



Moms for Liberty is dedicated to fighting for the survival of America by unifying, educating and empowering parents to defend their parental rights at all levels of government.

What started as a fight statewide to get our children out of masks and back into school has turned into so much more. The months of virtual at-home and hybrid school opened our eyes to some questionable things inside the school walls. After our children were back in school, parents were no longer allowed in, no in person conferences, no volunteering for school parties, Zoom PTO meetings- parents were essentially shut out under the safety of the “experts.”

Fortunately, a few moms were paying attention. When a syllabus came home with the required books to be read in class, they were shocked at the options provided- these books were full of explicit language, sexual and extremely mature content. If these books were part of the curriculum, what else did we not know about?

We realize books in our curriculum and libraries are a very small portion of the problem in public education. However, when speaking to many legislators, it is their belief that this is a singular and isolated problem found only in the metropolitan or large districts. As a tool, we have created a list of books that highlight some of the graphic and explicit materials our children have access to read. ***This is only a small sampling of what is in our schools.*** We covered as many districts statewide as we could, focusing on districts that have their catalog online.

Parents should have a say in what is available to our children within the school library and classrooms. We work hard to provide our children with specific morals and values, and feel strongly that they should come home from school with those morals and values intact.

Our group has been labeled “Book Banners”, which is patently false. We do not want to burn books or take them out of circulation. If a parent believes their child should have access to these materials, they can check them out at a public library or purchase it. We are simply asking that sexually explicit, vulgar, and/or obscene materials not be available within our public schools, where parents have diminished control of what their children can access or read.

Our journey has taken us statewide, but we have discovered a similar posture that exists in school boards and administrators across districts; that the school is the expert in the child’s education and its beliefs should be elevated and trusted over the parent. There has been a philosophical shift in the public school system where accountability & transparency has been removed and parents are no longer part of the equation. We need to fix this immediately! Parents have ultimate authority over their children, and we are taking back control of our children’s education.

BOOK of BOOKs Sampling

The following pages contain QR codes for books that were rated 3, 4, or 5 using the ratedbook.org site. You can use the camera on your phone to scan the QR code and it will take you to the details for the book listed. This is not an all-inclusive list of books of content with concerns. As parents are made aware of books and reviews are done, the list continues to grow.

OUR GOAL:

- To provide a sampling of books found in libraries across the state of Iowa to demonstrate it is not an issue that is isolated to the bigger metro area school districts. The books on this list were found in libraries in Iowa Schools.
- Highlight and allow you to see the sexually explicit/obscene content our children are exposed to.

The criteria for the Content-Based Rating system:

CONTENT BASED RATING					
0	1	2	3	4	5
For Everyone Content is appropriate for all ages	Child Guidance Some Content may not be appropriate for very young children	Teen Guidance Some content may not be appropriate for children under 13.	Minor Restricted Under 18 requires guidance of parent or guardian	No Minors Adult content. No child under 18.	Aberrant Content Adult only.
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mild Inexplicit Violence• No Hate• No Nudity• No Profanity• No References to Sexuality, Gender Ideologies, nor Sexual Activities• No Drug or Alcohol Use	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mild Violence• Mild/Infrequent Profanity• Mild/Infrequent Hate• Non-Sexual Nudity/excluding genitalia• No References to Sexual Activities• No Drug or Alcohol Use• Inexplicit Sexuality• Inexplicit Gender Ideologies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Moderate Violence• Moderate Hate• Moderate Profanity• Non-Sexual Nudity including genitalia• Inexplicit Sexual Nudity/Sexual Activities• Drug or Alcohol Use• Explicit Sexuality• Explicit Gender Ideologies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Excessive/Explicit Violence• Extreme/Frequent Hate• Excessive/Frequent Profanity• Sexual Nudity• References to Sexual Activities (NOT involving penetration, cunnilingus, fellatio, or ejaculation)• Drug or Alcohol Abuse	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Explicit Sexual Nudity (depictions of sexual organs in a state of arousal)• Obscene References to Sexual Activities (involving anal, oral, or vaginal intercourse, fingering, anilingus, or ejaculation)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Explicit References to Aberrant Sexual Activities (sexual assault/battery, bestiality, or sadomasochistic abuse)

Please visit ratedbooks.org to learn more and to search for additional books. (<https://www.ratedbooks.org/>)

Ratedbooks.org



If you would like to check a specific school library catalog in your district visit:

<https://www.gofollett.com/>

gofollett.com



***If you would like to know if any of the books we have investigated are in your schools, please email moms4libertypolkcounty@gmail.com.

GENDER QUEER



Adult Graphic Novel

Summary of Concerns:

This book contains obscene sexual activities and sexual nudity; alternate gender ideologies; and profanity.

By Maia Kobabe

ISBN: 978-1-713-70105-7



In searching a sampling of schools across Iowa, Gender Queer was found in the following schools. *

Valley High School (in classroom)	Cedar Falls HS	Linn Mar
Valley Southwoods	Urbandale	Carlisle
Thomas Jefferson HS Council Bluffs	Keokuk Senior High	Davenport Central
Dubuque High School		

This book was appealed to the Iowa Department of Education.

Challenged in Carlisle and West Des Moines, Boards ruled to retain the book unrestricted.

The following pages are a sample of the content, to see the full report, scan the QR Code.



*List of schools searched can be found in the appendix.

HIDING MY PERIOD BECAME
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT TO ME.
FOR TWO ENTIRE SCHOOL YEARS I SUCCESSFULLY
AVOIDED EVER USING A SCHOOL BATHROOM.

I'd often wear the same
pad for so long that the
dried blood turned to
dark crumbles

resembling
coffee
grounds.

TO THIS DAY A HUGE NUMBER OF MY
NIGHTMARES INVOLVE MENSTRUAL BLOOD.

I'll feel the familiar
sensation of hot blood
gushing from my body-

!!!
...

When I make it to the
bathroom I'll find my
legs smeared with blood
from waist to knees.



OF COURSE I NEVER HAVE A PAD OR CLEAN CLOTHES.



Often
I'm in a
bathroom
with no
stall doors.



Or the only
available toilet
is overflowing
with a soup of
blood and shit.



Or I'll
find a room
full of clean
toilets but
with no
privacy barriers
between them at all.



WHEN I FINALLY GOT OLD ENOUGH
TO NOT BE EMBARRASSED TALKING
ABOUT THIS STUFF WITH MY SISTER

It really never occurred to you to put something into
your vagina, not even a finger?

It really didn't.

So you've never tasted yourself?

What? NO! EW!

WAIT—
you have?

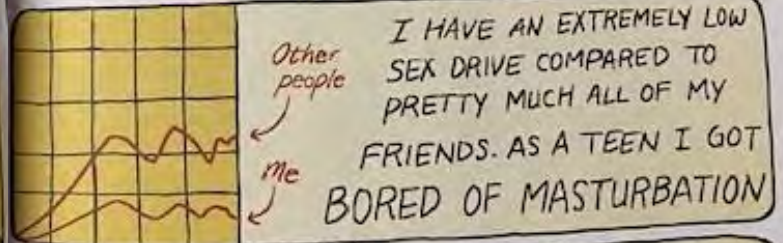
HAHA, of course!
You should try.

