The Saint Ann’s Library has a collection of 24,797 books. Those that appear on this list are new this fall. Please visit the library—it’s on the sixth floor—to check out a book, old or new. While you’re here, explore one of our 22 online databases or read one of the 39 magazines to which we subscribe. —Ragan, Maria, Denise & Eva

FICTION, POETRY AND LITERARY CRITICISM

The Anthologist by Nicholson Baker
The Art of Disappearing by Ivy Pochoda
Both Ways is the Only Way I Want It by Maile Meloy
Brooklyn by Colm Tóibín
Collected Poems, 1956-1987 by John Ashbery
Cry of the Sloth: A Complete Account by Sam Savage
Dear Everybody by Michael Kimball
The Death and Life of Charlie St. Cloud by Ben Sherwood
Downtown Owl by Chuck Klosterman
Dubliners: A Pluralistic World by Craig Hansen Werner
Elegance of the Hedgehog by Muriel Barbery
Evening is the Whole Day by Preeta Samarsan
Every Man Dies Alone by Hans Fallada
From A to X: A Story in Letters by John Berger
A Gate at the Stairs by Lorrie Moore
The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo by Steig Larsson
Gone-Away World by Nick Harkaway
Hairstyles of the Damned by Joe Meno
Half of a Yellow Sun by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie
Hard Boiled Wonderland at the End of the World by Haruki Murakami
Heart of Darkness by Joseph Conrad: An Authoritative Text, Backgrounds and Sources
The Help by Kathryn Stockett
Homer & Langley by E.L. Doctorow
Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet by Jamie Ford
How the Soldier Repairs the Gramophone by Saša Stanišić
I’m So Happy For You by Lucinda Rosenfeld

The author is a 2000 Saint Ann’s alum.

A hilarious epistolary novel, made up of letters written by the beleaguered editor of a second-tier literary journal.

Cheery thought.

A smart mystery. Highly recommended by Dana Okeson.

Set in the Civil Rights Era. Loved and recommended by Eva Zasloff and Stephanie Schragger.

It asks: Can you break up with a friend?
In the Kitchen by Monica Ali
In the Name of Salomé by Julia Alvarez
In the Woods by Tana Woods
The Invention of Everything Else by Samantha Hunt
The Lady in the Lake by Raymond Chandler
The Last Chinese Chef by Nicole Mones
Last Last Chance by Fiona Maazel
Little Bee by Chris Cleave
Looking After Pigeon by Maud Carol Markson
The Lost Symbol by Dan Brown
Lowboy by John Wray
The Marquise of O—and Other Stories by Heinrich von Kleist
My Revolutions by Hari Kunzru
Nervous Conditions by Tsitsi Dangarembga
The Noodle Maker by Jian Ma
One and Only Human Galaxy by Elizabeth Swados
Prospect Park West by Amy Sohn
A Respectable Trade by Philippa Gregory
Sag Harbor by Colson Whitehead
Sarah’s Key by Tatiana de Rosnay
Say You’re One of Them by Uwem Akpan
Secrets to Happiness by Sarah Dunn
Shanghai Girls by Lisa See
A Short History of Women by Kate Walbert
Silence by Shusaku Endo
Sima’s Undergarments for Women by Ilana Stanger-Ross
The Song is You by Arthur Phillips
Sophie’s World: A Novel About the History of Philosophy by Jostein Gaarder
The South by Colm Tóibín
Spooner by Pete Dexter
Still Alice by Lisa Genova
The Story of Forgetting by Stefan Merrill Block
Swimming by Nicola Keegan
Sweetest Dream by Doris Lessing
The Taker and Other Stories by Rubem Fonseca
Those Who Save Us by Jenna Blum
Trouble by Kate Christensen
The Twin by Gerbrand Bakker
Two by Carrère: Class Trip and The Mustache
The Unknown Knowns by Jeffrey Rotter
Up High in the Trees by Kiara Brinkman
Vacation by Deb Olin Unferth
Wanting by Richard Flanagan
Yes and No Stories: A Book of Georgian Folk Tales
GENERAL NONFICTION
Awaiting the Heavenly Country: The Civil War and America’s Culture of Death
by Mark S. Schantz
The Ayatollah Begs to Differ: The Paradox of Modern Iran by Hooman Jamd
The Best of Friends: Two Women, Two Continents, and One Enduring Friendship
by Sara James
Blink: The Power of Thinking Without Thinking by Malcolm Gladwell
Community Gardening edited by Ellen Kirby and Elizabeth Peters
Current Controversies Series, Three Volumes (Aid to Africa, Vaccines, Torture)
Don’t Sleep, There are Snakes: Life and Language in the Amazonian Jungle
by Daniel Leonard Everett
Graded Go Problems for Beginners by Kano Yoshinori
Hoyle’s Rules of Games: Descriptions of Indoor Games of Skill and Chance, with
Advice on Skillful Play by Edmond Hoyle
In the Land of Invented Languages: Esperanto Rock Stars, Klingon Poets, Logland
Lovers, and the Mad Dreamers Who Tried to Build a Perfect Language
by Arika Okrent
Jazz: The Rough Guide by Ian Carr
The Last Days of Old Beijing: Life in the Vanishing Backstreets of a City
Transformed by Michael J. Meyer
Lost on Planet China: One Man’s Attempt to Understand the World’s Most
Mystifying Nation by Maarten J. Troost
On This Earth: Photographs from East Africa by Nick Brandt
Ripped: How the Wired Generation Revolutionized Music by Greg Kot
The Soul of a Chef: The Journey Toward Perfection by Michael Ruhlman
Staring at the Sun: Overcoming the Terror of Death by Irvin D. Yalom
Strangers: Homosexual Love in the Nineteenth Century by Graham Robb
Television & America’s Children: A Crisis of Neglect by Edward L. Palmer
The Thoreau You Don’t Know: What the Prophet of Environmentalism
Really Meant by Robert Sullivan
Who We Were: A Snapshot History of America by Michael Williams

