

## Parental Advisory Book List

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| TITLE-AUTHOR  | GRADE  | AGE   | DATE PUBLISHED | CONTENT WARNING NOTES   |
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| A Court of Mist and Fury by Sarah J. Maas   |        | 13+   | June 2020      | Pornographic, multiple sex scenes, violence, vulgarity. This book is part of the "A Court of Thorns and Roses" series, and all of them have very explicit sexual content. |
| A High Five for Glenn Burke by Phil Bildner   | 4-6    | 10-13 | February 2019  | LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| A Home for Goddesses & Dogs by Leslie<br>Connor   | 5-6    | 10-14 | February 2020  | LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| A Quick & Easy Guide to Queer & Trans<br>Identities by Mady G and J.R. Zuckerberg                             | 7-9    |       | April 2019     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, gender identity, trans identity, teen sex  |
| Across a Field of Starlight by Blue<br>Delliquanti  | 7-9    |       | February 2022  | queer & non-binary identities, teen sex   |
| Act Cool by Tobly McSmith   | 9-12   | 14-17 | September 2021 | transgenderism, undermines parents, vilifies parents  |
| All Boys Aren't Blue: A Memoir-Manifesto<br>by George M. Johnson  | 10-12  | 14-18 | April 2020     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, graphic descriptions of sex acts and sexual abuse  |
| All Out edited by Saundra Mitchell et al  | 10-12  | 13-17 | February,2018  | LGBTQIA+ relationship, gender identities, queer theory, occult, teen sex  |
| All the Invisible Things by Orlagh Collins  | 10-12  | 14-17 | September 2018 | homosexuality, teen sex, porn, masturbation   |
| Allies: Real Talk About Showing Up,<br>Screwing Up, and Trying Again by Shakirah<br>Bourne & Dana Alison Levy | 7-9    | 12-17 | July 2021      | Critical Theories (CRT, Queer Theory, Gender Theory, etc), LGBTQIA+, gender ideologies  |
| Almost Flying by Jake Maia Arlow  | 5-9    | 10-14 | June 2021      | adultery, LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| And Tango Makes Three by Justin<br>Richardson & Peter Parnell   | PreK-K | 2-5   | April 2005     | LGBTQIA+ parenting  |
| And They Lived by Steven Salvatore  | 10-12  | 14-17 | March 2022     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, graphic descriptions of sex, vulgarity, drug use   |
| Any Way the Wind Blows by Rainbow<br>Rowell   | 9-12   | 14-18 | July 2021      | graphic sexual language, graphic sex scenes, LGBTQIA+ relationship, violence, underage drinking, teen sex   |
| Aristotle and Dante Series by Alire Saenz   | 7-9    | 12+   | October 2021   | LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| Autoboyography by Christina Lauren  |        | 14+   | September 2017 | LGBTQIA+ relationship, anti-religion sentiment, universalism  |
| Bayard Rustin by J.P. Miller  | 1-4    | 6-12  | August 2020    | gay rights, socialism   |

| Be Amazing: A History of Pride by Desmond is Amazing                  | PreK-1 | 3-6   | July 2020                        | LGBTQIA+, "drag" child  |
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| Before we Disappear by Shaun David<br>Hutchinson                      | 9–12   | 14-7  | September 2021                   | LGBTQIA+ relationship, physical & emotional abuse, neglect  |
| Beyond Magenta: Transgender Teens Speak Out by Susan Kuklin           | 9–12   | 14+   | February 2014                    | pedophilia (presented in positive light), sexual abuse, transgenderism, graphic sexual descriptions, child sex abuse, LGBTQIA+ relationships  |
| Beyond the Gender Binary by Alok Vaid-<br>Menon                       | 7-9    | 12-17 | June 2020                        | transgender ideology, queer theory  |
| Birthday by Meredith Russo  | 7–9    | 13-18 | February 2020                    | gender transitioning, LGBTQIA+ relationship, attempted suicide  |
| Bloom by Kevin Panetta  | 7–9    | 14-18 | June 2013                        | LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| Bodies are Cool by Tyler Feder  |        | 2-5   | June 2021                        | Cartoon drawings of people in their underwear. References to surgical body alteration, includes transgender man (with visible scars from "top surgery"). Normalizes adults being scantily clad around children. |
