

Space Books

Young Adult

Space-focused sci-fi has been an overlooked subgenre in YA, so this includes some forthcoming books to round out your TBR list!

Across the Universe by Beth Revis

Defy the Stars by Claudia Gray

Zodiac by Romina Russell

Illuminae by Amie Kaufman and Jay Kristoff

Empress of a Thousand Skies by Rhoda Belleza

Starflight by Melissa Landers

Dare Mighty Things by Heather Kaczynski

Unearthed by Amie Kaufman and Meagan Spooner

Brightly Burning by Alexa Donne (out 5/1/18)

Sanctuary by Caryn Lix (out 7/24/18)

Ignite the Stars by Maura Milan (out 9/4/18)

The Disasters by M.K. England (out 12/18/18)

Adult

Some newer titles, some classics, and some that are yet to come.

The Long Way to a Small, Angry Planet
by Becky Chambers

Ninefox Gambit by Yoon Ha Lee

The Martian by Andy Weir

Binti by Nnedi Okorafor

Ancillary Justice by Ann Leckie

The Collapsing Empire by John Scalzi

The Stars Are Legion by Kameron Hurley

Vorkosigan Saga by Lois McMaster Bujold

Leviathan Wakes by James S.A. Corey

Foundation by Issac Asimov

Children of Time by Adrian Tchaikovsky

Foreigner by C.J. Cherryh

Planetside by Michael Mamma (out 7/31/2018)

Middle Grade & Kids

Another category where space-based sci-fi is way underrepresented, but what's out there is great!

Jupiter Pirates: Hunt for the Hydra by Jason Fry

Bounders: Earth Force Rising by Monica Tesler

Mars Evacuees by Sophia McDougall

Daniel Coldstar: the Relic War by Stel Pavlou

Last Day on Mars by Kevin Emerson

MinRS by Kevin Sylvester

George's Secret Key to the Universe
by Lucy & Stephen Hawking

Voyagers: Project Alpha by D.J. MacHale

The Planet Thieves by Dan Krokos

The Lost Planet by Rachel Searles

Cakes in Space by Philip Reeve & Sarah McIntyre

Picture Books

Not just for kids! Awesome for a quick read that'll leave you feeling full of spacey wonder and good feels.

Interstellar Cinderella by Deborah Underwood

If You Decide To Go To The Moon by Faith McNulty

Life on Mars by John Agee

Moonshot: The Flight of Apollo 11 by Brian Floca

Armstrong: The Adventurous Journey of a Mouse to
the Moon by Torben Kuhlmann

A Is for Astronaut: Exploring Space from A to Z by
Traci N. Todd & Sara Gillingham

The Three Little Aliens and the Big Bad
Robot by Margaret McNamara
& Mark Fearing

Here We Are: Notes for Living on Planet
Earth by Oliver Jeffers

Zathura by Chris Van Allsburg

Aliens in Underpants Save the World by
Claire Freedman and Ben Cort