HISTORY
Afghanistan: A Short History of Its People and Politics by Sir Martin Ewans
Are We to Be a Nation: The Making of the Constitution by Richard B. Bernstein
China Since World War II by Michael V. Uschan
D-Day Atlas: Anatomy of the Normandy Campaign by Charles Messenger
Different Daughters: A History of the Daughters of Billitis and the Rise of the
Lesbian Rights Movement by Marcia M. Gallo
Emancipation Betrayed: The Hidden History of Black Organizing and White
Violence in Florida from Reconstruction to the Bloody Election of 1920 by Paul Ortiz
Eyes on the Prize: America’s Civil Rights Years by Juan Williams
Half Moon: Henry Hudson and the Voyage that Redrew the Map of the New World
by Doug Hunter
History of the Russian Revolution by Leon Trotsky

Um...fabulous!
Brilliant history; shows that gay men and lesbians weren’t automatically persecuted.
You haven’t read it!?
Hitler’s Private Library: The Books that Shaped His Life by Timothy W. Ryback
Impounded: Dorothea Lange and the Censored Images of Japanese American Internment
The Iraq Study Group Report
Miracles on the Water by Tom Nagorski
The Progressive Era by Kevin Hillstrom
The Prohibition Era: Temperance in the United States by Louise Chipley Slavicek
Spice: The History of Temptation by Jack Turner
Watergate: Scandal in the White House by Dale Anderson
The Medieval Crusades by Stephen Currie
The World War II GI: US Army Uniforms 1941-45 in Color Photographs by Richard Windrow

RELIGION
How to Read the Bible by Marc Zvi Brettler
The Jewish Bible
Religious Fundamentalism by Hal Marcovitz
Torah through Time: Understanding Bible Commentary from the Rabbinic Period to Modern Times by Cherry Shai
Who’s Who in the Jewish Bible by David Mandel