AND
SO:

Vagina
slime
↓



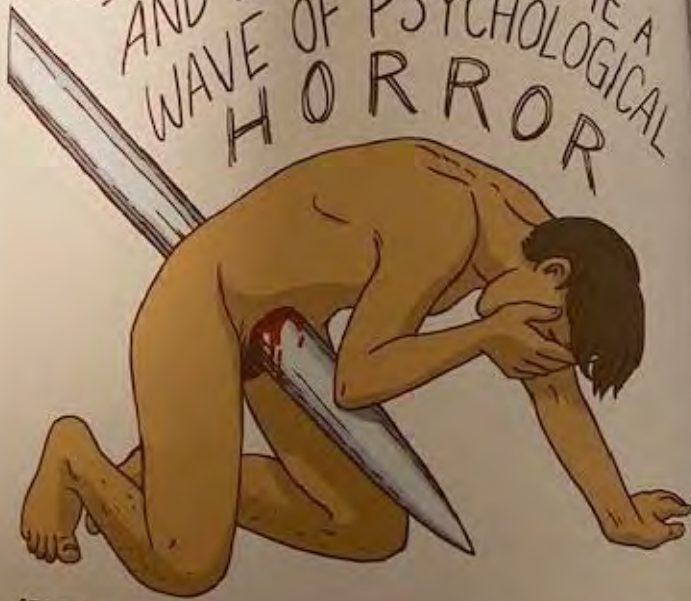
NOPE! CAN'T DO
IT! I REFUSE!



SO I QUIT FOR
SIX MONTHS.



AS IF I FELT
BEEN STABBED
THROUGH MY
ENTIRE
BODY AND WITH THIS CAME A
WAVE OF PSYCHOLOGICAL
HORROR



AT THE REALIZATION THAT THINGS CAN
GO INSIDE MY BODY

OF COURSE I ALREADY
KNEW THIS FACT INTELLECTUALLY;

embodied

KNOWLEDGE IS
AN ENTIRELY
DIFFERENT
MATTER.



WHAT MY BODY
TOLD ME WAS THAT THIS
INTRUSION OF THE OUTSIDE
WORLD INTO MY INTERNAL PHYSICAL
BEING WAS WRONG ON A LEVEL
TOO DEEP FOR WORDS.

ALISON BECHDEL WRITES IN FUN HOME
ABOUT DISCOVERING MASTURBATION SOON
AFTER HER FIRST PERIOD (PAGE 170).



I DISCOVERED IT AT AROUND THE SAME AGE,
FOLLOWED BY THE FURTHER REALIZATION THAT MY
ABILITY TO BECOME AROUSED WAS GOVERNED BY
A STRICT LAW OF DIMINISHING RETURNS.



THE MORE I HAD TO INTERACT WITH MY GENITALS
THE LESS LIKELY I WAS TO REACH A POINT OF ANY
SATISFACTION. THE BEST FANTASY WAS ONE THAT
DIDN'T REQUIRE ANY PHYSICAL TOUCH AT ALL.





PUSH



Adult

By Sapphire

ISBN: 9780679766759

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978-0-329-44441-9



Book Summary:

A brutally sexually abused teenager's life circumstances change when a new mother introduces her to the world.

Summary of Concerns:

This book has explicit sexual activities including incest, child molestation, sexual nudity, violence, profanity and derogatory terms; controversial issues; commentary; drug use; and violence including self-harm.



Profanity	Count
Ass	31
Bitch	47
Cracker	11
Cunt	3
Dick	9
Faggot	5
Fuck	83
Nigger	22
Piss	2
Pussy	18
Put a	4
Shit	79

In searching a sampling of schools across Iowa, Push was found in the following schools. *

Valley High School	Cedar Falls HS	Linn Mar
Iowa City High	Iowa City West	Carlisle
BCLUW High School	Urbandale	CR Washington

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Push

By Sapphire

My clit swell up think Daddy. Daddy sick me, disgust me, but still he sex me up. I nawshus in my stomach but hot tight in my twat and I think I want it back, the smell of the bedroom, the hurt- he slap my face till it sting and my ears sing separate songs from each other, call me names, pump my pussy in out in out in out awww I come. He bite me hard. A hump! A hump! He slam his hips into me HARD. I scream pain he come. He slap my thighs like cowboys do horses on TV. Shiver. Orgasm in me, his body shaking, grab me, call me Fat Mama, Big Hole! You LOVE it! Say you love it! I wanna say I DON'T. I wanna say I'm a chile. But my pussy popping like grease in frying pan. He slam in me again. His dick soft. He start sucking my tittie.

-PAGE 127

I don't fucks boyz but I'm pregnant. My fahver fuck me. And she know it. She kick me in my head when I'm pregnant. ...I think my daddy. He stink, the white shit drip off his dick. Lick it lick it. I HATE that. But then I feel the hot sauce hot cha cha feeling when he be fucking me. I get so confuse. I HATE him. But my pussy be popping. He say that, "Bif Mama your pussy is popping!" I hate myself when I feel good.

-PAGE 72

"Carl got my tittie in hi mouf. Nuffin' wron wif that, it's natural. But I think thas the day IT start. I don't never remember noting before that. I hot. He sucking my tittie. My eyes closed. I know he getting hard I can see wifout my eyes, I love him so much."

..."So he on me. Then he reach over to Precious! Start wif his finger between her legs. I say Car what you doing! He say shut your big ass up! This is good for her. Then he git off me, take off her Pampers and try to stick his thing in Precious. You what trip me out is it almost can go in Precious! I think she some kinda freak baby then. I say stop Carl stop! I want him on me! I never wanted him to hurt her. I didn't want him doing anything to her. I wanted my man for myself. Sex me up, not my chile. So you cain't blame all that shit happen to Precious on me. I love Carl, I love him. He her daddy, but he was my man!"

-PAGE 152

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/5

Aberrant Content
BookLooks Review Rating

THE HANDMAID'S TALE: THE GRAPHIC NOVEL



Young Adult Graphic Novel

By Margaret Atwood adapted by Renee Nault

ISBN: 9780385544856



Book Summary:

Young women are used by the totalitarian State for procreation and other menial jobs.

Summary of Concerns:

This book contains alcohol use; explicit sexual activities; sexual nudity; mild profanity; explicit violence; and inflammatory gender ideologies.