| Born Ready: The True Story of a Boy Named Penelope by Jodie Patterson | PreK–3 | 4-8   | April 2021                       | transgenderism, gender transitioning of a five-year-old child, LGBTQIA+   |
| Both Sides Now by Peyton Thomas                                       | 9-12   | 14-17 | August 2021                      | transgenderism, LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| Boys Run the Riot (Series) by Keito Gaku                              |        | Teen  | July 2020                        | transgenderism, LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| Brave Face: A Memoir by Shaun David<br>Hutchinson                     | 9–12   | 14-17 | May 2019                         | LGBTQIA+, self-harm, attempted suicide  |
| Breathless by Jennifer Niven  | 9-12   | 14-17 | September 2020                   | losing virginity is a strong focus, graphic depictions of sex acts  |
| Calvin by JR and Vanessa Ford   | PreK-3 | 4-8   | November 2021                    | gender transition of a young child, transgender ideology  |
| Camp by L.C. Rosen  | 9+     | 14+   | May 2020                         | LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| Candidly Cline by Kathryn Ormsbee                                     | 3–7    | 8-12  | November 2021                    | LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| Cemetery Boys by Aiden Thomas   | 7–9    | 13-18 | September 2020                   | LGBTQIA+, transgenderism, occult  |
| Check, Please! (series) by Ngozi Ukazu                                | 10–12  | 14-18 | September 2018                   | LGBTQIA+ relationship, underage drinking  |
| Cheer Up: Love and Pompoms by Crystal Frasier                         | 9+     | 12+   | August 2021                      | LGBTQIA+, transgenderism  |
| Cinderella is Dead by Kalynn Bayron                                   | 7-9    | 13-17 | July 2020                        | LGBTQIA+, violence, domestic abuse, rape,   |
| Coming Out: Insights & Tips for Teenagers by Kezia Endsley            | 8+     | 13-17 | December 2020                    | LGBTQIA+, undermines parents  |
| Cool for the Summer by Dahlia Adler                                   | 10-12  | 14-18 | July 2015                        | LGBTQIA+ relationships  |
| Donovan's Big Day by Leslea Newman                                    | PreK-2 | 3-7   | April 2011                       | young child's mother remarries another woman  |
| Drama: A Graphic Novel by Raina<br>Telgemeier                         | 5-9    | 8-11  | September 2012/<br>December 2021 | LGBTQIA+ references, two boys kissing, bisexuality. Geared toward young readers.  |
| Felix Ever After by Kacen Callender                                   | 9-12   | 14-17 | April 2021                       | LGBTQIA+ relationship, transgenderism, parents vilified and undermined  |
| Flamer by Mike Curato   | 10-12  | 14-18 | September 2020                   | sexual awakening, disrespect of religion, vulgarity, graphic images of pornography use, masturbation, and suicidal ideation   |

| Gender Queer by Maia Kobabe   |        | 18+   | May 2019       | LGBTQIA+ relationship, gender ideology, graphic sexual images  |
|---|--------|-------|----------------|--|
| Girl Crushed by Katie Heaney  | 7-9    | 12-17 | January 2020   | LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| Going off Script by Jen Wilde   | 10-12  | 13-18 | May 2019       | LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| Gracefully Grayson by Ami Polonsky  | 3-7    | 11+   | November 2014  | gender identity, transgenderism, queer theory  |
| Grandad's Camper by Harry Woodgate  | PreK-1 | 3-6   | April 2021     | LGBTQIA+ relationship discussed with small grandchildren   |
| Gravity by Leanne Lieberman   | 8-12   |       | October 2008   | LGBTQIA+ relationship, undermines religion, antisemitic  |
