Zombies, Werewolves, & Things with Wings

The Akhenaten Adventure
P.B. Kerr
Series: *Children of the Lamp*

When twelve-year-old twins Philippa and John discover that they are descended from a long line of djinn, their mother sends them away to their Uncle Nimrod, who takes them to Cairo where he starts to teach them about their extraordinary powers.

Alanna: the First Adventure
Tamora Pierce
Series: *Song of the Lioness*

Eleven-year-old Alanna, who aspires to be a knight even though she is a girl, disguises herself as a boy to become a royal page, a learning many hard lessons along her path to high adventure.

Antigoddess
Kendare Blake
Series: *Goddess War*

Athena and Hermes’ search for the cause of their unexpected, life-threatening illnesses leads them to Cassandra, a former prophetess, who may be key to a war started by Hera and other Olympians who have become corrupt anti-gods determined to destroy their rivals.

Beautiful Creatures
Kami Garcia, Margaret Stohl
Series: *Caster Chronicles*

In a small South Carolina town, where it seems little has changed since the Civil War, sixteen-year-old Ethan is powerfully drawn to Lena, a new classmate with whom he shares a psychic connection and whose family hides a dark secret that may be revealed on her sixteenth birthday.

Born at Midnight
C.C. Hunter
Series: *Shadow Falls*

Sixteen-year-old Kylie Galen thinks her misbehavior in the wake of her grandmother's death and her parents' separation are the reasons she has been sent to Shadow Falls Camp, but learns it is a training ground for vampires, werewolves, and other "freaky freaks," of which she may be one.

City of Bones
Cassandra Clare
Series: *The Mortal Instruments*, Book 1

Suddenly able to see demons and the Darkhunters who are dedicated to returning them to their own dimension, fifteen-year-old Clary Fray is drawn into this bizarre world when her mother disappears and Clary herself is almost killed by a monster.
Meet Karou. She fills her sketchbooks with monsters that may or may not be real; she's prone to disappearing on mysterious "errands"; she speaks many languages--not all of them human; and her bright blue hair actually grows out of her head that color. Who is she? That is the question that haunts her, and she's about to find out.

Uncovering an ancient evil, Serafina, a mermaid of the Mediterranean Sea, searches for five other mermaid heroines who are scattered across the six seas, to save their hidden world.

Sixteen-year-old Nick and his family have battled magicians and demons for most of his life, but when his brother, Alan, is marked for death while helping new friends Jamie and Mae, Nick's determination to save Alan leads him to uncover a devastating secret.

Seventeen-year-old Evie O'Neill is thrilled when she is exiled from small-town Ohio to New York City in 1926, even when a rash of occult-based murders thrusts Evie and her uncle, curator of The Museum of American Folklore, Superstition, and the Occult, into the thick of the investigation.

Embarking on a summer adventure in Scotland, best friends Veronica and Mackenna find romance and danger when they are transported to the kingdom of Doon, a hidden village that appears once every 100 years. Inspired by the musical Brigadoon.

For thirteen years, Vlad, aided by his aunt and best friend, has kept secret that he is half-vampire, but when his missing teacher is replaced by a sinister substitute, he learns that there is more to being a vampire, and to his parents' deaths, than he could have guessed.
**Eon: Dragoneye Reborn**  
Alison Goodman  
Series: *Eon*  

Sixteen-year-old Eon hopes to become an apprentice to one of the twelve energy dragons of good fortune and learn to be its main interpreter, but to do so will require much, including keeping secret that she is a girl.

**Etiquette & Espionage**  
Gail Carriger  
Series: *Finishing School*  

In an alternate England of 1851, spirited fourteen-year-old Sophronia is enrolled in a finishing school where, she is surprised to learn, lessons include not only the fine arts of dance, dress, and etiquette, but also diversion, deceit, and espionage.

**Fablehaven**  
Brandon Mull  
Series: *Fablehaven*  

When Kendra and Seth go to stay at their grandparents' estate, they discover that it is a sanctuary for magical creatures and that a battle between good and evil is looming.

**Fairy Tail**  
Hiro Mashima  
Call Number: 741.5 M397f 2008  

Wizard Lucy wants to join the Fairy Tail, a club for the most powerful wizards. But instead, her ambitions land her in the clutches of a gang of unsavory pirates led by a devious magician.

**Finnikin of the Rock**  
Melina Marchetta  
Series: *Lumatere Chronicles*  

Now on the cusp of manhood, Finnikin, who was a child when the royal family of Lumatere was brutally murdered and replaced by an imposter, reluctantly joins forces with an enigmatic young novice and fellow-exile.

