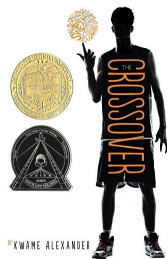


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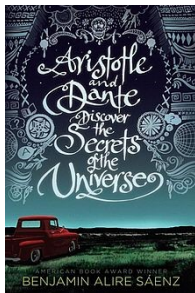


The Crossover by Kwame Alexander

YA ALEXANDER, ebook, eAudiobook

Josh and Jordan are twin brothers and basketball stars. They've always been close both on and off the basketball court, but now their relationship is suffering thanks to Jordan's new girlfriend, their dad's poor health, and a bet they made about basketball.

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Aristotle and Dante Discover the Secrets of the Universe by Benjamin Alire Saenz

YA SAENZ BENJAMIN, CDB, ebook, eAudiobook

Ari is an angry loner with a brother in prison. Dante is an unusual know-it-all. They seem to have nothing in common, but they form a life-changing friendship anyway.

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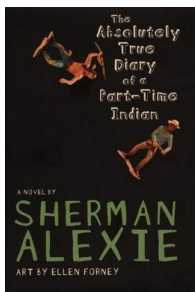


Something In Between by Melissa de la Cruz

YA DELA CRUZ MELISSA, ebook

Jasmine has worked hard to earn a full college scholarship and make her parents proud. Then her parents reveal the truth: their visas expired years ago. That means no scholarship for Jasmine, maybe no college, and the very real possibility of deportation.

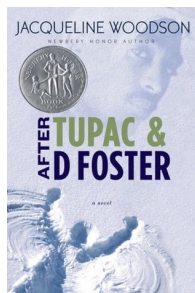
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The Absolutely True Diary of a Part Time Indian by Sherman Alexie - YA ALEXIE, CDB, ebook, eAudiobook

Junior has spent his whole life on the Spokane Indian Reservation and he knows that if he doesn't do something, he'll be stuck there forever. So he leaves his school on the reservation to attend an all-white high school where the only other Indian is the school mascot.

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After Tupac and D Foster by Jacqueline Woodson

YA WOODSON, ebook

When Neeka and her best friend meet D Foster, their world opens up. D comes from a vastly different world than their safe Queens neighborhood, but the three girls still bond over their love for Tupac's music.