**Dystopian/Post-Apocalyptic**

*Feed* – M.T. Anderson

In a future where most people have computer implants in their heads to control their environment, a boy meets an unusual girl who is in serious trouble.

*The Handmaid’s Tale* – Margaret Atwood

Set in the near future, America has become a puritanical theocracy and Offred tells her story as a handmaid under the new social order.

*Fahrenheit 451* – Ray Bradbury

A totalitarian regime has ordered all books to be destroyed, but one of the book burners suddenly realizes their merit.

*The Selection* series – Kiera Cass

Sixteen-year-old America Singer is living in the castle-divided nation of Illea, which formed after the war that destroyed the United States. America is chosen to compete in the Selection – a contest to see which girl can win the heart of Illea’s prince – but all she really wants is a chance for a future with her secret love, Aspen, who is a caste below her.

*The Hunger Games* trilogy - Suzanne Collins

Sixteen-year-old Katniss Everdeen accidentally becomes a contender in the annual Hunger Games, a grave competition hosted by the Capitol where young boys and girls are pitted against one another in a televised fight to the death.

*Matched* trilogy – Allie Condie

Cassia has always had complete trust in the Society to make decisions for her, but when she is being paired with her ideal mate, a second face flashes on the screen, and Cassia begins to doubt the Society’s infallibility as she tries to decide which man she truly loves.

*The Maze Runner* series – James Dashner

Sixteen-year-old Thomas wakes up with no memory in the middle of a maze and realizes he must work with the community in which he finds himself if he is to escape.

*Inhuman* – Kat Falls

Beyond the Titan wall lies the Feral Zone, and the only people who break quarantine and venture there are the “fetches,” who are paid exorbitant sums to bring back items that were left behind when the wall went up – but Delaney McEvoy’s father is there and she is being forced to find him and bring him back.

*The Lottery* – Shirley Jackson

The people of the village perform their annual lottery with startling consequences for the recipient of paper with the black spot.

*The Giver* series – Lois Lowry

Given his lifetime assignment at the Ceremony of Twelve, Jonas becomes the receiver of memories shared by only one other in his community and discovers the terrible truth about the society in which he lives.

*I Am Legend* – Richard Matheson

Robert Neville, the last living man on an Earth in which every other man, woman, and child has become a vampire, struggles to survive, scavenging for food and supplies and desperately searching for other survivors and trying to avoid the evil that lurks in the shadows.

*Birthmarked* trilogy – Caragh M. O’Brien

Sixteen-year-old Gaia Stone, a midwife who dutifully delivers at least three babies a month and hands them over to the Enclave, a community within walls where the children are adopted and live with conveniences which are not available to the outside world, begins to question her loyalty to the group after her mother is brutally taken away from her by the people she serves.

*Delirium* series – Lauren Oliver

Lena looks forward to receiving the government-mandated cure that prevents the delirium of love and leads to a safe, predictable, and happy life, until ninety-five days before her eighteenth birthday and her treatment, when she falls in love.

*1984* – George Orwell

 Depicts life in a totalitarian regime in the year 1984.

*Divergent* series – Veronica Roth

In a future Chicago, sixteen-year-old Beatrice Prior must choose among five predetermined factions to define her identity for the rest of her life, a decision made more difficult when she discovers that she is an anomaly who does not fit into any one group, and that the society she lives in is not perfect after all.

*Uglies* series – Scott Westerfeld

Just before their sixteenth birthdays, when they will be transformed into beauties whose only job is to have a great time, Tally’s best friend runs away and Tally must find her and turn her in, or never become pretty at all.

*The 5th Wave* – Rick Yancey

Cassie Sullivan, the survivor of an alien invasion, must rescue her young brother from the enemy with help from a boy who may be one of them.