In searching a sampling of schools across Iowa, The Handmaid's Tale and/or The Handmaid's Tale – Graphic Novel was found in the following schools. *

Valley Southwood	Johnston	Carlisle
Valley HS	Dallas Center Grimes	Pleasant Valley HS
Van Meter	Iowa City High	Davis County HS
Linn Mar	Iowa City West	Fairfield HS
Spirit Lake	Winterset HS	Mt. Pleasant HS
North Tama Secondary	South Tama High School	Waukee High School
Dubuque HS	CR Washington	Waukee Northwest
West Liberty HS	Thomas Jefferson Council Bluffs	Keokuk HS
Central HS - Davenport		

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Page	Content
33	<p>It doesn't matter if we look. We're supposed to look: this is what they are there for, hanging on the wall.</p> <p>Sometimes they'll be there for days, until there's a new batch, so as many people as possible will have the chance to see them.</p> <p>The illustration on this page depicts a group of six individuals hanging in the air by their necks, at various heights. The bodies are suspended above a sidewalk in front of a gray stone wall. All of the individuals are wearing long white coats. Four of them have signs on their chests with an illustration of a fetus in silhouette.</p>
34	<p>They were doctors, then. These men, we've been told, have committed atrocities, and must be made into examples. It's no excuse that what they did was legal at the time.</p> <p>What we are supposed to feel towards these bodies is hatred and scorn.</p> <p>What I feel towards them is blankness.</p> <p>What I feel is that I must not feel.</p> <p>What I feel is partly relief, because none of these men is Luke.</p> <p>"Ordinary is what you are used to. This may not seem ordinary to you now, but after a time it will. It will become ordinary."</p> <p>The illustration on the left of the page depicts a zoomed in view of two individuals with cloths over their heads, hanging by a noose around their necks. They have long white coats on and signs around their necks with illustrations of fetuses in silhouette.</p> <p>The illustration on the upper right of the page depicts a zoomed in view of a head with a cloth over its head and a noose around the neck. The cloth is stained with blood where the individual's mouth would be.</p>
37	<p>"Let's go for a beer."</p> <p>..."Sure, you could do that. Or we could just go get drunk- I know which I'd pick..."</p>
41	<p>The doctor will never see my face. He deals with a torso only.</p> <p>He isn't supposed to speak to me except when it's absolutely necessary.</p> <p>The illustration on the middle of the page depicts a woman, covered with a pink blanket. Her legs are resting on stirrups and there is a curtain in front of her face.</p>
42	<p>"Open up now honey."</p> <p>..."I could help you."</p> <p>"What?"</p> <p>"Shh. I could help you. I've helped others."</p> <p>"Help me how?"</p> <p>"How do you think?"</p> <p>The illustration on the top of the page depicts the same woman as described above. A male doctor is pulling the pink blanket up.</p> <p>An illustration on the middle right of the page depicts a gloved hand grasping an exposed breast.</p>

Page	Content
	<p>The illustration on the bottom of the page depicts the woman described above from a bird's-eye view. Her breasts are exposed, and the pink blanket is pulled up to her pelvis. The doctor is standing between her thighs, leaning into her pelvis.</p>
43	<p>"The door's locked. No one will come in. They'll never know it isn't his. Most of those old guys can't make it anymore. Or they're sterile."</p> <p>He's said a forbidden word. Sterile. There's no such thing as a sterile man anymore, not officially. There are only women who are fruitful and women who are barren, that's the law.</p> <p>"Lots of women do it. You want a baby, don't you?"</p> <p>"Yes."</p> <p>Give me children or else I die.</p> <p>There's more than one meaning to it.</p> <p>"You're soft. It's time. Today or tomorrow would do it, why waste it? It'll only take a minute, honey. I hate to see what they put you through."</p> <p>"It's too dangerous. No, I can't."</p> <p>The penalty is death.</p> <p>"Think about it. I've seen your chart. Third posting, isn't it? You don't have a lot of time left. But it's your life."</p> <p>An illustration on the middle right of the page depicts a gloved hand on the upper thigh of the woman described above.</p> <p>The illustration on the bottom of the page depicts the same woman described above, in the background, behind a zoomed in view of the doctor's mouth and torso. He is removing a glove from his left hand. The woman's buttocks are exposed with her feet still resting on the stirrups.</p>
44	<p>There are three new bodies on the Wall. One is a priest, still wearing the black cassock. The two others have purple placards hung around their necks: Gender treachery. Their bodies still wear the Guardian uniforms. Caught together, they must have been.</p> <p>The illustration on the top of the page depicts two women wearing red gown, walking underneath three individuals hanging above them.</p>
62	<p>"I committed abortion. I was raped. I was fourteen. A group of men..."</p> <p>"But whose fault was it?"</p> <p>The other women sitting at desks are saying, "HER FAULT, HER FAULT, HER FAULT."</p> <p>"Who led them on?"</p> <p>The other women sitting at desks are saying, "SHE DID, SHE DID, SHE DID."</p>
74	<p>They took her into the room that used to be the Science Lab. It was a room where none of us ever went willingly.</p> <p>Afterwards she could not walk for a week, her feet wouldn't fit into her shoes, they were too swollen.</p> <p>It was the feet they'd do, for a first offense. They used steel cables, frayed at the ends. After that the hands. They didn't care what they did to your feet and hands, even if it was permanent.</p>