**Firelight**  
Sophie Jordan  
Series: *Firelight*  

When sixteen-year-old Jacinda, who can change into a dragon, is forced to move away from her community of shapeshifters and start a more normal life, she falls in love with a boy who proves to be her most dangerous enemy.

**Graceling**  
Kristin Cashore  
Series: *Graceling Realm*  

In a world where some people are born with extreme and often-feared skills called Graces, Katsa struggles for redemption from her own horrifying Grace, the Grace of killing, and teams up with another young fighter to save their land from a corrupt king.
**A Great and Terrible Beauty**  
Libba Bray  
Series: *Gemma Doyle*  

After the suspicious death of her mother in 1895, sixteen-year-old Gemma returns to England, after many years in India, to attend a finishing school where she becomes aware of her magical powers and ability to see into the spirit world.

**Hemlock**  
Kathleen Peacock  
Series: *Hemlock Trilogy*  

High school senior Mackenzie attempts to solve the mystery of her best friend's murder in a town affected by the werewolf virus.

**Here, There Be Dragons**  
James A. Owen  
Series: *Chronicles of the Imaginarium Geographica*  

Three young men are entrusted with the Imaginarium Geographica, an atlas of fantastical places to which they travel in hopes of defeating the Winter King whose bid for power is related to the First World War raging in the Real World.

**Infinity: Chronicles of Nick**  
Sherrilyn Kenyon  
Series: *Chronicles of Nick*  

Streetwise, tough, and savvy, Nick and his quick sarcasm are the stuff of legend... until the night when his best friends try to kill him. Saved by a mysterious warrior, Nick is sucked into the realm of the Dark-Hunters: immortal vampire slayers who risk everything to save humanity. With his fellow students turning into flesh-eating zombies, how can he stop them... without getting grounded by his mom?

**Inkheart**  
Cornelia Caroline Funke  
Series: *Inkworld*  

Twelve-year-old Meggie learns that her father, who repairs and binds books for a living, can "read" fictional characters to life when one of those characters abducts them and tries to force him into service.

**The Iron King**  
Julie Kagawa  
Series: *The Iron Fey*  

Meghan Chase has a secret destiny, one she could never have imagined. Something has always felt slightly off in Meghan's life, ever since her father disappeared before her eyes when she was six. She has never quite fit in at school, or at home. When a dark stranger begins watching her from afar, and her prankster best friend becomes strangely protective of her, Meghan senses that everything she's known is about to change. But she could never have guessed the truth: that she is the daughter of a mythical faery king and is a pawn in a deadly war. Now Meghan will learn just how far she'll go to save someone she cares about, to stop a mysterious evil no faery creature dare face, and to find love with a young prince who might rather see her dead than let her touch his icy heart.
**Marked**  
P.C. Cast  
Series: *House of Night*  

The House of Night series is set in a world very much like our own, except in 16-year-old Zoey Redbird's world, vampyres have always existed. In this first book in the series, Zoey enters the House of Night, a school where, after having undergone the Change, she will train to become an adult vampire — that is, if she makes it through the Change.

**Miss Peregrine’s Home for Peculiar Children**  
Ransom Riggs  
Series: *Miss Peregrine’s Peculiar Children*  

A mysterious island. An abandoned orphanage. A strange collection of very curious photographs. It all waits to be discovered in *Miss Peregrine’s Home for Peculiar Children*, an unforgettable novel that mixes fiction and photography in a thrilling reading experience.

**Mister Monday**  
Garth Nix  
Series: *The Keys to the Kingdom*  

Arthur Penhaligon is supposed to die at a young age, but is saved by a key that is shaped like the minute hand of a clock. The key causes bizarre creatures to come from another realm, bringing with them a plague. A man named Mister Monday will stop at nothing to get the key back. Arthur goes to a mysterious house that only he can see, so that he can learn the truth about himself and the key.

**The Monstrumologist**  
Richard Yancey  
Series: *Monstrumologist*  

Call Number: Fiction  

In 1888, twelve-year-old Will Henry chronicles his apprenticeship with Dr. Warthrop, a scientist who hunts and studies real-life monsters, as they discover and attempt to destroy a pod of Anthropophagi.

**The Name of the Star**  
Maureen Johnson  
Series: *Shades of London*  

Call Number: Fiction  

Rory, of Boueuxlieu, Louisiana, is spending a year at a London boarding school when she witnesses a murder by a Jack the Ripper copycat and becomes involved with the very unusual investigation.