| Heartstopper: (series) by Alice Oseman  |        | 13+   | February 2019  | LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| Here's to Us by Becky Albertalli & Adam Silvera   | 9-12   | 14-17 | December 2021  | LGBTQIA+ relationship, queer theory  |
| Hold my Hand by Michael Barakiva  | 7-9    | 12-18 | May 2019       | LGBTQIA+ relationships, teen sex   |
| Home at Last by Raschka & Williams  | Prek-3 | 4-8   | September 2016 | LGBTQIA+ relationship, same sex parenting, mild abuse  |
| Hot Dog Girl by Jennifer Dugan  | 7-9    | 12-17 | April 2019     | LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| How it all Blew Up by Arvin Ahmadi  | 9-12   | 14-17 | September 2020 | LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| How to They / Them: A Visual Guide to<br>Nonbinary Pronouns & The World of Gender<br>Fluidity by Stuart Getty |        |       | September 2020 | gender ideology, gender theory, queer theory   |
| Hurricane Child by Kacen Callender  | 3-7    | 8-12  | October 2019   | LGBTQIA+ relationship between preteens, alcoholism, mysticism, bullying, abuse, book recommended for young children  |
| I Am Jazz! by Jessica Herthel & Jazz<br>Jennings  | PreK-3 | 4-3   | September 2014 | transgenderism, transitioning very young children, gender theory   |
| I Think I Love You by Auriane Desombre  | 7-9    | 12-17 | March 2021     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, teen sex  |
| I Wish You All the Best by Mason Deaver   | 9-12   | 14+   | May 2019       | LGBTQIA+ relationship, teen sex, gender theory   |
| Identity: A Story of Transitioning by Corey<br>Maison   | 6-9    | 11+   | September 2020 | transgenderism, gender transitioning   |
| Introducing Teddy by Jessica Walton   | PreK-1 | 3-6   | May 2016       | transgenderism, a boy teddy bear comes out as a girl teddy bear  |
| It Feels Good to be Yourself: A Book About<br>Gender Identity by Theresa Thorn                                | 1-2    | 3-7   | June 2019      | queer theory, transgenderism, introduces young children to the idea that they might be a different gender  |
| It's Perfectly Normal: Changing Bodies,<br>Growing up: Sex, Gender, and Sexual Health<br>by Robie H. Harris   | 5-6    | 9-12  | May 2021       | Graphic drawings of nudity, heterosexual and homosexual sex, and masturbation. Topics also include gender fluidity, abortion, and sexual maturity. This is an older book that was recently updated. Has been found in school health curricula as well as recommended by pediatricians. |
| Ivy Aberdeen's Letter to the World by<br>Ashley Herring Blake   | 3-7    | 8-12  | March 2018     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, teen sex  |
| Jacob's New Dress by Sarah and Ian<br>Hoffman   | PreK-3 | 3-7   | March 2020     | gender nonconforming child, a boy wearing dresses is celebrated by parents   |
| Jamie is Jamie by Afsaneh Moradian  | PreK-3 | 4-8   | May 2018       | Gender-nonconforming child, reinforces the fact that boys can like "girl" toys and vice versa, but in a way that could be confusing.   |

| Julian is a Mermaid by Jessica Love   | PreK-3 | 2-6   | April 2018     | transgenderism, young child transitioning  |
|---|--------|-------|----------------|--|
| Kate in Waiting by Becky Albertalli   | 9-12   | 14-17 | April 2021     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, teen sex, underage drinking   |
| King and King by Linda de Haan  | K-3    | 3-8   | March 2003     | LGBTQIA+ marriage  |
| King and the Dragonflies by Kacen Callender   | 3-7    | 8-12  | May 2022       | LGBTQIA+ relationship, death, spiritism  |
| Kiss Number 8 by Colleen A. F. Venable  | 7-9    | 14-18 | March 2019     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, transgenderism, denigrating Christianity, sexualizes Jesus Christ   |
| Late to the Party by Kelly Quindlen   | 7-9    | 12-18 | April 2020     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, teen sex  |
| Laura Dean Keeps Breaking up with Me by<br>Mariko Tamaki                                      | 8-12   | 14-18 | May 2019       | LGBTQIA+ relationship, teen sex, abortion  |
| Lawn Boy by Jonathan Evison   |        |       | March 2019     | Vulgarity, graphic depictions of sexual acts. Written for adults but has been found in many school libraries.                    |