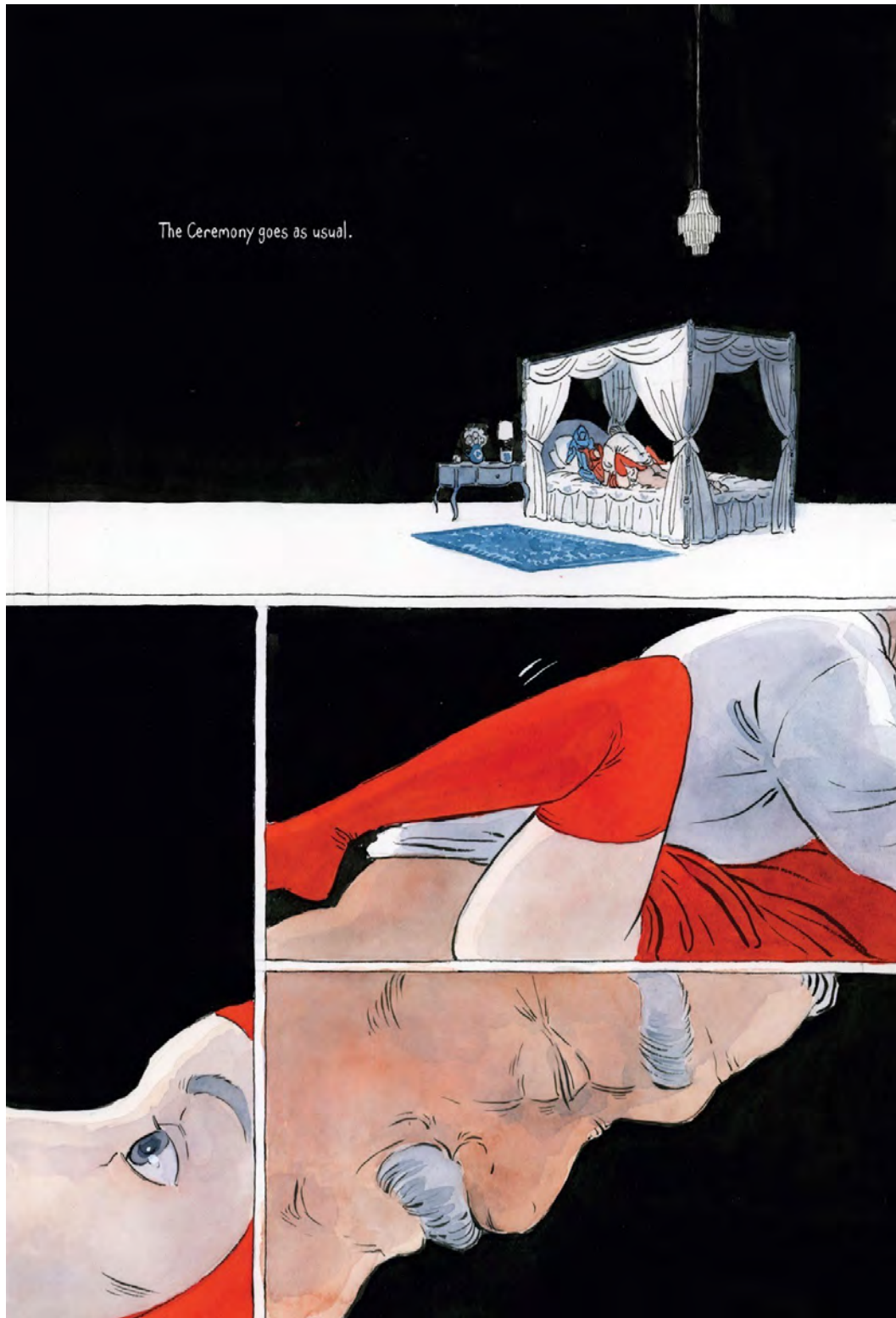


Figure 1



Figure 2



Figure 3



Figure 4



Figure 5

TRICKS



Young Adult

By Ellen Hopkins

ISBN: 1-41695007-9



Summary of Concerns:

This book contains explicit sexual activities including child rape and abuse; drug abuse; violence; alcohol use; and adult and child prostitution.

Other books rated a 5 or a 4 on BookLooks.org by this author include:

- Triangles
- A Sin Such as This
- Crank
- Identical
- Perfect
- People Who Kill
- Tilt

Profanity	Count
Blitch	6
Dick	1
Fuck	15
Motherfucker	1
Ass	4
Shit	5

5 /5

Aberrant Content
BookLooks.org Review Rating

In searching a sampling of schools across Iowa, Tricks was found in the following schools. *

Valley Southwood	Valley High School	Cedar Falls HS	Dubuque HS
Carroll	Linn Mar	Spirit Lake	East Buchanan MS/HS
Johnston	Urbandale	Dallas Center Grimes	Williamsburg
Iowa City High	Iowa City West	Carlisle	Green Mtn High School
Clarion-Goldfield-Dows	Fairfield HS	Cardinal Eldon	North Tama Secondary
Eldora High School	BCLUW High School	Waukee Northwest	Thomas Jefferson – Council Bluffs
Keokuk High School	Oskaloosa High School	Waverly High School	Davenport Central

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His arms wrap around me, and his rough hands go straight to my boobs. I try to knock them away but am no match for his strength. You like it rough? 'Cause I'm just the guy to give it that way No extra charge....He's on me, yanking my hair, pushing me to my knees. He flips me over. You're even prettier from behind, know that? I hear his zipper lower. It is the loudest sound ever. ...He yanks down my shorts in a single swift motion. He is on me. In me humiliating me in every possible way, right here on the kitchen floor As promised, he is rough. Biting. Pounding. Shredding. Ripping. "Please?" The word bounces off him, ping pongs weakly in my ears. Trying to fight him only fuels him... I've been sold. And just who would sell me? The answer is all too obvious: Iris. My mother And as he finishes, all sticky and stinking and revolting... -page 323

Tricks by Ellen Hopkins

Dan will pay extra to go without a sleeve. No condom?... "Sorry. No can do. Cover up, I'll take care of you." I pull my T shirt over my head, watch him strip off his jeans. His waist is narrow, his hips straight. Beautiful. Stop it! What's wrong with me? He's down to his skivvies. I should have charged more. He's built like a fucking bull. "Holy crap, dude, I don't know...." What's wrong, kid? Never done it with a real man before? His voice falls, cold and heavy as hail. You want me wrapped? Do it for me! He pushes me to my knees, comes around in front of me... I open the foil pouch, remove the thin latex protection. You ever seen a ramrod like Dan's? I shake my head as I roll the condom down over it. No, of course you haven't. Let's see just how good you are. I close my eyes, fight not to gag at the taste of lubricant, trying not to choke on his thrusts against my throat....Dan decides he's done with Europe. He pulls me to my feet, moves behind me, drapes my back with his chest...Check it out. The little boy likes that. He reaches down between my thighs. Look how hard he is. ...His lips brush the back of my neck. He pushes me toward the bed, urges me facedown. The sheets smell of bleach....Down go my boxers. Oh my. What a sweet little bottom. Dan's hands, moving over my skin, are soft,

and when he lowers himself over me, a cloud of cloves and apple sinks around me....Dan is in for a real treat, isn't he? He presses up against me. I brace and he pauses. Do you think it will hurt? Let's see. He pushes, but only a little. A test. Oh yes, I'm afraid it might. And after Dan, nothing else will do....An odd blend of fear and... excitement. For some fucked up reason, I'm excited. I can't want his! Adrenaline firecrackers. through my body. Blood pulses in my temples. You make Dan happy now, hear? Pain! Oh my God! Nothing has ever hurt like this. I tense, beg him to stop. But he doesn't stop. Doesn't slow. Can't take it. Can't. Through the rhythmic pain... Pressure. Pressure, deep. Oh! Nothing has ever felt so good. Exquisite. Exquisite. No! I won't. No matter what, I won't. This isn't me....But I do. And when I do, it's over the top.



MILK AND HONEY



Adult

Summary of Concerns:

This book contains illustrations depicting non-sexual nudity; sexual activities including sexual assault.

