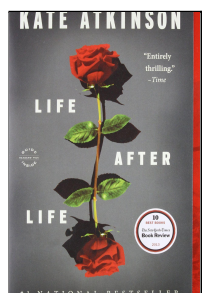


Rise to the Challenge Reading Program:

Read a book written by a woman

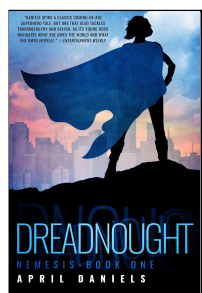
Below are recommendations for books written by women. Find one that sounds interesting and check it out!



[Life After Life](#)

by Kate Atkinson

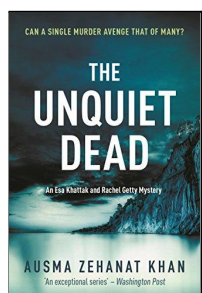
Descriptors: Death and Reincarnation; Time Loop; Melancholy; Alternate History



[Dreadnought](#)

by April Daniels

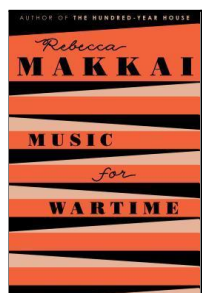
Descriptors: Superheroes; Gender Transition; Woman of Steel; Action-Packed



[The Unquiet Dead](#)

by Ausma Zehanat Khan

Descriptors: Police Procedural; Stylistically Complex; Bosnian War; Mystery

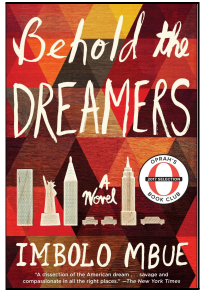


[Music for Wartime: Stories](#)

by Rebecca Makkai

Descriptors: Short Stories; Family History; Irony; Character-Driven

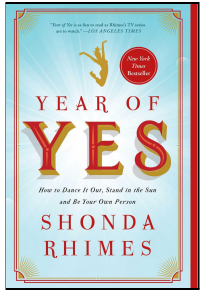




[Behold the Dreamers](#)

by Imbolo Mbue

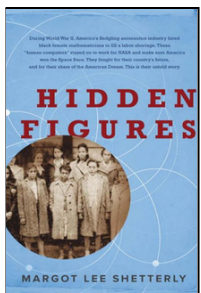
Descriptors: Recession; Immigrant Experiences; American Dream



[Year of Yes](#)

by Shonda Rhimes

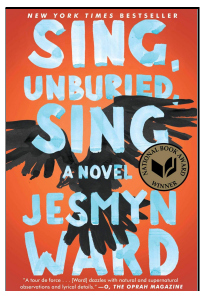
Descriptors: Memoir; Saying "Yes"; Life Transformation



[Hidden Figures: The American Dream and the Untold Story of the Black Women Mathematicians Who Helped Win the Space Race](#)

by Margot Lee Shetterly

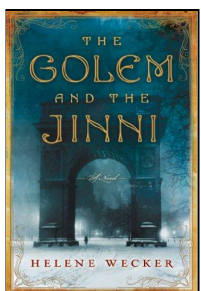
Descriptors: History Writing; Science Writing; NASA; Jim Crow Laws



[Sing, Unburied, Sing](#)

by Jesmyn Ward

Descriptors: Biracial Experiences; Incarceration; Mississippi; Magical Realism



[The Golem and the Jinni](#)

by Helene Wecker

Descriptors: Middle Eastern-Influenced Fantasy; Jewish-Influenced Fantasy; Historical