| LGBT Discrimination by Heidi C. Feldman   | 7-9    | 10-13 | June 2018      | Discussion of legitimate violence toward LGBTQIA+, draws on queer theory and gender theory to discuss perceived "discrimination" |
| Life of Melody by Mari Costa  | 7-9    | 12-14 | December 2018  | LGBTQIA+ relationship, same-sex parenting  |
| Lily and Dunkin by Donna Gephar   |        | 10-12 | 2016           | transgenderism, mental illness   |
| Long Distance by Whitney Gardner  | 5-6    | 10+   | June 2021      | same-sex parenting   |
| Look by Zan Romanoff  | 9-12   | 14-17 | March 2020     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, teen sex  |
| Loveless by Alice Oseman  | 9+     | 14+   | July 2020      | LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| Lumberjanes Series by Whitney Gardner   | 4-7    | 8-12  | 2014-2019      | LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| Max & Friends by Kyle Lukoff  | 2-4    | 4-9   | November 2019  | transgenderism, transitioning very young children  |
| Meet Cute Diary by Emery Lee  | 9-12   | 14-17 | May 2021       | LGBTQIA+ relationships, transgenderism, teen sex,  |
| Melissa by Alex Gino  | 3-7    | 9-12  | August 2015    | LGBTQIA+ relationships, transgenderism, teen sex. Previously published under the title "George."                                 |
| Modern HERstory: Stories of Women and<br>Nonbinary People Rewriting History by Blair<br>Imani |        |       | 2018           | draws on gender theory, CRT, and queer theory  |
| Moonstruck (series) by Grace Ellis  |        | 13-16 | March 2018     | LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| Mr. Watson's Chickens by Jarrett Dapier   | PreK-K | 3-5   | September 2021 | LGBTQIA+ relationship, same-sex parenting  |
| My Shadow is Pink by Scott Stuart   | K-2    | 3-9   | April 2021     | gender identity, gender roles.   |
| My Shadow is Purple by Scott Stuart   | K-2    | 3-9   | June 2022      | introduces the concept of a third gender identity (non-binary)   |
| Obie Is Man Enough by Schuyler Bailar   | 5-6    | 10-12 | September 2021 | transgenderism, transitioning of a child, vulgarity  |
| On a Sunbeam by Tillie Walden   | 7-9    | 12-18 | May 2018       | LGBTQIA+ relationships   |
| Our Dreams at Dusk (series) by Yuhki<br>Kamatani  | 7+     | 13+   | 2015-2018      | LGBTQIA+ relationships, transgenderism, teen sex,  |
| Papa, Daddy, & Riley by Seamus Kirst  | K-2    | 4-8   | 2020           | LGBTQIA+ relationship, same-sex parenting  |

| People of Pride: 25 Great LGBTQ Americans   | 4-6    | 8-12  | January 2021   | LGBTQIA+ Americans   |
|---|--------|-------|----------------|--|
| by Chase Clemesha MD  |        |       |                |  |
| Perfect on Paper by Sophie Gonzales   | 7-9    | 13-18 | March 2021     | LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| Pet by Akwaeke Emezi  | 7-9    | 12-17 | September 2019 | transgenderism, child abuse  |
| Picture Us in the Light by Kelly Loy Gilbert  | 9+     | 14+   | April 2018     | LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| Pride: The Story of Harvey Milk & The   | K-3    | 3-9   | September 2018 | LGBTQIA+ rights  |
| Rainbow Flag by Rob Sanders   |        |       |                |  |
| Prince & Knight by Daniel Haack   | PreK-3 | 2-8   | May 2018       | LGBTQIA+ relationship, intended for very young children  |
| Prince and the Dressmaker by Jen Wang   | 7-9    | 12-18 | February 2018  | LGBTQIA+ relationship, intended for young children   |
| Pumpkin by Julie Murphy   | 8-9    | 13-17 | May 2021       | LGBTQIA+, drag for young children  |
| Queer as All Get Out: 10 People Who've  |        | 16-17 | October 2021   | LGBTQIA+, history, strong language, intended for children  |
| Inspired Me by Shelby Criswell  |        |       |                |  |
| Queer: The Ultimate LGBTQ guide for Teens   | 6-12   | 11-18 | May 2011       | LGBTQIA+, gender theory, queer theory, transgenderism  |
| by Kathy Belge and Marke Bieschke   |        |       |                |  |
| Quiver: A Novel by Julia Watts  | 10-12  | 16-17 | May 2018       | LGBTQIA+, gender theory, Christian fundamentalism, vilifies biblical fatherhood  |
