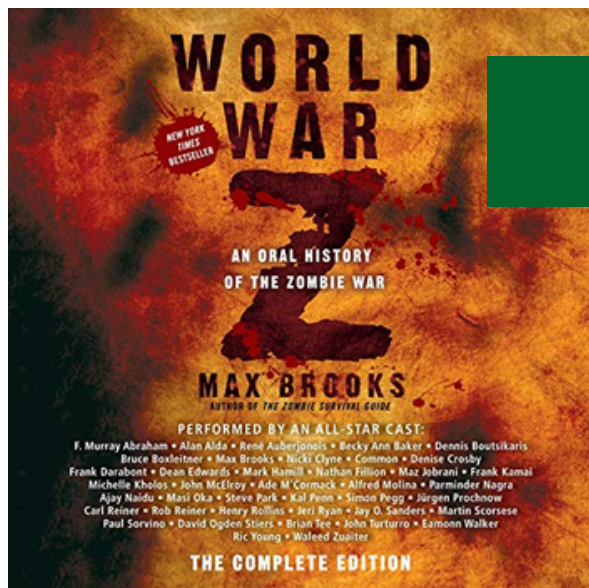




SELECTIONS

Monthly Adult Recommendations from the Staff at Deerfield Public Library



World War Z

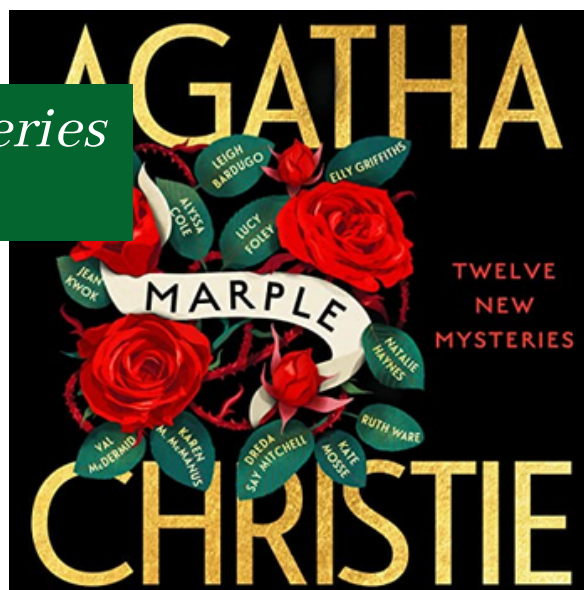
Max Brooks

This is my favorite audiobook of all time. It follows a series of interviews that take place after a fictional war with zombies. The actors they got to portray the characters are phenomenal. Listening to this is like listening to classic radio horror. ~Joseph G. (CW: gore, horror sequences)

Marple: Twelve New Mysteries

Agatha Christie

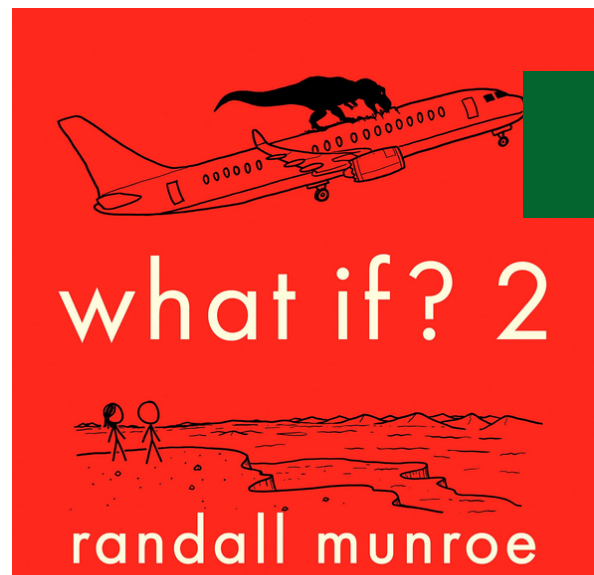
For any Agatha Christie fan, this is a must! Especially if you've missed reading new Miss Marple stories like me. Twelve different mystery writers bring Marple back to life in these various tales, all with their distinct styles. A fun read for anyone who enjoys a good mystery! ~Megan S.

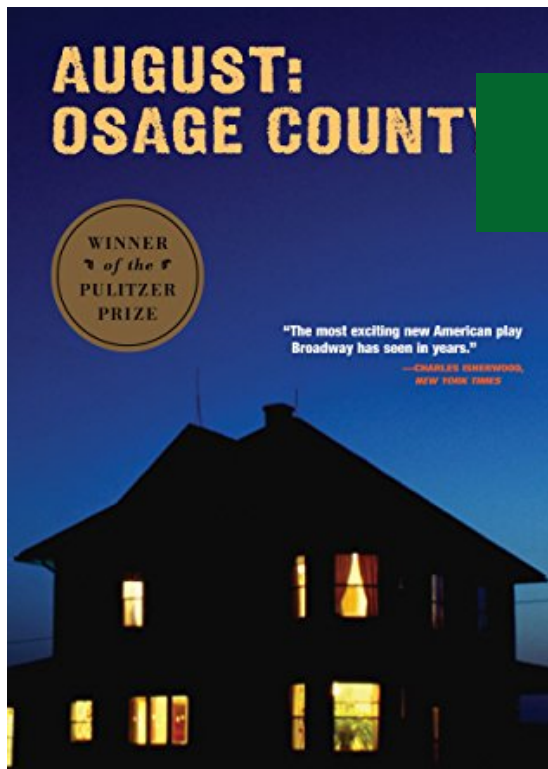


What If? 2

Randall Munroe

If you enjoy absurd questions answered using sarcastic comments, obscure physics, challenging math and stick drawing illustrations, you will enjoy this second What if? book. The author also writes the xkcd webcomic. ~ Pam S.





