

Humor Books for Teens

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Ashton, Bodie and Jodi Meadows. **My Lady Jane**, 2016. TEEN

Edward is the King of England. He's also dying, which is inconvenient. Jane, Edward's cousin, is far more interested in books than romance. Unfortunately, Edward has arranged to marry her off to secure the line of succession.

Barnes, Jennifer Lynn. **Little White Lies**, 2018.

Eighteen-year-old Sawyer accepts her estranged grandmother's bribe to live with her for a year, participate in the debutante season and ball, and possibly meet the father she has never known.

Bray, Libba. **Beauty Queens**, 2011. TEEN

When a plane crash strands thirteen teen beauty contestants on a mysterious island, they struggle to survive, to get along with one another, to combat the island's other diabolical occupants, and to learn their dance numbers.

Brosh, Allie. **Hyperbole and a Half**, 2013. TEENNF

Collects autobiographical, illustrated essays and cartoons from the author's popular blog and related new material that humorously and candidly deals with her own idiosyncrasies and battles with depression.

Burcaw, Shane. **Strangers Assume My Girlfriend is My Nurse**, 2019. TEENNF

With his signature acerbic wit and hilarious voice, twenty-something author, blogger, and entrepreneur Shane Burcaw is back with an essay collection about living a full life in a body that many people perceive as a tragedy.

Dugan, Jennifer. **Hot Dog Girl**, 2019. TEEN

A lovesick teenager schemes to win the heart of her crush at her amusement park summer job, all while dressed as a hot dog.

Goo, Maurene. **I Believe in a Thing Called Love**, 2017. TEEN

A disaster in romance, high school senior Desi Lee decides to tackle her flirting failures by watching Korean television dramas, where the hapless heroine always seems to end up in the arms of her true love by episode ten.

Lee, Mackenzi. **The Gentleman's Guide to Vice and Virtue**, 2017. TEEN

Henry "Monty" Montague was bred to be a gentleman. His quest for pleasures and vices have led to one last hedonistic hurrah as Monty, his best friend and crush Percy, and Monty's sister Felicity begin a Grand Tour of Europe.

McCreary, Michael. **Funny, You Don't Look Autistic**, 2019. TEENNF

Like many others on the autism spectrum, 20-something stand-up comic Michael McCreary has been told by more than a few well-meaning folks that he doesn't "look" autistic. This unique and hilarious #OwnVoices memoir breaks down what it's like to live with autism for readers on and off the spectrum.

Prince, Liz. **Tomboy**, 2014. TEENGN

Eschewing female stereotypes throughout her early years and failing to gain acceptance on the boys' baseball team, Liz learns to embrace her own views on gender as she comes of age, in an anecdotal graphic novel memoir.

Smith, Andrew. **Grasshopper Jungle**, 2014. TEEN

Austin Szerba narrates the end of humanity as he and his best friend Robby accidentally unleash an army of giant, unstoppable bugs and uncover the secrets of a decades-old experiment gone terribly wrong.