BIOGRAPHY AND MEMOIR
An Exact Replica of a Figment of My Imagination by Elizabeth McCracken
Angels Dance and Angels Die: The Tragic Romance of Pamela and Jim Morrison by Patricia Butler
Animal, Vegetable, Miracle: A Year of Food Life by Barbara Kingsolver
Claude Debussy by Paul Roberts
A Different Life: Growing Up Learning Disabled and Other Adventures by Quinn Bradlee
Dreams of Trespass: Tales of a Harem Girlhood by Fatima Mernissi
Lewis and Clark and the Route to the Pacific by Seamus Cavan
Man in the White Sharkskin Suit: My Family’s Exodus from Old Cairo to the New World by Lucette Lagnado Matalon
Mouth Wide Open: A Cook and His Appetite by John Thorne
Pig Candy: Taking My Father South, Taking My Father Home by Lise Funderburg
Steel Drivin’ Man: John Henry, the Untold Story of an American Legend by Scott Reynolds Nelson
Jane Austen by Carol Shields
Swimming to Cambodia by Spalding Gray
A Sword Among the Lions: Idia B. Wells and the Campaign Against Lynching by Paula Giddings
The Mayor of Castro Street: The Life and Times of Harvey Milk by Randy Shilts
The Most Famous Man in America: The Biography of Henry Ward Beecher by Debby Applegate
The Mystery Guest by Grégoire Bouillier
The Strength in What Remains by Tracy Kidder

National Book Award winner for nonfiction.
Abolitionism in Brooklyn!

City harem and country harem in Morocco.
Warriors Don’t Cry: A Searing Memoir of the Battle to Integrate Little Rock’s Central High by Melba Beals
When Skateboards Will Be Free: A Memoir of a Political Childhood by Said Sayrafiezadeh
Zeitoun by Dave Eggers

SCIENCE and HEALTH
At Issue Series, Six Volumes (Do Infectious Diseases Pose a Threat, Teen Smoking, Child Pornography, Embryonic and Adult Stem Cells, Fast Food, Teen Suicide)
Compact Research: Energy and the Environment Series, Three Volumes (Biofuels, Deforestation, Hydrogen Power)
Heart Disease by Alvin Silverstein
SARS by Joaquima Serradel
A Mathematician’s Lament by Paul Lockhart
Science Foundations Series, Four Volumes (The Big Bang, Heredity, Natural Selection, Radioactivity)
Swindled: The Dark History of Food Fraud, from Poisoned Candy to Counterfeit Coffee by Richard B. Bernstein
The Unknown Quantity: A Real and Imaginary History of Algebra by John Derbyshire

ART
Alexander Calder: The Paris Years, 1926-1933
From Krakow to Krypton: Jews and Comic Books by Arie Kaplan
The Gothic Enterprise: A Guide to Understanding the Medieval Cathedral by Robert Scott
Graphic Storytelling and Visual Narrative: Principles and Practices from the Legendary Cartoonist by Will Eisner
Little People in the City: The Street Art of Slinkachu by Slinkachu
Looking In: Robert Frank’s The Americans
NYC-BCN: Street Art Revolution by Louis Bou
Time by Andy Goldsworthy

KIDS’ FICTION
Along for the Ride by Sarah Dessen
Andromeda Klein by Frank Portman
Between Us Baxters by Bethany Hagedus
Beyond the Grave by Jude Watson
The Black Circle by Patrick Carman
Bloodhound by Tamora Pierce
Blue by Joyce Hostetttter
The Boy in the Striped Pajamas by John Boyne
Brigands M.C. by Robert Muchamore
Brooklyn Bridge by Karen Hesse
Burn My Heart by Beverley Naidoo
Catching Fire by Suzanne Collins

