

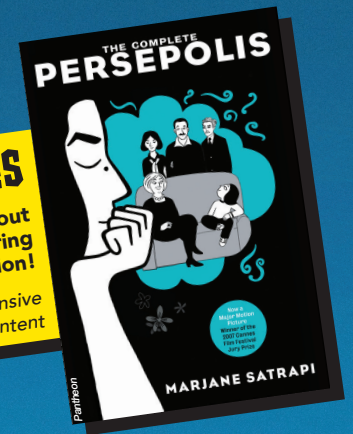
10 BANNED COMICS FOR SUMMER READING!

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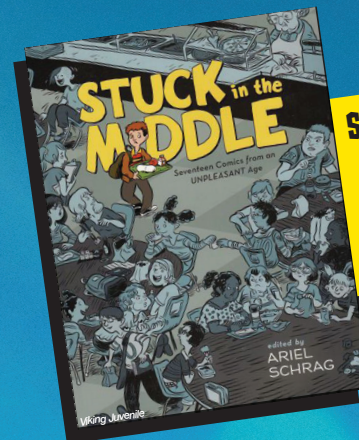
Summer is here, so it's time to stock up on comics! Visit your local comic book shop or library to get these amazing banned and challenged titles!



MANGAMAN
An unconventional love story and mash-up of manga and Western comics!
Challenged for: pixelated genitals



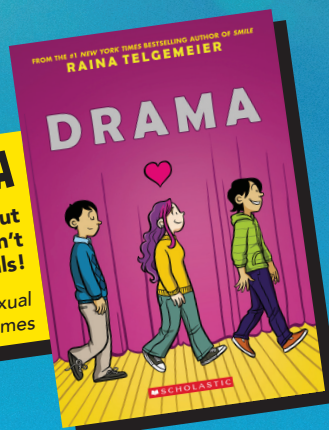
PERSEPOLIS
Acclaimed memoir about coming of age during Iran's Islamic Revolution!
Challenged for: offensive language, violent content



STUCK IN THE MIDDLE
Seventeen stories from an unpleasant age by the biggest names in comics!
Challenged for: language, adult themes



BAREFOOT GEN
A poignant manga history of the Hiroshima bombing and its aftermath!
Challenged for: violence, discrimination

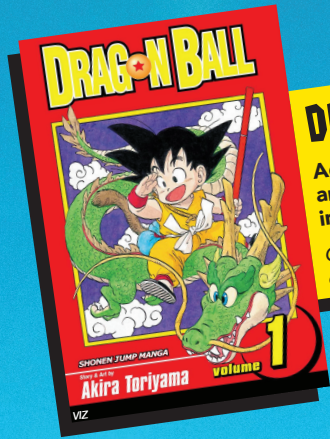


DRAMA
Callie loves theater, but middle school drama isn't limited to school musicals!
Challenged for: sexual content, LGBTQIA themes

SWORD ART ONLINE
A worldwide phenomenon with more than 20 million copies in print!
Challenged for: language, inappropriate images



THE GRAVEYARD BOOK
The comic adaptation of the Newbery Medal-winning novel!
Challenged for: violent imagery



DRAGON BALL
Adventure, martial arts, and dragons, all in one international bestseller!
Challenged for: violent content, nudity



BONE
An all-ages fantasy featuring action, comedy, and an epic hero's quest!
Challenged for: promotion of smoking and drinking, racism

THIS ONE SUMMER
The first graphic novel shortlisted for the Caldecott Medal!
Challenged for: sexual content, unsuited to age group



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