**Nimona**  
Noelle Stevenson  

Call Number: 741.5 S848n 2015  

Nimona is an impulsive young shapeshifter with a knack for villainy. Lord Ballister Blackheart is a villain with a vendetta. As sidekick and supervillain, Nimona and Lord Blackheart are about to wreak some serious havoc.
**Num8ers**
Rachel Ward
Series: *Num8ers*

Ever since the day her mother died, Jem has known about the numbers. The numbers pop into her head when she looks into someone’s eyes; dates predicting each person’s death. Then, on a trip to London, the numbers foretell a chilling chain of events.

**Rampant**
Diana Peterfreund
Series: *Killer Unicorns*

After sixteen-year-old Astrid Llewelyn survives a vicious unicorn attack, she learns that she is a descendant of the most famous unicorn hunter of all time and she must travel to Rome, Italy, to train in the ancient arts in order to carry on her family legacy and save the world from the threat posed by the reemergence of lethal unicorns.

**The Raven Boys**
Maggie Stiefvater
Series: *The Raven Cycle*

Though she is from a family of clairvoyants, Blue Sargent’s only gift seems to be that she makes other people’s talents stronger, and when she meets Gansey, one of the Raven Boys from the expensive Aglionby Academy, she discovers that he has talents of his own—and that together their talents are a dangerous mix.

**Rot and Ruin**
Jonathan Maberry
Series: *Benny Imura*

In a post-apocalyptic world where fences and border patrols guard the few people left from the zombies that have overtaken civilization, fifteen-year-old Benny Imura is finally convinced that he must follow in his older brother’s footsteps and become a bounty hunter.

**Sabriel**
Garth Nix
Series: *Abhorsen Trilogy*

Sabriel, daughter of the necromancer Abhersen, must journey into the mysterious and magical Old Kingdom to rescue her father from the Land of the Dead.

**Sea of Trolls**
Nancy Farmer
Series: *Sea of Trolls*

After Jack becomes apprenticed to a Druid bard, he and his little sister Lucy are captured by Viking Berserkers and taken to the home of King Ivar the Boneless and his half-troll queen, leading Jack to undertake a vital quest to Jotunheim, home of the trolls.
Seraphina
Rachel Hartman
Series: Seraphina

In a world where dragons and humans coexist in an uneasy truce and dragons can assume human form, Seraphina, whose mother died giving birth to her, grapples with her own identity amid magical secrets and royal scandals, while she struggles to accept and develop her extraordinary musical talents.

Shiver
Maggie Stiefvater
Series: The Wolves of Mercy Falls

In all the years she has watched the wolves in the woods behind her house, Grace has been particularly drawn to an unusual yellow-eyed wolf who, in his turn, has been watching her with increasing intensity.

The Story of Owen: Dragon Slayer of Trondheim
E.K. Johnston
Series: Dragon Slayer of Trondheim
Call Number: Fiction

In an alternate world where industrialization has caused many species of carbon-eating dragons to thrive, Owen, a slayer being trained by his famous father and aunt, and Siobahn, his bard, face a dragon infestation near their small town in Canada.

Tiger's Curse
Colleen Houck
Series: The Tiger Saga

Seventeen-year-old Oregon teenager Kelsey forms a bond with a circus tiger who is actually one of two brothers, Indian princes Ren and Kishan, who were cursed to live as tigers for eternity, and she travels with him to India where the tiger's curse may be broken once and for all.

Vampire Knight
Matsuri Hino
Series: Vampire Knight
Call Number: 741.5 H663v 2007

At prestigious Cross Academy, there are two sessions of classes, the Day Class and the Night Class. As the school's Disciplinary Committee, Yuki Cross and Zero Kiryu keep watch over the Day Class students, who are all infatuated with the beautiful, elite Night Class students. As Guardians, Yuki and Zero must also protect the secret of the Night Class: they are all vampires!

The Warrior Heir
Cinda Williams Chima
Series: The Heir Chronicles

After learning about his magical ancestry and his own warrior powers, sixteen-year-old Jack embarks on a training program to fight enemy wizards.
**Wings**
Aprilynne Pike
Series: *Wings*

When a plant blooms out of fifteen-year-old Laurel's back, it leads her to discover the fact that she is a faerie and that she has a crucial role to play in keeping the world safe from the encroaching enemy trolls.

**A Wizard of Earthsea**
Ursula K. Le Guin
Series: *Earthsea*

A boy grows to manhood while attempting to subdue the evil he unleashed on the world as an apprentice to the Master Wizard.