

2017-2018 Spirit of Texas Reading Program for High School

The programming for these authors will be published on the TLA website in April before the 2017 TLA Annual Conference.

Cooner, Donna

Featured Title- *Can't Look Away*. Point, 2014.

Hardcover: 978-0545427654; Paperback: 978-0545427661

Lindsey, Mary

Featured Title- *Shattered Souls*, Philomel Books, 2011.

Hardcover: 978-099256226; Paperback: 978-0142421901

Fragile Spirits, Philomel Books, 2014.

Hardcover: 978-0399161865

Linn, Laurent

Featured Title – *Draw the Line*, Margaret K. McElderry Books, 2016.

Hardcover: 978-1481452809

Mabry, Samantha

Featured Title – *A Fierce and Subtle Poison*. Algonquin Young Readers, 2016.

Hardcover: 978-1616205218

Ormsbee, Kathryn

Featured Title – *Lucky Few*. Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2016.

Hardcover: 978-1481455282

Swendson, Shanna

Featured Title – *Rebel Mechanics*. Farrar, Straus and Giroux, 2015.

Hardcover: 978-0374300098; Paperback: 978-1250079947

The Spirit of Texas Reading Program- High School is a recommended reading list developed by public and school librarians from the Young Adult Round Table (YART). The purpose of the list is to encourage youths in grades 9-12 to explore a variety of current, quality books from Texas authors and illustrators, develop critical reading skills, and to encourage greater interaction between Texas authors and illustrators, Texas librarians, and Texas youth. The Spirit of Texas Reading Program-High School is intended for recreational reading, not to support a specific curriculum. Due to the diversity of this age range, Texas librarians should purchase titles on this list according to their individual collection policies. Each author featured on the list has had at least one book favorably reviewed for grades 9-12 in a professional review source. Six authors will be featured bi-monthly with all programming available year round.

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