

NONFICTION GRAPHIC NOVELS

Journey Into Mohawk Country (YA-Graphic 917.471 Bogaert, *Journey*)

This book puts pictures to the actual diary entries of Dutch trader Van den Bogaert, who set off through New York's Indian territory in 1634, searching for a source of valuable beaver pelts.

The 9/11 Report: A Graphic Adaptation (YA-Graphic 973.931 JAC 9/11)

Based on the final report of the National Commission on Terrorist Attacks upon the United States.

Houdini: The Handcuff King (YA-Graphic 920 Houdini, Harry)

In graphic novel format this book presents a new approach to the life of Harry Houdini.

Making Comics: Storytelling Secrets of Comics, Manga, and Graphic Novels (YA 741.51 McCloud, *S Comics*)

Covers everything from facial expressions and page layout to the choice of tools and story construction.



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All of the following books can be found alphabetical under the author's last name in the Young Adult Graphic Novel collection unless otherwise noted.

Laika by Nick Abadzis

Laika was the abandoned puppy destined to become Earth's first space traveler. This is her journey.

Yotsuba&! by Kiyohiko Azuma

Yotsuba is a green-haired and wide-eyed girl who always has her befuddled neighbors' and friends' heads spinning with her energy.

Re-Gifters by Mike Carey

Korean American teenager Dixie and her best friend, Avril, practice hapkido, a martial art. There is a big hapkido tournament coming up in their South Central Los Angeles neighborhood, but Dixie, loses her focus when she develops a crush on another teen hapkido artist, Adam.

The Plain Janes by Cecil Castellucci

Bored and lonely in her new town and school, Jane is thrilled when she meets three other girls named Jane, all of them as out of place as she is. They form a secret club, the Plain Janes, and decide to liven up the town with art.

Dramacon by Svetlana Chmakova

When amateur writer Christie settles in the artist alley of her first ever anime convention, she sees it only as an opportunity to promote the manga she had started with her artist boyfriend. But when she unexpectedly falls for a mysterious cosplayer, things become very complicated.

Pyongyang : a journey in North Korea by Guy Delisle

This story follows the author's two-month stay in North Korea while overseeing a cartoon's production.

The Case of Madeline Smith by Rick Geary

A scandalous secret affair in 19th century Scotland between an upperclass woman and a gentleman of lower standing ends in his murder by poison...

The Saga of the Bloody Benders: The Infamous Homicidal Family of Labette County, Kansas by Rick Geary

The story of a family of serial killers who owned a small general store and inn in Labette County, Kansas from 1872 to 1873.

Kampung Boy by Lat

This story follows the early life of a Muslim boy growing up in a tiny town in Malaysia during the 1950s.

Plastic Man: Rubber Bandits (YA-Graphic Plastic Man #2 Rubber)

The pliable crimefighter confronts Homeland Security, tackles illegal music downloading, adopts a surly goth adolescent daughter, and--most perilous of all--faces a librarian who refuses to hand over records.

Stuck in the Middle: Seventeen Comics from an Unpleasant Age edited by Ariel Schrag

Seventeen different artists portray the life of a junior higher.

The Arrival by Shaun Tan

A man leaves his homeland and sets off for a new country where he must build a life for him and his family.



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