August: Osage County

Tracy Letts

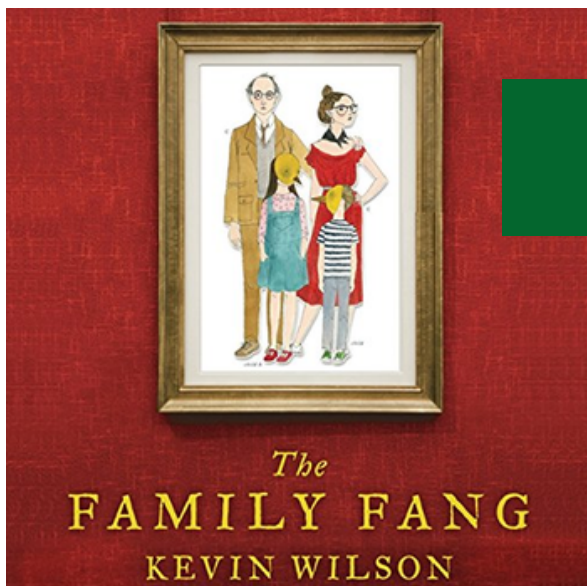
Pulitzer Prize Winner for Drama (2008), August: Osage County is one of the most critically acclaimed stage plays of the 21st century. This dysfunctional family's struggle to come to terms with themselves and the past will leave you haunted. Feature-length film also available. ~Nicole B. (CW: alcoholism, physical and emotional abuse.)



When Women Were Dragons

Kelly Barnhill

It's an alternative history in which hundreds of thousands of women turned into dragons and flew away one day in 1955, and in the aftermath no one talks about it. An unflinching analysis on the power that shame has to silence, but posits that curiosity is essential to change. ~Emily K.



The Family Fang

Kevin Wilson

I had so much fun reading this book. It gave me a broader sense of art at the time. ~Alice H.
(CW: gore)



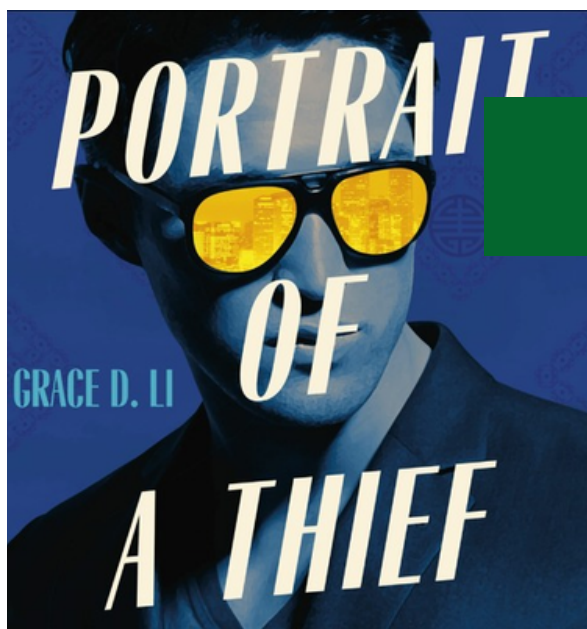
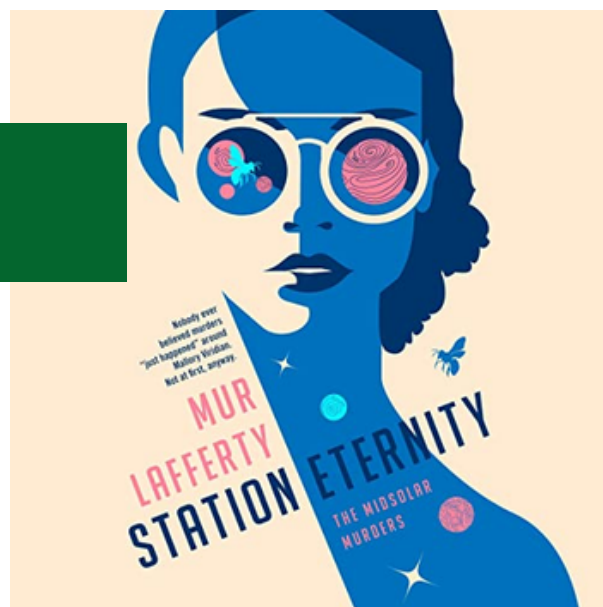
Atlanta

Atlanta is one of those series that has been around for a while and has gotten great critical acclaim. If you're looking for something new to watch this is a great series to discover. Each episode is a surreal journey. This show is both funny and weird but also has a message.
~Ted G. (CW: violence, drug use, sex)

Station Eternity

Mur Lafferty

A cozy mystery set in an alien spaceship? Count me in! People don't believe that people die around Mallory Viridian, but that's exactly what happens. She thought she was safe on Station Eternity, but when the station begins allowing human visitors, the murders come with them. ~ Anne J.



Portrait of a Thief

Grace Li

This is an entertaining adventure about a crew of college kids who plan a series of art heists in order to repatriate the art to China, but it also explores the serious issue of the history of looted and colonized art and the museums that continue to retain that art.
~Melissa S.