By Rupi Kaur

ISBN:978-1-4494-7865-0

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978-1449474256

978-1797136905



4 /5

Not For Minors
BookLook's Review Rating

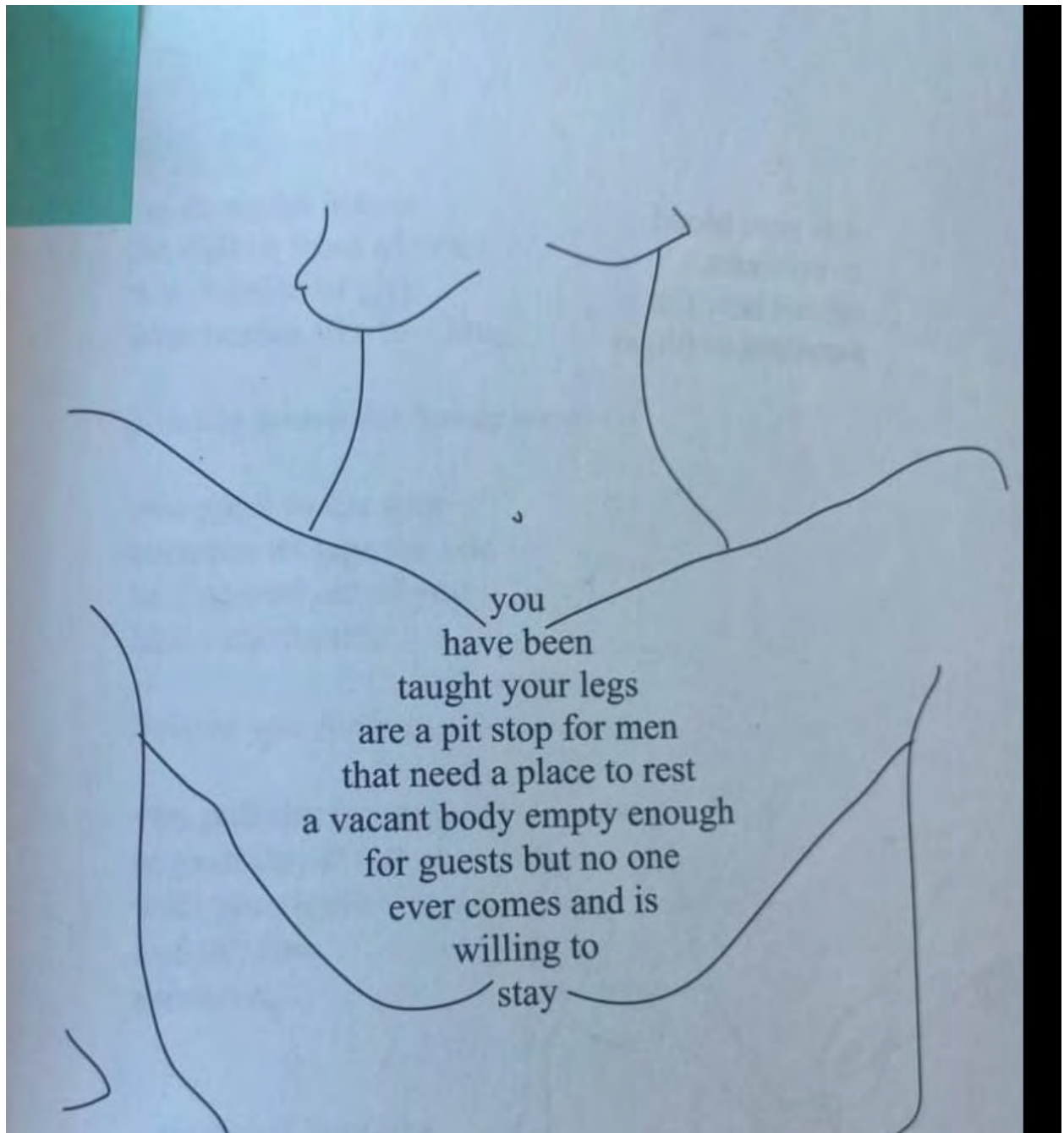
In searching a sampling of schools across Iowa, Milk and Honey was found in the following schools. *

Valley High School	Linn Mar	Johnston	Dubuque HS
Iowa City High	Iowa City West	Indianola HS	CR Washington
Urbandale	Mt Pleasant HS	Thomas Jefferson Council Bluffs	Waukee

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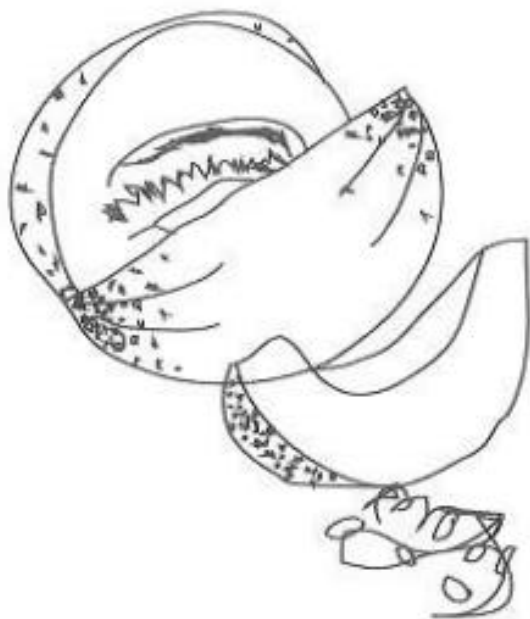
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you
have been
taught your legs
are a pit stop for men
that need a place to rest
a vacant body empty enough
for guests but no one
ever comes and is
willing to
stay

rupi kaur

he guts her
with his fingers
like he's scraping
the inside of a
cantaloupe clean



you plough into me with two fingers and i am mostly
shocked. it feels like rubber against an open wound.
i do not like it. you begin pushing faster and faster. but i
feel nothing. you search my face for a reaction so i begin
acting like the naked women in the videos you watch when
you think no one's looking. i imitate their moans. hollow
and hungry. you ask if it feels good and i say *yes*
so quickly it sounds rehearsed. but the acting.
you do not notice.

rupi kaur

i am learning
how to love him
by loving myself



rupi kaur

you move my hand
between my legs
and whisper
make those pretty little fingers dance for me

- solo performance



instead. lie me down. lay me open like a map. and with
your finger trace the places you still want to **** out of
me. kiss me like i am the center point of gravity and you
are falling into me like my soul is the focal point of yours.
and when your mouth is kissing not my mouth
but other places. my legs will split apart out of habit. and
that's when. i pull you in. welcome you. home.

when the entire street is looking out their windows
wondering what all the commotion is. and the fire trucks
come rolling in to save us but they can't distinguish
whether these flames began with our anger or our passion.
i will smile. throw my head back. arch my body like a
mountain you want to split in half. baby lick me.

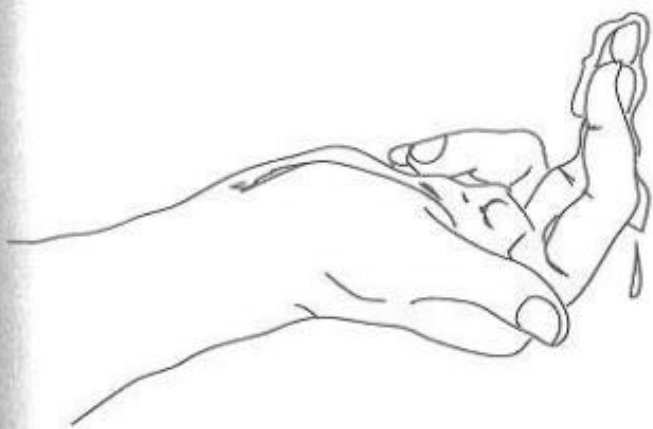
like your mouth has the gift of reading and i'm your
favorite book. find your favorite page in the soft spot
between my legs and read it carefully. fluently. vividly.
don't you dare leave a single word untouched. and i swear
my ending will be so good. the last few words will come.
running to your mouth. and when you're done. take a
seat. cause it's my turn to make music with my knees
pressed to the ground.

sweet baby. this. is how we pull language out of one
another with the flick of our tongues. this is how we have
the conversation. this. is how we make up.

