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STREAM A SCARY MOVIE WITH US

Spooky Season Edition

The Black Film Archive, which "celebrates the rich, abundant history of Black cinema" currates free or paid streaming options for thousands of films created by and starring Black people. Their <u>horror</u> section includes everything from classics like <u>Blacula</u> to lesser known but important films like <u>Drums 'O</u> <u>Voodoo</u>.

TBRARY



1972's Blaxploitation film <u>Blacula</u> "centers an African prince who is cursed to a lifetime sentence of vampirism after critiquing Dracula's white power structures."

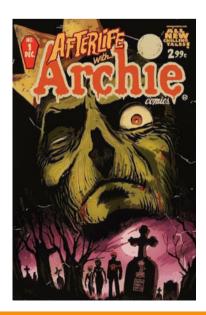
STOOKS



The popular 7-season CW show *Riverdale* wrapped its final episode in August. If you're in need of more Archie and friends, check out their subversive horror series, After Life with Archie.

SPOOKY BOOKS AND EBOOKS

We also have <u>Archie Vs. Predator</u> and Chilling Adventures of Sabrina.



ROBERTO AGUIRRE-SACASA . ROBERT HACK

FILIPINO AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

BOOKS AND EBOOKS



VIDEOS AND ARTICLES



LIST OF SHORT DOCUMENTARIES AND SEGMENTS COVERING TOURISM, CULTURE, SPORTS, RELIGION, HISTORY, AND MORE



DOCUMENTARY FROM KANOPY: "OUT RUN: LGBT POLITICS IN THE PHILIPPINES"



OUR DATBASES HAVE THOUSANDS OF ARTICLES CONCERNING THE PHILIPPINES, INCLUDING THESE FROM "GALE IN CONTEXT"



BANNED BOOKS WEEK

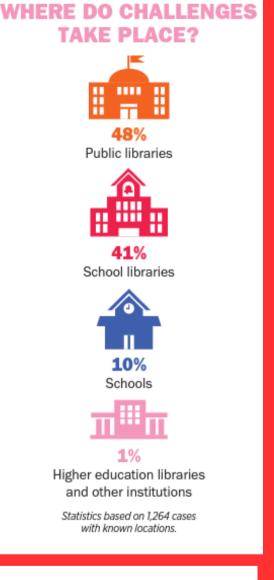
OCT. 1ST - OCT. 7TH

The American Library Association's theme for Banned Books Week 2023 is "Let Freedom Read!"

Banned Books Week is an annual celebration of the freedom to read granted by the First Amendment of the United States Constitution. It was created in 1982.

Most challenges in 2022 were to books featuring <u>LGBTQIA+ or POC</u> characters or content. Book banning is currently at an all time high in the United States, with academic libraries being especially targeted all over the country.

Learn more about banned books and censorship through our <u>Online Library Guide.</u>



CENSORSHIP ON THE RISE

The unparalleled number of reported book challenges in 2022 nearly doubled the number reported in 2021. The number of unique titles targeted marked a 38% increase over 2021.

CENSORSHIP STATISTICS COMPILED BY:

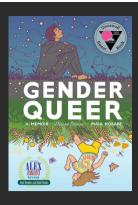
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Top 13 **MOST CHALLENGED BOOKS OF 2022**





Gender Queer Challenged for: LGBTQIA+ content, claimed to be sexually explicit



<u>All Boys Aren't</u> Blue

Challenged for: LGBTOIA+ content, claimed to be sexually explicitt



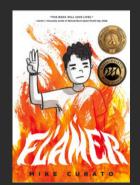


The Bluest Eye Challenged for: depiction of sexual abuse.

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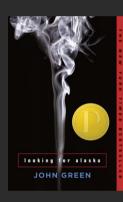
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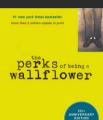


Flamer

Challenged for: LGBTQIA+ content, claimed to be sexually explicit



Looking for <u>Alaska</u> Challenge for: LGBTQIA+ content, claimed to be sexually explicit





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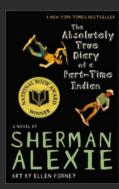
The Perks of <u>Being a Wallflowe</u>r Challenge for: depiction of sexual abuse, LGBTQIA+ content, drug use, profanity, claimed to

be sexually explicit

JONATHAN EVISON

Lawn Boy

Challenged for: LGBTOIA+ content, claimed to be sexually explicit (written by a former SMCCD student)



The Absolutely Part-Time Indian Challenged for: profanity. claimed to be sexually explicit

<u>Crank</u>

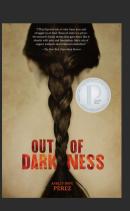
drug use.

True Diary of a

Challenged for:

claimed to be

sexually explicit



Out of Darkness Challenged for: depictions of abuse, claimed to be sexually explicit



Me and Earl and the **Dying Girl** Challenged for: profanity, claimed to be sexually explicit



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A Court of Mist and Fury Challenged for: claimed to be sexually explicit

This Book is Gay Challenged for: LGBTOIA+ content, providing sexual education, claimed to be sexually explicit

UNDOCUMENTED STUDENT ACTION WEEK OCTOBER 16 - 20

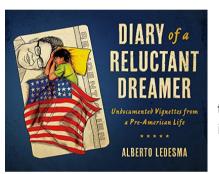


<u>The Undocumented</u> <u>Americans</u> by Karla Cornejo Villavicencio

One of the first undocumented immigrants to graduate from Harvard reveals the hidden lives of her fellow undocumented Americans in this deeply personal and groundbreaking portrait of a nation.



<u>Diary of a Reluctant</u> <u>Dreamer</u> <u>by Alberto Ledesma</u> In this hybrid memoir, wonders, At what point does a long-time undocumented immigrant become an American in the making?



Short Documentary <u>I Was Born in Mexico, But...</u> <u>Growing Up Undocumented in America</u>

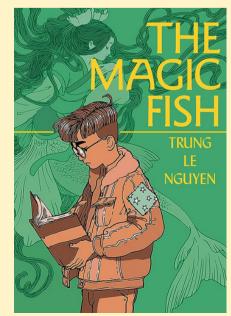
A poetic short featuring the voice of an undocumented young Latina woman who was brought to the U.S. as a child. The film introduces viewers to a personal voice on the immigration debate: DACA, the Dream Act, and other immigration reform, speaking about what it's like to grow up and face an uncertain future as a young undocumented person in America.

NATIONAL COMING OUT DAY October 11

When I Knew



<u>When I Knew</u> asks one simple question: when did you know that you're gay?



The Magic Fish

by Trung Le Nguyen

It's hard enough trying to communicate with your parents as a kid, but for Tién, he doesn't even have the right words because his parents are struggling with their English. Is there a Vietnamese word for what he's going through? Is there a way to tell them he's gay? Library Workshops

<u>Click here to register!</u>

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