Growing up communist in New York and Pittsburgh. Recommended by all the librarians.
Recommended by Molly Scissors: “A stunning account of one family’s experiences surrounding Hurricane Katrina.”
The author teaches math at Saint Ann’s.
Tiny hand-painted people left in London to fend for themselves.
This novel of summertime self-discovery asks: Can people really change?
Dreamy historical fiction set in the Depression, with fascinating old-Brooklyn color and details.
Children of the Dawnland by Kathleen O’Neal Gear
City of Ashes by Cassandra Clare
Climbing the Stairs by Padma Venkatraman
Clique Series, Four Volumes: Boys r Us, Claire, Dylan, and Kristen
Clockwork, or All Wound Up by Philip Pullman
Comfort by Joyce Hostetter
The Compound by S.A. Bodeen
A Crooked Kind of Perfect by Linda Urban
The Crossroads by Chris Grabenstein
The Cuckoo Clock by Mary Stolz
The Curse of the Gloamglozer by Paul Stewart
Diary of a Wimpy Kid 4: Dog Days by Jeff Kinney
The Door of No Return by Sarah Mussi
Ever by Gail Carson Levine
The Evolution of Calpurnia Tate by Jacqueline Kelly
Girlfriend Material by Melissa Kantor
The Grand Tour, or, The Purloined Coronation Regalia by Patricia C. Wrede
The Hanging Hill by Chris Grabenstein
Heart of Glass by Zoey Dean
Heartsinger by Karlijn Stoffels
The Homeschool Liberation League by Lucy Frank
How to Say Goodbye in Robot by Natalie Standiford
The Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins
Ignatius MacFarland: Frequenaut! by Paul Feig
Invisible I by Melissa Kantor
Jeremy Fink and the Meaning of Life by Wendy Mass
Lacy of Ch’iao Kuo: Warrior of the South by Laurence Yep
The Last Olympian by Rick Riordan
The Lion’s Paw by Robb White
The Little Secret by Kate Saunders
The Magic Thief Series: The Magic Thief and Lost by Sarah Prineas
Marcelo in the Real World by Francisco X. Stork
Mary Queen of Scots: A Queen Without a Country by Kathryn Lasky
The Mislaid Magician, or, Ten Years After by Patricia C. Wrede
Monsoon Summer by Mitali Perkins
My Big Nose and Other Natural Disasters by Sydney Salter
My Mother the Cheerleader by Robert Sharenow
The Mysterious Benedict Society and the Prisoner’s Dilemma by Trenton Lee Stewart
Necropolis by Anthony Horowitz
Nobody’s Princess by Esther M. Friesner
Nobody’s Prize by Esther M. Friesner
The Notorious Izzy Fink by Don Brown
Peeled by Joan Bauer
Peter and the Sword of Mercy by Dave Barry and Ridley Pearson
Forever Princess by Meg Cabot
Prophecy of the Sisters by Michelle Zink

Received with glee at Saint Ann’s, partly because the author once visited our library and spoke to students.
The author teaches English at Saint Ann’s.
Melissa again!
A classic long out of print, now back.
Ragan O’Malley: “A coming-of-age novel with a great cast of characters.”
The author will visit the library and speak to sixth graders this spring.
The Trojan War, from Helen’s point of view.
The Seige of Macindaw by John Flanagan
The Rise and Fall of a 10th Grade Social Climber by Lauren Mechling
Sabriel by Garth Nix
Sawahira: An African Friendship by Carolyn Marsden
Schooled by Gordon Korman
Secret Keeper by Mitali Perkins
Sent by Margaret Peterson Haddix
Sisters Grimm Series: The Everafter War by Nick Burd
Sleepaway Girls by Jen Calonita
The Sorceress by Michael Scott
The Summer I Turned Pretty by Jenny Han
Spud by John Van de Ruit
The Sword Thief by Peter Lerangis
Swoon by Nina Malkin
Syren by Angie Sage
Tales of the Frog Princess Series by E.D. Baker, Four Volumes (Dragon Kiss, The Dragon Princess, No Place for Magic, and The Salamander Spell)
Tempo Change by Barbara Hall
The Treasure Map of Boys: Noel, Jackson, Finn, Hutch, Gideon—and me, Ruby? by E. Lockhart
Thirteenth Realty Series by James Dashner, Two Volumes (The Journal of Curious Letters and The Hunt for Dark Infinity)
This Book is Not Good For You by Pseudonymous Bosch
Twenty Boy Summer by Sarah Ockler
Unwind by Neal Shusterman
Victoria: May Blossom of Britannia by Anna Kirwan
What I Saw and How I Lied by Judy Blundell
Where the Mountain Meets the Moon by Grace Lin
The Word Eater by Mary Amato
You Are Here by Jennifer Smith

