

World War II Fiction (12-18)



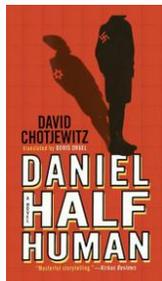
Homefront

By Doris Gwaltney
At the eve of WWII, Margaret tries to deal both with her obnoxious cousin Courtney and the realities of life on the homefront.



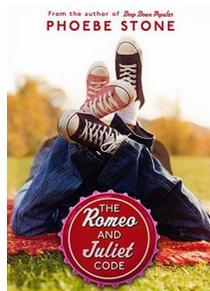
The Book Thief

By Markus Zusak
Death narrates a tale about a young girl who cannot resist stealing books while living in WWII-era Germany.



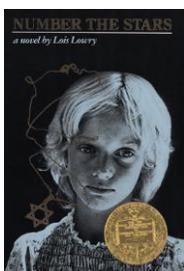
Daniel Half-Human and the Good Nazi

By David Chotjewitz
Daniel and his friend Armin are both enthusiastic about the Nazis' rise to power – until Daniel discovers his mother is Jewish throwing his life into jeopardy.



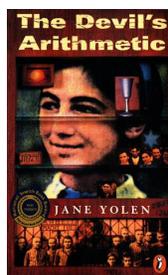
The Romeo and Juliet Code

By Phoebe Stone
Left with relatives during World War II, Felicity becomes determined to decipher the coded letters her parents have been sending to her uncle.



Number the Stars

By Lois Lowry
Annemarie, along with her family, risks everything to harbor her Jewish friend Ellen from the Germans in Nazi-occupied Denmark.



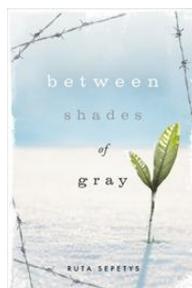
The Devil's Arithmetic

By Jane Yolen
Hannah Stern is transported back in time to a small Jewish village on the eve of World War II. When the Nazis arrive, no one will believe her warnings of what is to come.



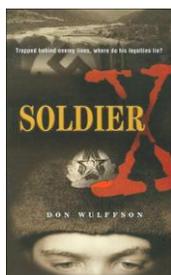
A Brief History of Montmaray

By Michelle Cooper
Along with her royal family, Sophie lives on the crumbling island kingdom of Montmaray. Then two Germans land on the island throwing them all in the path of danger.



Between Shades of Gray

By Ruta Sepetys
Lina and her family are rounded up one night and shipped away, along with all their neighbors. Finding themselves in one of Stalin's camps, they must fight to stay alive.



Soldier X

By Don Wulffson
Erik is sent to the Russian front to fight for the Germans where he soon finds his loyalty tested. To save himself after a bloody battle, Erik pretends to be Russian, which sends his life on a very different course.



Flygirl

By Sherri Smith
Ida Mae passes for white in order to join the Women's Airforce Service Pilots in WWII and pursue her dream of flying, but hiding her true heritage carries a heavy burden.