- *how we make up*

rupi kaur

you must have known
you were wrong
when your fingers
were dipped inside me
searching for honey that
would not come for you



rupi kaur

even when you undress her
you are searching for me
i am sorry i
taste so good
when the two of you
make love it is
still my name
that rolls off your
tongue accidentally



the therapist places
the doll in front of you
it is the size of girls
your uncles like touching

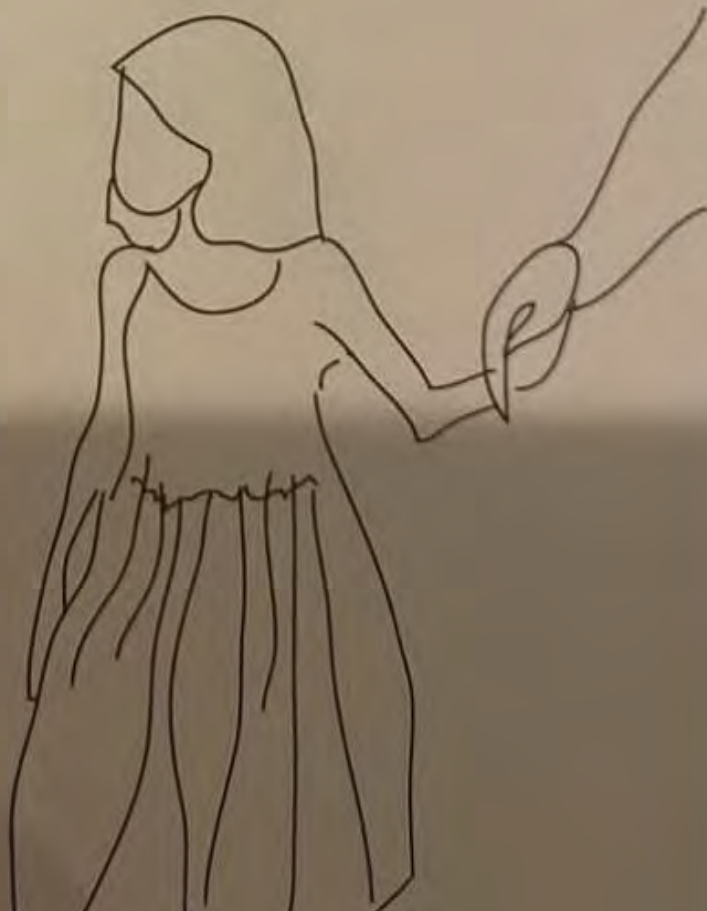
point to where his hands were

you point to the spot
between its legs the one
he fingered out of you
like a confession

how're you feeling

you pull the lump
in your throat out
with your teeth
and say *fine*
numb really

- midweek sessions



he only whispers *i love you*
as he slips his hands
down the waistband
of your pants

this is where you must
understand the difference
between want and need
you may want that boy
but you certainly
don't need him

even after the hurt
the loss
the pain
the breaking
your body is still
the only one
i want to be
undressed under



milk and

the goddess between your legs
makes mouths water

THE SUN AND HER FLOWERS



Adult

By Rupi Kaur

ISBN: 978-1-4494-8890-1



Book Summary:

A collection of short poems about women, love, and abuse.

Summary of Concerns:

This book contains sexual activities; sexual assault; sexual nudity; and abortion commentary.



In searching a sampling of schools across Iowa, The Sun and Her Flower was found in the following schools.*

Valley High School	Cedar Falls	Indianola High School
Mt Pleasant HS	Oskaloosa Sr High	Urbandale
Waukee High School	Dubuque High School	Johnston
Iowa City High	Iowa City West	

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6	<p>bees came for honey flowers giggled as they undressed themselves for the taking the sun smiled</p>
12	<p>yesterday the rain tried to imitate my hands by running down your body I ripped the sky apart for allowing it -jealousy</p>
34	<p>I change what I am wearing five times before I see you wondering which pair of jeans will make my body more tempting to undress</p>
40	<p>do you still touch yourself to thoughts of me do you still imagine my naked naked tiny tiny body pressed into yours do you still imagine the curve of my spine and how you wanted to rip it out of me cause the way it dipped into my perfectly rounded bottom drove you crazy baby sugar baby sweet baby ever since we left how many times did you pretend it was my hand stroking you how many times did you search for me in your fantasies and end up crying instead of coming don't you lie to me</p>
58	<p>why did you leave a door hanging open between my legs were you lazy did you forget or did you purposely leave me unfinished -conversations with god</p>
62	<p>while I hid at the back of some upstairs closet of my mind as someone broke the windows- you</p>

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	<p>kicked the front door in- you too everything and then someone took me -it was you. Who dove into me with a fork and a knife eyes glinting with starvation like you hadn't eaten in weeks I was a hundred and ten pounds of fresh meat you skinned and gutted with your fingers like you were scraping the inside of a cantaloupe clean as I screamed for my mother you nailed my wrists to the ground turned my breasts into bruised fruit</p>
63	<p>every night my bedroom becomes a psych ward where panic attacks turn men into doctors to keep me calm every lover who touches me- feels like you their fingers- you mouths- you until they're not the ones on top of me anymore- it's you an I am so tired of doing things your way -it isn't working</p>
68	<p>at home that night I filled the bathtub with scorching water tossed in spearmint from the garden two tablespoons of almond oil some milk some honey a pinch of salt rose petals from the neighbor's lawn I soaked myself in the mixture desperate to wash the dirty off the first hour I picked pine needles from my hair counted them one two three lined them up on their backs the second hour I wept</p>

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	<p>called her witch and shouted whore until the evening came when his tired eyes betrayed him the first woman noticed it as he unwillingly fell asleep the quiet humming the drumming a knocking between her legs a doorbell a voice a pulse asking her to open up off her hand went running down the hall toward the sacred room she found god the magician's wand the snake's tongue sitting inside her smiling -when the first woman drew magic with her fingers</p>
197	vagina- so much darker than the rest of you cause it is trying to hide a gold mine
210	<p>she is not a porn category or the type you look for on a Friday night she is not needy or easy or weak -daddy issues is not a punch line</p>
212	<p>you want to keep the blood and the milk hidden as if the womb and breast never fed you</p> <p>The line drawing on this page depicts a nude woman with her breasts and pubic areas exposed. There are liquid droplets falling from her nipples and pubic area.</p>
226	<p>The line drawing on this page depicts a large woman sitting in the background. She is nude with her legs spread and knees bent upward. Her breasts are exposed. There is a path coming out from her pubic area. On the path are a crawling baby; a walking baby; a young girl walking with books stacked on her head; and a woman standing with her arms up in a "victory" pose.</p>

