My good man

by Eric Gansworth

When a mysterious assault lands the brother of his mother's late boyfriend in the hospital, Brian, a twenty-something Indigenous reporter, must pick up the threads of a life he's abandoned, returning to the Tuscarora reservation to discover the





When Dimple met Rishi

by Sandhya Menon When Dimple Shah and Rishi Patel

meet at a Stanford University summer program, Dimple is avoiding her parents' obsession with "marriage prospects" but Rishi hopes to woo her into accepting arranged marriage with him



Saints and misfits

by S. K. Ali

Janna Yusuf, the daughter of the only divorced mother at their mosque, tries to make sense of the events that follow when her best friend's cousina holy star in the Muslim community--attempts to assault her at the end of sophomore year



The lesser blessed

by Richard Van Camp Living in an isolated small town, First Nation teenager Larry Sole finds his life turned upside down by the arrival of troublemaker Johnny Beck, who helps him face a difficult past filled with dark secrets