KIDS’ NONFICTION
The American Sign Language Phrase Book by Louie J. Fant
Ancient Warfare Series, Four Volumes (Ancient Egyptian, Ancient Greek, Ancient Persian, and Ancient Roman)
The Bombing of Hiroshima and Nagasaki by Valerie Bodden
Denied, Detained, Deported: Stories from the Dark Side of American Immigration by Ann Bausum
Fairies and Elves by Shannon Knudsen
Forms of Government Series, Four Volumes (Communism, Democracy, Dictatorship, Monarchy)
Genghis Khan: 13th Century Mongolian Tyrant by Enid Goldberg
Ghosts by Peggy J. Parks
Hauntings by Gail B. Stewart
How Loud Can You Burp? More Extremely Important Questions and Answers by Glenn Murphy

Boy who grew up home schooled on a commune is suddenly thrust into SCHOOL.

What if fairy tales were real, and you were a descendant of the foremost fairy tale historians, the Brothers Grimm?

The latest from a frequent visitor to the Saint Ann’s library.

A future world where parents can have their teenagers disassembled and their organs donated to the sick and injured.

A World War II mystery — and 2008 National Book Award winner.
If your cat could talk, what it would say.

The author is a Saint Ann’s librarian.

No library is complete without it.

Twenty-five families in 21 countries, photographed with a week’s worth of food.

A sixth grader meets the ghost of an ancient Go master; adventure ensues.

MANGA, COMICS and GRAPHIC NOVELS

The Adventures of Tintin by Hergé
The Arrival by Shaun Tan
Asterix le Gaulois by Goscinny
Bart Simpson’s Guide to Life by Matt Groening
Berlin: A Work of Fiction, Books 1 and 2 by Jason Lutes
Comickers Coloring Book by Collins Design
Ellie McDoodle: Have Pen Will Travel by Ruth McNally Barshaw
Emma by Kaoru Mori
The Eternal Smile: Three Stories by Gene Luen Yang
Herobear and the Kid: The Inheritance by Mike Kunkel
Hey, Wait— by Jason
Hikaro No Go Volumes 1-14 by Yumi Hotta
Houdini: The Handcuff King by Jason Lutes
The Indispensable Calvin and Hobbes by Bill Watterson
Jane Eyre illustrated by Harley M. Griffiths
Lunch Lady Series Volumes 1 and 2 by Jarrett Krosoczka
The Magical Life of Long Tack Sam by Ann Marie Fleming
Moomin: The Complete Tove Jansson Comic Strip Volumes 1-3
Nancy by John Stanley
Naruto Volumes 38-45 by Masashi Kishimoto
Owly: The Way Home and the Bittersweet Summer by Andy Runton
Photographer by Emmanuel Guibert
Poetry Comics: An Animated Anthology by David Morice
Rapunzel’s Revenge by Shannon Hale
Still Pumped From Using the Mouse: A Dilbert Book by Scott Adams
Yotsuba&! Volume 6 by Kiyohiko Azuma

CRAFTS, COOKING AND DIY
Creepy Cute Crochet: Zombies, Ninjas, Robots, and More!
by Christen Hayden
Hey There, Cupcake! 35 Yummy Fun Cupcake Recipes for All Occasions
by Clare Crespo
Japanese Cooking: A Simple Art by Shizuo Tsuji
to Amaze and Delight by Esther K. Smith
The Manga Cookbook by Yoko Ishihara
Smoothies and Shakes by Elsa Petersen-Schepelern
Softies: Simple Instructions for 25 Plush Pals
Whatcha Mean, What’s a Zine? The Art of Making Zines and Mini-Comics
by Mark Todd

AUDIO BOOKS
1984 by George Orwell
The Dorothy Parker Audio Collection
The Iliad by Homer
The Odyssey by Homer
A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man by James Joyce
The Witch of Blackbird Pond by Elizabeth George Speare

DVDS
At The River I Stand
Modern Times
American Experience
Dial M For Murder
Little Women
The Vikings
The Wizard of Photography: The Story of George Eastman

REFERENCE
Black Women in America, Three Volumes edited by Darlene Clark Hine
The New York Times Crossword Puzzle Dictionary