| Rainbow Revolutionaries: 50 LGBTQ+  | 3-7    | 8-12  | May 2020       | "queer" figures in history, intended for children  |
| People who Made History by Sarah Prager   |        |       |                |  |
| Rainbow: A First Book of Pride by Michael<br>Genhart  | PreK-K | 1-9   | September 2019 | LGBTQIA+ Pride, intended for young children  |
| Red: A Crayon's Story by Michael Hall   | PreK-3 | 3-7   | February 2015  | introduces idea of being something on the outside that is different than   |
|   |        |       |                | what you are on the inside – unspoken parallel to transgender ideology   |
| Rick by Alex Gino   | 3-7    | 9+    | April 2020     | Intended for children, story of an "asexual" 6 <sup>th</sup> grader  |
| Sewing the Rainbow: The Story of Gilbert Baker & The Rainbow Flag by Gayle Pitman                           | PreK-3 | 4-8   | May 2018       | LGBTQIA+ pride,  |
| Sex is a Funny Word: A Book About Bodies,<br>Feelings and You by Cory Silverberg                            | 2-5    | 8-11  | July 2015      | Cartoon drawings of genitals, nudity, and masturbation. Discussion of what "feels good" in reference to body parts. Presents gender identity as separate from birth sex. The artwork and style is attractive to very young children. |
| She Drives me Crazy by Kelly Quindlen   | 7-9    | 12-18 | April 2021     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, teen sex  |
| She's Too Pretty to Burn by Wendy Heard   | 10-12  | 14-18 | March 2021     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, violence  |
| Simon vs. The Homo Sapiens Agenda by<br>Becky Albertalli  | 9-12   | 14-17 | April 2015     | LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| Snapdragon by Kat Leyh  | 4-6    | 9+    | February 2020  | LGBTQIA+ relationships, occult   |
| Some Assembly Required: The Not-So-Secret<br>Life of a Transgender Teen by Arin Andrews<br>with Joshua Lyon | 8-9    | 14+   | September 2015 | transgenderism, gender ideology  |

| Some Girls Bind by Rory James  | 7-9    | 14-17 | February 2019  | gender theory, queer theory, transgenderism   |
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| Some Girls Do by Jennifer Dugan  | 7-9    | 12-17 | April 2022     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, teen sex discussed   |
| Spinning by Tillie Walden  | 7-9    | 14-18 | May 2017       | LGBTQIA+, teen sex, graphic language  |
| Stage Dreams by Melanie Gillman  | 8-12   | 13-18 | March 2019     | LGBTQIA+, transgenderism  |
| Stay Gold by Tobly McSmith   | 9-12   | 14-17 | May 2020       | transgenderism, underage drinking   |
| Tale of the Shadow King by Daniel Haack  | PreK-3 | 4-8   | May 2018       | LGBTQIA+ relationship, intended for very young children, normalizes pedophilia  |
| Tea Dragon Society by Katie O'Neill  | 2-6    | 7+    | October 2017   | critical theories, gender ideology, intended for very young children  |
| Tell Me Again How a Crush Should Feel by<br>Sara Farizan   | 9-12   | 14-18 | August 2014    | LGBTQIA+  |
| Tell Me How You Really Feel by Aminda<br>Mae Safi  | 10-12  | 13-18 | June 2019      | LGBTQIA+  |
| Thanks A Lot, Universe by Chad Lucas   | 5-9    | 10-14 | May 2021       | LGBTQIA+, bullying, suicide, mental illness, prison   |
| The 57 Bus by Dashka Slater  | 7-9    | 12-18 | October 2017   | *see note   |
| The Best at It by Maulik Pancholy  | 3-7    | 8-12  | October 2019   | LGBTQIA+  |
| The Best Man by Richard Peck   | 4-7    | 6+    | February 2016  | LGBTQIA+ relationship, undermines parents, same sex marriage, intended for young children   |
| The Black Flamingo by Dean Atta  | 9-12   | 14-17 | August 2019    | LGBTQIA+, CRT, drag   |
| The Bluest Eye by Toni Morrison  |        |       | 1970, 2007     | graphic depictions of sex, child rape, molestation and violence. Contains vulgarity and mature themes. Often assigned in high school English classes.   |
| The Circus Rose by Betsy Cornewell   | 7-9    | 12+   | June 2020      | LGBTQIA+ relationship, transgenderism, gender ideology  |
| The Contradictions by Sophie Yanow   |        | 16+   | September 2020 | queer theory, feminist theory, LGBTQIA+ relationship, shoplifting, veganism, anarchism  |