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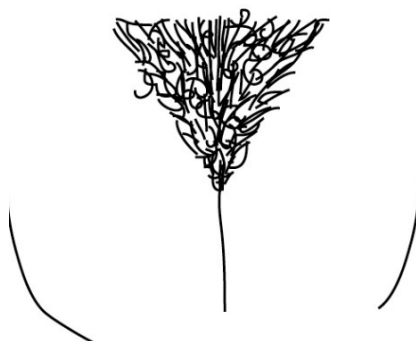


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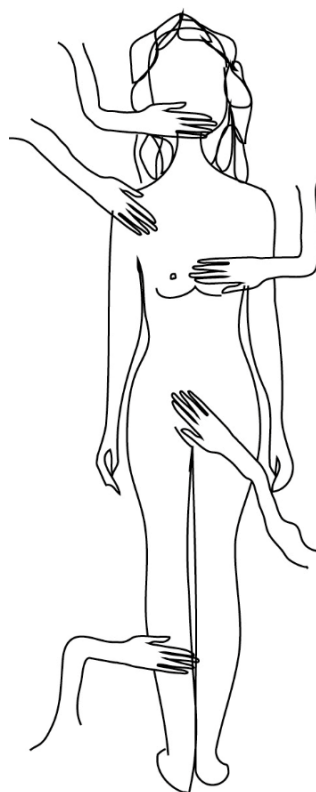


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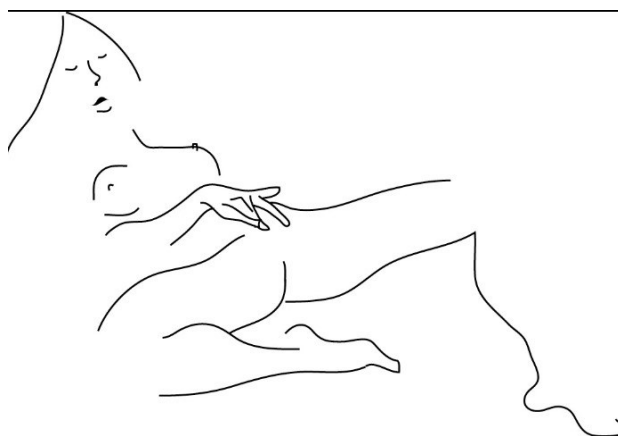


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Figure 4

THIS BOOK IS GAY



Young Adult

By Juno Dawson

ISBN: 978-1492617822

Summary of Concerns:

This book contains excerpts and illustrations depicting explicit nudity and sexual activities.



In searching a sampling of schools across Iowa, This Book is Gay was found in the following schools.*

Keokuk HS	West Liberty HS	Carlisle
Waukee Northwest	Dubuque HS	Iowa City High

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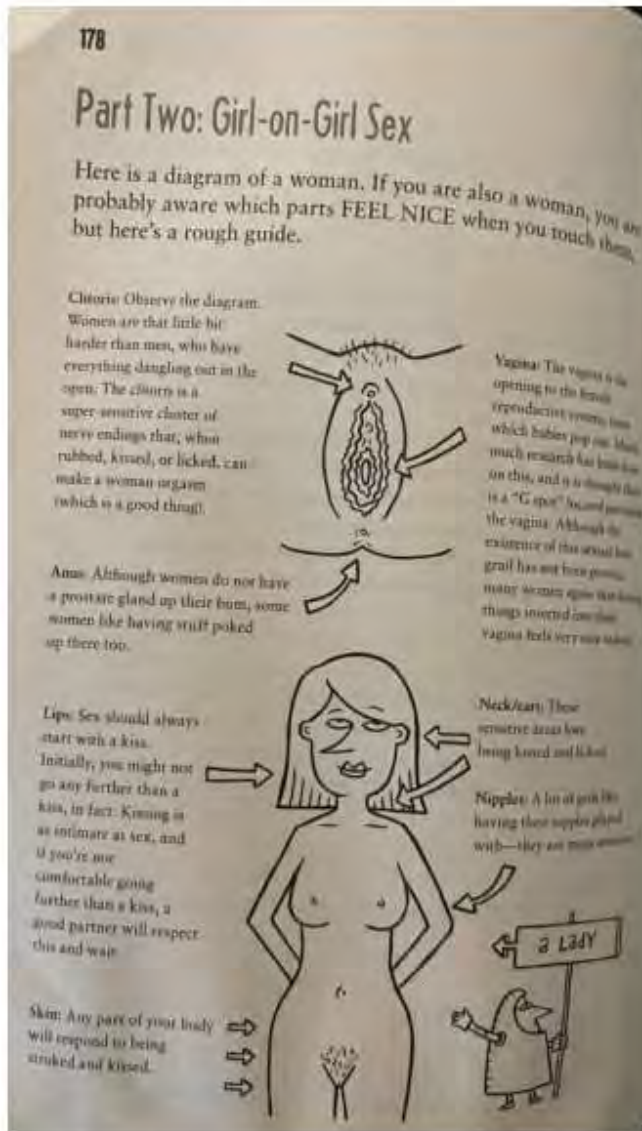
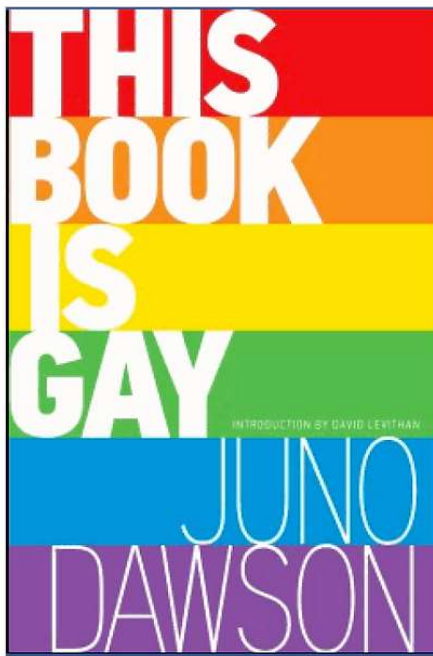


