

CREATURE FEATURE

Books with Bite!

VAMPIRE BOOKS

YA

K/W

Anderson, M.T.

THIRSTY

Chris has a lot of problems. Overshadowing them all, however, is the fact that he is becoming a vampire and struggling to remain human.

YA

K/W

Atwater-Rhodes, Amelia

IN THE FORESTS OF THE NIGHT

A teenaged vampire wanders back to 1684 when, as a human, she died and was transformed against her will. The author wrote this when she was 13 years old!

DEMON IN MY VIEW

A teen author discovers that the vampire world of her fiction is real.

SHATTERED MIRROR

This 3rd book in the series centers around 17 year old Sarah, the daughter of a powerful line of vampire-hunting witches, who gets more than she bargained for when she befriends 2 vampires.

MIDNIGHT PREDATOR

A mercenary trained to fight vampires, witches, and shape-shifters infiltrates a vampire stronghold but her past and future threaten to distract her from her work at hand.

K

Banks, L.A.

THE VAMPIRE HUNTRESS LEGEND SERIES

Banks drew a lot of her inspiration for this hot-blooded vampire series from local news stories. The series is based on the never ending struggle between good and evil and on the strong bonds of all forms of love. The first 2 books in this series have been optioned for films.

YA

K/W

De la Cruz, Melissa

BLUE BLOODS

Set in glittery NYC and steeped in vampire lore, this new book explores what happens to Schulyer when she turns 15 and she discovers a mosaic of blue veins on her arms and starts to crave raw meat.

K/W

Hambly, Barbara

THOSE WHO HUNT THE NIGHT

Who's been killing the vampires, tearing open their coffins to let in lethal sunshine-and then drinking their blood?

TRAVELING WITH THE DEAD

The setting is 1908 Europe. Down through the ages, vampires have drunk human blood for food and for sport. Now, someone has contracted vampires into the secret services of a foreign power.

K/W

King, Stephen

SALEM'S LOT

Considered one of the most terrifying vampire novels ever written, SALEM'S LOT probes the shadows of the human heart and the evils of small town America.

YA

K/W

Klause, Annette Curtis

THE SILVER KISS

A compelling tale of a modern-day vampire who preys on a lonely teenaged girl.

YA

K

Maxwell, Katie

GOT FANGS?

Fran is stuck in Hungary with her mom, who is a witch in a traveling psychic fair. But then Benedict shows up. He's got a cool motorcycle-and fangs.

YA

K/W

Meyer, Stephanie

TWILIGHT

When Bella moves to Washington with her dad, she is immediately attracted to Edward. His erratic behavior towards her confuses her until she learns that he is a vampire who has trained himself only to eat animals. However, he is not the only vampire in town. Look for Meyer's next book coming out later this year.

YA

Comix

K/W

Sfar, Joann

VAMPIRE LOVES

Meet Ferdinand, a vampire who bites with only one tooth in order to pass as a mosquito, who loves the music of dead folk singers, and who has trouble with relationships.

YA K/W

Shan, Darren

SAGA OF DARREN SHAN SERIES

This compelling saga of a boy's journey into the nightmarish world of vampires is chilling and full of twists.

K/W

Stoker, Bram

DRACULA

You think you know the story, now read the original!

YA

K/W

Westerfield, Scott

PEEPS

In a world where a parasite turns people into vampires, a reformed party boy learns that he is a carrier. He must now track down all the girls he unknowingly infected before they create more ghouls.

ANIMALS

YA

K/W

Comix

Akino, Matsuri

PET SHOP OF HORRORS, v. 1,2,3

You won't find your typical pet here! Beware of breaking the rules—the sweet pet you purchased will turn into a horrible monster!

YA

K/W

Atwater-Rhodes, Amelia

HAWKSONG, SNAKECHARM & FALCONDANCE

Follow the saga of two families allied by marriage. One changes into the shapes of hawks, the other snakes. This trilogy is their story.

K

Bowen, 'Asta

HUNGRY FOR HOME: A WOLF ODYSSEY

Based on a true story, this is a powerful story about a cunning wolf mother and her family struggling for survival in the contemporary West.

YA

K/W

Clement-Davies, David

THE SIGHT

In the shadow of an abandoned castle, a wolf pack seeks shelter from the bitter Transylvanian winter. But something more threatening stalks the pack.

YA, K

JUV, W

Collins, Suzanne

GREGOR THE OVERLANDER

GREGOR AND THE PROPHECY OF THE BANE

GREGOR AND THE CURSE OF THE WARBLOODS

GREGOR AND THE MARKS OF SECRET (COMING SOON)

Gregor finds an underground world populated with giant rats and cockroaches and a small population of humans when he follows his baby sister down an airshaft from his NY apartment's laundry room. Cliffhanger endings leave you gasping and anxious for the next installment in the series

YA

Comix

Gaiman, Neil

THE WOLVES IN THE WALLS

Lucy is sure there are wolves living in her walls-and everyone says if they make their way out it is all over for her and her family.

YA, K

JUV, W

George, Jean Craighead

JULIE OF THE WOLVES

JULIE

JULIE'S WOLF PACK

The third title in this series continues the story of Kapu, the pup Julie nursed back to life in JULIE OF THE WOLVES. This third book focuses even more strongly on the wolves, with humans playing only bit parts in the wilderness plot. Julie's story comes full circle. She grows up, attends college, and goes back to the tundra to study her beloved wolves.

YA

K/W

Hunter, Erin

THE NEW PROPHECY SERIES

Inspired by a love of cats and a fascination with the ferocity of the natural world, Hunter has created rich mythical explanations for animal behavior.

YA

K

Jordan, Sherryl

WOLF-WOMAN

16 year old Tanith, raised by wolves and adopted as a young child by chief of a warlike clan, must choose between wolves and men.

K/W

Koontz, Dean

WATCHERS

Two genetically altered life forms break loose from a top-secret government lab. One is "Einstein," a friendly dog. The other-The Outsider—is a deadly hybrid. Great book!!!

K/W

London, Jack

CALL OF THE WILD

WHITE FANG

Two of London's best-known adventures. Meet an amazing dog named Buck and his human friend John Thornton in CALL OF THE WILD and then follow the story of 2 men and the life of an unforgettable wolf cub in WHITE FANG.

YA

SF

K/W/B

Patterson, James

THE ANGEL EXPERIMENT (MAXIMUM RIDE V.1)

After the mutant Erasers abduct the young member of their group, the "birdkids," who are the result of genetic experimentation, take off in pursuit and struggle to understand their origins and purpose.

YA

K/W

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Paulsen, Gary

WOODSONG

Natural phenomena, chilling experiences, and exhilarating adventure are all part of Paulsen's personal recollections of his induction into sled dog training and racing. Paulsen is one of the best author's of man-against-natures adventures.

YA

K

Prinzini, Bill, editor

WEREWOLF!

Assorted horror tales involving werewolves.

YA

K/W

Stewart, Sharon

RAVEN QUEST

The most nimble-winged of the young ravens is banished for a crime he didn't commit, and the only way he can restore his honor is to perform a brave and daring deed to benefit all ravenkind.