| The Every Body Book: The LGBTQ+ Inclusive<br>Guide for Kids about Sex, Gender, Bodies, &<br>Families by Rachel Simon | 2-3    | 8-11  | June 2020      | Undermines & vilifies parents, LGBTQIA+, transgenderism, factually inaccurate science, intended for "birth through 11", transitioning children as young as 4yo, undermines religion, says "sex ed should begin at birth."   |
| The Family Fletcher Takes Rock Island by Dana Alison Levy  | 4-7    | 6-11  | May 2016       | Same-sex parenting, same-sex marriage, LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| The Fighting Infantryman by Rob Sanders  | K-4    | 6-9   | June 2020      | Implies, with no evidence, that a real civil war soldier named Albert D.J. Cashier was transgender, in other words, a woman. Queer theory, transgender ideology.  |
| The Freedom Writer's Diary by The Freedom Writers and Erin Gruwell   |        |       | 2019           | Sexual talk, language, violence, abuse, drug use, other mature topics. Often used in high school English classes. Originally published in 1999, reissued as 20 <sup>th</sup> -anniversary edition with additional material. |
| The Girl from The Sea by Molly Knox<br>Ostertag; Color by Maarta Laiho   | 7+     | 11+   | February 2020  | LGBTQIA+ relationship, sexual content   |

| The Girls are Never Gone by Sarah Glenn     | 7-9    | 12-17 | January 2021   | queer theory, LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
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| Marsh The Cirls I've Room by Toss Sharms    |        | 12.10 | January 2021   | guage theory I CRTOIA i relationship  |
| The Girls I've Been by Tess Sharpe          | 2.7    | 12-18 | January 2021   | queer theory, LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| The Golden Hour by Niki Smith               | 3-7    | 8-12  | January 2021   | school shooting, PTSD, LGBTQIA+, trauma                                     |
| The Gravity of Us by Phil Stamper           | 7-9    | 13-17 | February 2020  | LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| The Handmaid's Tale by Margaret Atwood      |        | 14-18 | March 1998     | profanity, violence, sexual activities, self-harm, suicide                  |
| The Handmaid's Tale (Graphic Novel) by      |        |       | March 2019     | explicit sexual activities, sexual nudity, explicit violence                |
| Margaret Atwood and Renee Nault             |        |       |                |   |
| The Hazards of Love (graphic novel series)  |        |       | March 2021     | queer theory, LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| by Stan Stanley                             |        |       |                |   |
| The Henna Wars by Adiba Jaigirdar           | 10-12  | 14-17 | May 2020       | queer theory, LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| The Infinite Noise by Lauren Shippen        | 7-9    | 13-17 | September 2019 | LGBTQIA+ relationship, self-harm, undermines parents                        |
| The Insiders by Mark Oshiro                 | 3-7    | 8-12  | September 2021 | LGBTQIA+, bullying  |
| The Key to You and Me by Jaye Robin         | 9-12   | 14-17 | April 2021     | queer theory, LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| Brown                                       |        |       |                |   |
| The List of Things that Will Not Change by  | 3-7    | 8-12  | April 2020     | divorce, same-sex remarriage, same-sex parenting                            |
| Rebecca Stead                               |        |       |                |   |
| The Love & Lies of Rukhsana Ali by Sabina   | 9+     | 14+   | April 2020     | LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| Khan  |        |       |                |   |
| The Lucky List by Rachael Lippincott        | 7-9    | 12+   | June 2021      | LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| The Magic Fish by Trung Le Nguyen           | 7-9    | 12+   | October 2020   | LGBTQIA+ relationship, queer theory   |
| The Misadventures of the Family Fletcher by | 4-7    | 9-12  | October 2020   | LGBTQIA+ relationship, same-sex marriage, same-sex parenting                |