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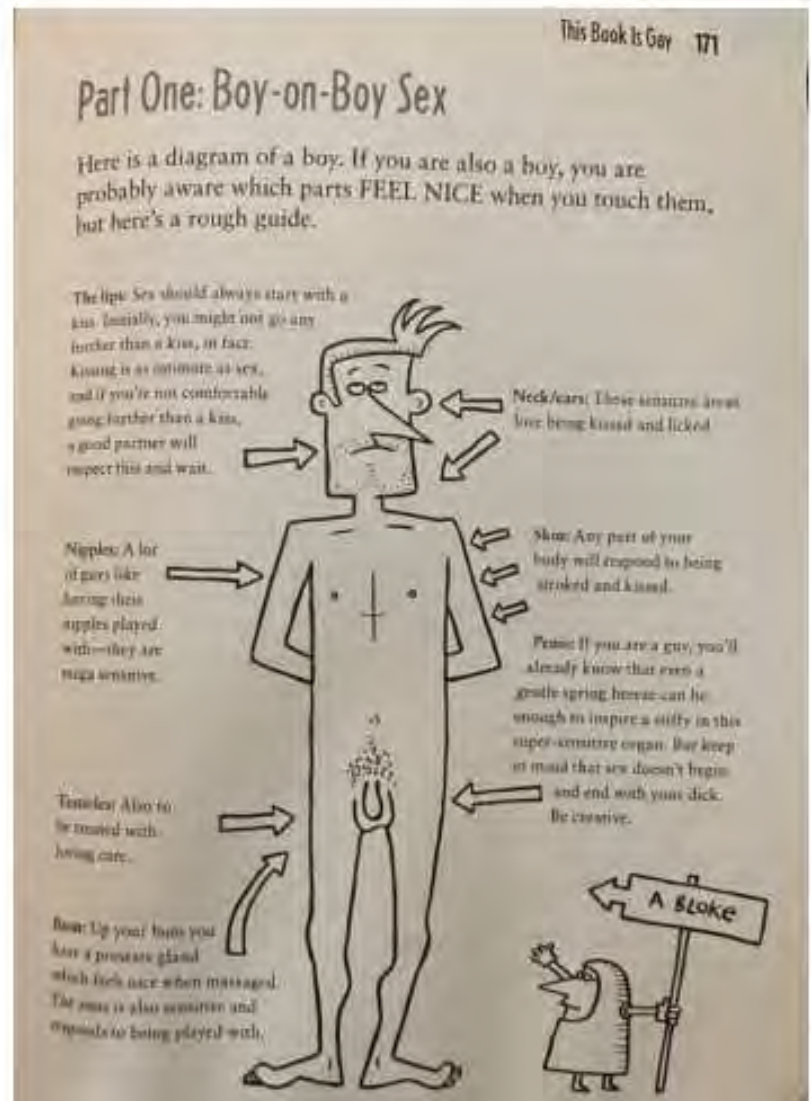


Figure 1

ALL BOYS AREN'T BLUE



Young Adult

Summary of Concerns:

This book contains sexual nudity and sexual activities including sexual assault; alternate gender ideologies; profanity and derogatory terms; alcohol and drug use; and inflammatory racial commentary.

By George M. Johnson

ISBN:978-0-374-31271-8



Profanity	Count
Ass	2
Faggot/Fag	13
Fuck	2
Nigga/Nigger/Negro	16
Piss	1
Shit	11

In searching a sampling of schools across Iowa, All Boys Aren't Blue was found in the following schools. *

Valley High School	Ankeny HS	Cedar Falls HS
Iowa City West	Urbandale	West Liberty
Pleasant Valley High- Bettendorf	Keokuk Sr High	Waukee Northwest
Waukee High School		

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All Boys Aren't Blue

-by George M. Johnson

He asked me to "turn over" while he slipped a condom on himself... But this was my ass, and I was struggling to imagine someone inside me. And he was . . . large... I had previously topped someone who clearly enjoyed it, but he had been enjoying anal sex before I ever came along... He got on top and slowly inserted himself into me... He then added more lube and tried again, which felt better but not by much. He began his stroking motion. Eventually, I felt a mix of pleasure with the pain... He didn't last long inside of me, thankfully. He gave me a kiss before he pulled out. I didn't stay long, nor did I masturbate after. -Page 271

You told me to take-off my pajama pants, which I did. You then took off your shorts, followed by your boxers. There you stood in front of me fully erect and said, "Taste it." At first, I laughed and refused. But then you said, "Come on, Matt, taste it. This is what other boys like us do when we like each other." I finally listened to you. The whole time I knew it was wrong, not because I was having sexual intercourse with a guy, but that you were my family. I only did that for about forty-five seconds before you had me stop. Then you got down on your knees and told me to close my eyes. That's when you began oral sex on me as well... After a minute or so, you stopped. You then laid me on the ground and got on top of me. You began humping me—back and forth back and forth—never penetrating me, though. It was just our bodies on top of each other going back and forth for several minutes while the music on the TV played in the background...Aretha Franklin was singing "A Rose Is Still a Rose." The irony of a song playing in the background about the deflowering of a young girl being used by a man. The irony of me lying on the basement floor. You eventually got up off me and told me to come to the bathroom, that you wanted to show me one more thing... You began stroking yourself in front of me. I just stood there nervous because I didn't know what to expect next. You said, "Just keep watching, Matt." So I stood there and watched you for several minutes. Then you began to moan slightly. I took a step back because I didn't know what was about to happen, and then it did. You ejaculated into the toilet in front of me.

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As we kissed, he began unzipping my pants. He reached his hand down and pulled out my dick...He quickly went to giving me head.... He then came up and asked me if I wanted to try on him. I said sure. I began and he said, "Watch your teeth."... He didn't know I was a virgin, and I did my best to act dominant like my favorite porn star... His body felt great in my mouth. I came up after a while and kissed him again. We both got up and went into his bedroom, where we got completely naked. He took off his clothes and immediately lay on his stomach. I then took off my shirt, and then my boxer briefs. I got behind him... For the first few minutes, we dry humped and grinded. I was behind him, with my stomach on his back as we kissed. After a few minutes of fun and games, he got up and went to his nightstand, where he pulled out a condom and some lube. He then lay down on his stomach. I knew what I had to do even if I had never done it before. I had one point of reference, though, and that was seven-plus years of watching pornography. Although the porn was heterosexual, it was enough of a reference point for me to get the job done. I remember the condom was blue and flavored like cotton candy. I put some lube on and got him up on his knees, and I began to slide into him from behind. I tried not to force it because I imagined that it would be painful; I didn't want this moment to be painful. So I eased in, slowly, until I heard him moan...As we moved, I could tell he was excited and I was, too,... I finally came and let out a loud moan—...I pulled out of him and kissed him while he masturbated. Then, he also came.

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LUCKY



Adult

Summary of Concerns:

This book contains obscene excerpts involving sexual assault/battery; sexual activities; sexual nudity; profanity; and drug use.

By Alice Sebold

ISBN:0-316-09619-9



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In searching a sampling of schools across Iowa, Lucky was found in the following schools. *

Valley Southwood	Cedar Falls HS	Forest City	CR Washington
Denison	IKM- Manning	Clarion-Goldfield-Dows	East Buchanan MS/HS
Iowa City High	Iowa City West	Thomas Jefferson - Council Bluffs	Earlham
Keokuk Sr High			

*This book should be removed from all schools – Historically inaccurate: “Publisher Pulls Alice Sebold's Memoir as 1981 Rape Conviction Is Overturned”

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