

Check out some of the great YA books in our Mystery Collection.

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Mystery Royale

by Kaitlyn Cavalancia
Mullory is competing in a game of
Mystery Royale at Stoutmire Estate for a
chance to win an inheritance.
She discovers the prize is a recluse's
illusionary magical properties and must
untangle a twisted family web.



Death at Morning House

by Maureen Johnson
After Marlowe accidentally sets fire to the house she was housesitting, she finds a job as a tour guide at a mansion built on an island in the 1920s and abandoned thereafter. She uncovers a mystery and must solve it before history repeats itself.



The Forest of Stolen Girls

by June Hur

When her detective father goes missing while investigating the disappearance of 13 young women, including her sister, Hwani returns to their early 15th-century village in Korea to uncover dark community secrets.



Kill Her Twice

crosshairs of a killer.

by Stacey Lee In 1932 Los Angeles, when the Chow sisters stumble upon the body of Lulu Wong, star of the silver screen and the pride of Chinatown, they set out to solve their friend's murder, putting them in the



Through Our Teeth

by Pamela N. Harris
Everyone is convinced Hope took her
own life. Her best friends think otherwise
-- especially when they discover her
jealous and possessive boyfriend, aka
the town golden boy, doesn't have an
alibi. They vow to make him pay, but
he may not be the only one with a motive.



Cold

by Mariko Tamaki

After being murdered, Todd, now some sort of ghost, replays the events that led to his death. Georgia, who didn't know Todd, feels a strange connection and sets out to expose the killer in their quiet town.



Pride Or Die

by C. L. Montblanc
When an LGBTQ+ club meeting coincides
with an attack on the head
cheerleader, Eleanora and the other club
members must solve the crime to clear
their names and save the club.



A Beautiful and Terrible Murder

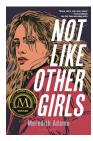
by Claire M. Andrews Irene is at the top of a competitive Oxford prep class. But to attend, she's disguised as Isaac. When students start dying, Isaac teams up with classmate/roommate Sherlock Holmes to track down clues, but someone tries to frame Isaac.



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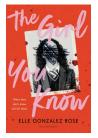
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Not Like Other Girls

by Meredith Adamo
When her former best friend Maddie
disappears after coming to her for help,
Jo-Lynn, an outcast ever since her nude
photos were leaked, finds a way back
inside the clique where she is forced to
confront everything she'd rather forget to



The Girl You Know

find the girl who betrayed her.

by Elle Gonzalez Rose
When Luna's twin sister Solina dies
mysteriously just before returning to
Kingswood Academy, Luna infiltrates the
boarding school by posing as her sister to
uncover the truth behind her death, but
dark secrets make the investigation far
more challenging than she anticipated.



Such Charming Liars

by Karen M. McManus
Helping her mother pull off one last heist
at billionaire Ross Sutherland's birthday
party, Kat tries to avoid her former
stepbrother Liam, but when a Sutherland
is murdered, Kat and Liam become the
new targets. They can't trust anyone
except each other—or can they?



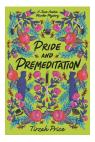
Make Me a Liar

by Melissa Landers
When someone uses Tia Dante's body to
commit murder on live TV, she unearths
multiple scandals, massive corruption
and more than a few stray bullets as she
races against time to find the real killer.



The Notorious Virtues

by Alwyn Hamilton
Feeling like an outsider in a powerful
family that controls all of Walstad,
16-year-old Nora is pitted against her
cousins in an ultimate magical
competition to determine the family's heir
before discovering that her mother's
sudden death was not an accident.



Pride and Premeditation

by Tirzah Price

A first entry in a murder-mystery trilogy inspired by three of Jane Austen's classic novels follows the efforts of an aspiring lawyer who would prove herself to the heir of a prestigious firm.



This Place Kills Me

by Mariko Tamaki

At Wilberton Academy, few students are more revered than the elite Wilberton Theatrical Society -- especially Elizabeth. Beautiful, beloved by all, and a talented thespian, it's no surprise she's chosen to star as Juliet. But when she's found dead after opening night, the school is thrown

into chaos. Transfer student Abby was one of the last people to see her alive. When it's ruled a suicide, Abby's not convinced. As she gets tangled in prep school intrigues, Abby quickly realizes that Elizabeth was keeping secrets. Was one of those secrets worth killing for?



Killing Time

by Brenna Ehrlich

When her favorite teacher is murdered, true-crime obsessed teenager Natalie launches her own investigation with the help of a new boy in town, but soon discovers some secrets were never meant to be told.



Needy Little Things

by Channelle Desamours

Sariyah's premonition-like powers enable her to hear needs. After fulfilling a need for her friend Deja, she vanishes. Sariyah and her friends are determined to not let Deja become yet another forgotten Black girl, so they work together to find out what happened. Available digitally on Libby.



The Agathas

by Kathleen Glasgow

To claim the hefty reward for information about Brooke Donovan's disappearance, Iris and Alice use the complete works of Agatha Christie to teach them how to solve a mystery, but they don't realize the danger they are about to face.