| Dana Alison Levy                            |        |       |                |   |
| The Music of What Happens by Bill           | 9-12   | 14+   | February 2019  | LGBTQIA+ relationship, addiction  |
| Konigsberg                                  |        |       |                |   |
| The Other Boy by M.G. Hennessey             | 3-7    | 8-12  | September 2016 | transgender ideology, queer theory  |
| The Pants Project by Cat Clarke             | 4-9    | 9-13  | March 2017     | transgender ideology, queer theory  |
| The Perks of Being a Wallflower             | 9-12   | 13+   | February 1999  | sex acts and mature sexual themes, LGBTQIA+ relationship, abortion, sexual  |
|   |        |       |                | abuse, alcohol/drug abuse. "Cult classic" book, has recently been reissued. |
| The Stars and the Blackness Between Them    | 9-12   | 14-17 | September 2019 | LGBTQIA+ relationship, queer theory, undermines parents, undermines         |
| by Junauda Petrus                           |        |       |                | religion, CRT   |
| The Weight of the Stars by K. Ancrum        | 10-12  | 14-18 | March 2019     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, polyamory  |
| The You I've Never Known by Ellen Hopkins   | 9-12   | 14+   | January 2017   | LGBTQIA+, abuse, kidnapping   |
| This Day in June by Gayle E. Pitman         | PreK-3 | 4-8   | May 2014       | depicts pride parade with drag queens and adults in bondage gear, written   |
| , ,   |        |       |                | for very young children   |
| They Both Die at the End by Adam Silvera    | 9-12   | 14-17 | September 2017 | LGBTQIA+ relationship, queer theory   |

| This Book is Gay by Juno Dawson                                    | 8-12   | 14-17 | September 2021 | sexual manual for LGBTQIA+ teens including how to have sex, how to access hook-up apps, graphic descriptions of sexual acts, disrespectful of religion, normalizes promiscuity |
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| <i>This Would Make a Good Story Someday</i> by Dana Alison Levy    | 4-7    | 9-12  | May 2017       | Queer theory, same-sex marriage & parenting, LGBTQIA+ relationship   |
| Tiger Honor by Yoon Ha Lee   | 3-7    | 8-12  | January 2022   | queer theory   |
| Tilt by Ellen Hopkins  | 9-12   | 14+   | February 2014  | graphic sex, drug use, profanity, sexual assault   |
| <i>Today, Tonight, Tomorrow</i> by Rachel Lynn<br>Solomon          | 7-9    | 12+   | June 2021      | strong vulgarity, Progressive social agenda is pushed throughout the book, sex scene and discussions of sexuality  |
| To Night Owl From Dogfish by Holly<br>Goldberg Sloan & Meg Wolizer | 5-6    | 9-12  | February 2019  | same-sex parenting, surrogacy, LGBTQIA+ relationship, normalizes young child being approached online by a stranger   |
| Too Bright to See by Kyle Lukoff                                   | 5-6    | 10-12 | April 2021     | transgender ideology, targeted at very young children  |
| Transgender People by Tamara Thompson                              | 10-12  | 14-17 | March 2015     | transgender ideology, queer theory, critical theories  |
| Two Boys Kissing by David Levithan                                 | 9+     | 14-17 | October 2013   | LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| Uncle Bobby's Wedding by Sarah S. Brannen                          |        | 3-5   | September 2008 | LGBTQIA+ relationship, same-sex marriage, same-sex parenting   |
| Understanding Gender Identity by Don<br>Nardo                      | 7-9    | 12-17 | June 2021      | queer theory, transgenderism, critical theories  |
| Verona Comics by Jennifer Dugan                                    | 7-9    | 12-17 | April 2020     | LGBTQIA+ relationship, queer theory, transgender ideology, undermines parents  |
| Wayward Witch by Zoraida Cordova                                   | 8-12   | 14-18 | January 2019   | LGBTQIA+ relationship, queer theory  |
| We are Lost and Found by Helene Dunbar                             | 8-12   | 14-17 | September 2019 | LGBTQIA+, AIDS, encourages teen sex  |
| We are Not Broken by George M. Johnson                             | 9+     | 14+   | September 2021 | LGBTQIA+   |
