



2012-2013 Spirit of Texas Reading Program High School



April- August 2012 Featured Author/Title

Smith, Cynthia Leitich. *Tantalize*. New York: Candlewick, 2007. Print. ISBN- 9780763627911

September – October 2012 Featured Author/Title

Giles, Gail. *Right Behind You*. New York: Little Brown, 2008. Print. ISBN - 9780316166379

November – December 2012 Featured Author/Title

Clement-Moore, Rosemary. *Texas Gothic*. New York: Delacorte Books for Young Readers, 2011.
Print. ISBN - 9780385736930

January – February 2013 Featured Author/Title

Perez, Ashley. *What Can't Wait*. New York: Carolrhoda Books, 2011. Print. ISBN -
9780761361558

March – April 2013 Featured Author/Title

Hunter, C.C.. *Born at Midnight*. New York: St. Martin's Press, 2011. Print. ISBN -
9780312624675

May – June 2013 Featured Author/Title

Ziegler, Jennifer. *How Not To Be Popular*. New York: Random House Children's Books, 2008.
Print. ISBN – 9780385734653

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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