Ghosts, Spooks, & Specters

Alexander, William. **A Properly Unhaunted Place**. Rosa and her mother, a librarian who calms ghosts, have just moved to the only phantom-free town in the world. When an evil spirit attacks, she and new friend Jasper must discover why Ingot wasn’t haunted before—and why it is now.

Auxier, Jonathan. **The Night Gardener**. After their parents mysteriously disappear, Molly and her brother Kip seek work as servants to survive—and end up in a creepy Victorian manor house straight out of a nightmare.

Avi. **Seer of Shadows**. Horace, a photographer’s assistant, helps fool a wealthy woman with a faked photo supposedly showing the ghost of her dead daughter Eleanor. But Eleanor really is a ghost—and she is now very angry!

Gaiman, Neil. **The Graveyard Book**. After his family is killed by an assassin, a toddler escapes to a nearby cemetery and is adopted by ghosts. As he grows up, Bod, the graveyard’s only living resident, encounters danger and secrets. (Teen)

Hahn, Mary Downing. **One For Sorrow**. Elsie, an odd and unlikeable girl at Annie’s new school, won’t leave Annie alone and is furious when Annie ignores her. Then the dreaded flu epidemic of 1918 hits, and suddenly Elsie is dead…and seeking revenge from beyond the grave!

Jones, Gareth. **Constable and Toop**. A terrible supernatural disease is causing the ghosts of Victorian London to be sucked into empty houses and imprisoned. It’s up to Sam Toop, a boy who can see and hear spirits, to destroy the Black Rot and free them.

Legrand, Claire. **The Year of Shadows**. Olivia’s mother is gone, her grandmother’s mind is fading, and her father has moved the family into a run-down auditorium. When Emerson Hall turns out to be haunted, this loner must forge a partnership with classmate Henry, an usher, to find out why.

Petti, Erin. **The Peculiar Haunting of Thelma Bee**. Thelma is more interested in science experiments than the supernatural. However, when a ghost kidnaps her father, she enlists the help of local ghost hunters to solve the mystery and bring him back.

Poblocki, Dan. **The Ghost of Graylock**. After hearing legends about a spooky psychiatric hospital, Neil and his sister sneak into the abandoned building and are plunged into a living nightmare.

Ruby, Lois. **The Secret Grave**. Facing a lonely summer, Hannah is glad to meet a new friend, but why is Cady so demanding? Frightening answers are revealed when Hannah finds an ancient cemetery—and a gravestone with a familiar name.

Stroud, Jonathan. **The Screaming Staircase** (series). Angry spirits are attacking humans and only kids with psychic talent can find and destroy them. Can three teens rid England’s most haunted mansion of its terrifying phantoms, or will they be the next victims?

**Ghostly Series**

Abbott, Tony. **The Haunting of Derrek Stone**
Butler, Dori. **The Haunted Library**
Enderle, Dotti. **Ghost Detectors**
Funke, Cornelia. **Ghosthunters**
Kimmel, Elizabeth. **Suddenly Supernatural**
Klise, Kate. **43 Old Cemetery Road**
Preller, James. **Scary Tales**
Sage, Angie. **Araminta Spookie**
Stine, R.L. **Goosebumps**
Winkler, Henry. **Ghost Buddy**

**More Ghostly Authors**

- Alcock, Vivien
- Coville, Bruce
- Jennings, Paul
- Peck, Richard
- Schwartz, Alvin
- Wright, Betty