| We Used to be Friends by Amy Spalding                              | 9+     | 14+   | January 2020   | LGBTQIA+ relationship, teen sex, divorce, underage drinking, drug use  |
| What Girls are Made of by Elana K. Arnold                          | 9-12   | 14-17 | January 2020   | explicit descriptions of sex acts and masturbation, vulgarity, abortion  |
| What if it's Us by Becky Albertalli & Adam Silvera                 | 9-12   | 14-17 | August 2018    | LGBTQIA+ relationship, CRT   |
| What Was Stonewall? by Nico Medina                                 | 3-7    | 8-12  | January 2019   | LGBTQIA+, critical theories  |
| When Aidan Became a Brother by Kyle<br>Lukoff                      | PreK-3 | 5-6   | January 2019   | transgender ideology, child transitioning, marketed for very young children  |
| When You Look out the Window by Gayle Pitman                       | PreK-4 | 4-8   | May 2017       | LGBTQIA+, queer theory   |
| Where We Go From Here by Lucas Rocha; translated by Larissa Helena | 9-12   | 14+   | June 2020      | LGBTQIA+ relationship, HIV / AIDS  |
| What Makes a Baby? by Cory Silverberg                              | PreK-2 | 2-5   | May 2013       | gender-neutral discussion of pregnancy ("some people have a uterus"), no mention of male and female  |
| Who Was Harvey Milk? by Corinne Grinapol                           | 3-7    | 8-12  | January 2020   | LGBTQIA+, critical theories  |
| With You all the Way by Cynthia Hand                               | 8-9    | 12-17 | Marcy, 2021    | Sex and losing virginity is main theme of book. Sexual dialogue.   |

| You Be You! The Kid's Guide to Gender,   | 4-6  | 7-11  | July 2019   | Gender ideology, queer theory, critical theories, gender transitioning of  |
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| Sexuality, & Family by Jonathan Branfman   |      |       |             | children, scientifically inaccurate & graphic drawings, polyamory, marketed for children 5 and up.   |
| You Know, Sex by Cory Silverberg   | 5-9  | 10-14 | April 2022  | Illustrations and discussion related to sex acts, masturbation, virginity, pornography, gender ideologies, sex work. Excessively mature for targeted age group.  |
| You Should See Me in a Crown by Leah<br>Johnson  | 7-12 | 12-18 | June 2020   | LGBTQIA+ relationship  |
| You're Next by Kylie Schachte  | 9+   | 14-17 | June 2020   | LGBTQIA+ relationship, violence, murder, graphic language  |
| Your Rights as an LGBTQ+ Teen by Barbra<br>Penne & Patrick Renehan   | 7-9  | 12-17 | July 2017   | LGBTQIA+   |
| Ziggy, Stardust, & Me by James Brandon   | 7-9  | 12-17 | August 2019 | LGBTQIA+ relationship, alcoholism, abuse   |
| *The 57 Bus tells an important story, but it does so, poorly. In 2013 Sasha Fleishman, a young man dressed as a woman was riding the 57 bus to Oakland, CA. As he slept, some other teenage boys mocked him. One of the boys took out a lighter and held it to Sasha's skirt, which immediately went up in flames, inflicting 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> -degree burns on Sasha's legs. Rather than telling the story as an admonishment to treat all |      |       |             | Please Note: This list does not represent a comprehensive list of titles containing objectionable or mature material. Parents should assume that any title being made available to students either in school or to bring home may contain objectionable material and review the material accordingly.  If you find objectionable material in a book, not on this list, and that book is being made available to minors, please send the title and description of the content to <a href="mailto:jess@mafamily.org">jess@mafamily.org</a> for consideration of addition to this list. |
| people with dignity as image bearers of<br>God, "The 57 Bus" is instead, rife with queer<br>theory, CRT, transgender ideology, and   |      |       |             | For more information on these titles and others, visit the following websites:  Rated Books: <a href="https://www.ratedbooks.org/">https://www.ratedbooks.org/</a>   |
| social justice language.   |      |       |             | Book Looks: booklooks.org  |