

Books that have been turned into TV shows.
 This list only includes books and TV shows available within BCFLS

TV shows based on fiction books

Book Title	Author	Age Group	Book Kit Available	Show Title (if different from book)	Show Rating	Genres/topics	Notes
11/22/63	Stephen King				TV-MA	Drama, mystery, romance	
13 Reasons Why	Jay Asher	Young Adult			TV-MA	Drama, mystery, thriller	
American Gods					TV-MA	Drama, fantasy, mystery	
American Rust	Philipp Meyer				TV-MA	Crime, drama	
And Then There Were None	Agatha Christie				TV-14	Crime, drama, mystery	
Big Little Lies	Liane Moriarty				TV-MA	Crime, drama, mystery	
Catch-22	Joseph Heller				Unrated	Comedy, drama	

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Defending Jacob	William Landay				TV-MA	Crime, drama, mystery	
Emma	Jane Austen	Adult		Emma (2009)	TV-PG	Classics, young women, families, historical fiction (1800-1850), romance	
Empire Falls	Richard Russo				TV-14	Drama, romance	
Good Omens	Neil Gaiman				TV-MA	Comedy, fantasy	
Great Expectations	Charles Dickens				Unrated	Classics, coming of age, Victorian era	
Howards End	E.M Forster	Adult			TV-14	Drama, romance	
I Know This Much is True	Wally Lamb				TV-MA	Drama	
Jane Eyre	Charlotte Bronte			Jane Eyre (2006)	TV-PG	Classics, romance fiction,	

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						historical fiction	
Little Women	Louisa May Alcott			Little Women (2018)	G	Classics, coming of age, domestic fiction, historical fiction (19th century)	
Lonesome Dove	Lary McMurty	Adult			Unrated	Western, cowboys, historical fiction (19th century)	
Looking for Alaska	John Green				TV-MA	Drama, romance	
Lovecraft Country	Matt Ruff				TV-MA	Drama, fantasy, horror	
Mildred Pierce	James M Cain				TV-MA	Drama	
Nightmares & Dreamscapes	Stephen King				TV-14	Drama, fantasy, horror	The book is a collection of short stories
Ordeal by Innocence	Agatha Christie				TV-MA	Drama, crime, mystery	

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Pride & Prejudice	Jane Austen			Pride and Prejudice (1995)	TV-PG	Classics, drama, romance	
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Rosemary's Baby	Ira Levin			Rosemary's Baby (2014)	TV-14	Drama, horror, mystery	
Sex and the City	Candace Bushnell				TV-MA	Comedy, drama, romance	
Sharp Objects	Gillian Flynn				TV-MA	Crime, drama, mystery	
Station Eleven	Emily St. John Mandel				TV-MA	Adventure, drama, fantasy	
The Good Lord Bird	James McBride				TV-MA	Drama, war, western	
The Haunting of Hill House	Shirley Jackson	Adult		The Haunting Anthology (The Haunting of Hill House)	TV-MA	Drama, horror, mystery	The first season of The Haunting anthology. Each season is based on a

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The Hot Zone	Richard Preston				TV-14	Drama, history, science fiction	
The Night Manager	John Le Carre				TV-14	Crime, drama, mystery	
The Plot Against America	Philip Roth				TV-MA	Drama, thriller	
The Sinner	Petra Hammesfahr				TV-MA	Crime, drama, mystery	
The Stand	Stephen King				Unrated	Adventure, drama, fantasy	
The Turn of the Screw	Henry James	Adult		The Haunting Anthology (The Haunting of Bly Manor)	TV-MA	Drama, horror, mystery	The second season of The Haunting anthology. Each season is based on a different book
Treasure Island	Robert Louis Stevenson			Black Sails	TV-MA	Action, adventure, drama	Original prequel to the book Treasure

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							Island
War & Peace	Leo Tolstoy			War & Peace (2016)	TV-14	Drama, history, romance	
Witness for the Prosecution	Agatha Christie				Unrated	Crime, drama, mystery	
Wolf Hall	Hilary Mantel				TV-14	Historical, drama	
Wuthering Heights	Emily Bronte				TV-PG	Drama, romance	
You Should Have Known	Jean Hanff Korelitz			The Undoing	TV-14	Crime, drama, mystery	
Zoo	James Patterson				TV-14	Drama, mystery, science fiction	

TV shows based on fiction series

Book Series	Author	Age Group	Book Kit Available	Show Title(s)	Show Rating	Genres/topic	Notes
A Song of Ice and Fire	George R.R. Martin			Game of Thrones	TV-MA	Action, Adventure, drama	
Anne of Green Gables	L.M. Montgomery	Junior		Anne of Green Gables (1985), Anne of Green Gables: The Sequel/Anne of Avonlea (1987), Anne of Green Gables: The Continuing Story (2000), Anne of Green Gables: A New Beginning (2008), Anne with an E (2017)	All the adaptations are rated G with the exception of Anne with an E, which is TV-PG	Classics, historical fiction (1867-1914), adopted children	The series has 9 books. The first mini series focuses on the first book, while the second mini series condenses the second, third, and fourth books into one work. The 2000 and 2008 adaptations are not based on the books.
Castle Rock	Stephen King				TV-MA	Drama, fantasy, horror	Based on all of Stephen King's works, not just one book

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Dexter	Jeff Lindsay				TV-MA	Crime, drama, mystery	
Dune	Frank Herbert			Dune (2000), Children of Dune (2003)	Both series are unrated	Adventure, drama, science fiction	
Francis Urquhart	Michael Dobbs	Adult		House of Cards	TV-MA	Drama	
Goosebumps	R.L Stine	Junior			TV-14	Fantasy, horror, mystery	The show, like the books, are an anthology focused on disconnected stories
Gossip Girl	Cecily Von Ziegesar				TV-14	Drama, romance	
Hannibal Lecter	Thomas Harris	Adult		Hannibal	TV-MA	Horror, thriller	
Hercule Poirot	Agatha Christie				TV-14	Classics, mystery, historical	Over 40 books and short story collections, all of them have been made into a show episode
His Dark	Philip Pullman				TV-14	Adventure,	

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Materials						drama, family	
Jack Reacher	Lee Child				TV-MA	Action, crime, drama	
Jack Ryan	Tom Clancy			Tom Clancy's Jack Ryan	TV-MA	Action, Drama, Thriller	The tv show is based on the character, but is original content
Killing Eve	Luke Jennings				TV-14	Action, adventure, drama	
Kingsbridge	Ken Follett			Pillars of the Earth	TV-MA	Drama, romance, thriller	
Little House	Laura Ingalls Wilder			Little House on the Prairie	TV-PG	Drama, family, romance	
Longmire	Craig Johnson				TV-14	Action, crime, drama	While based on the books, much of the show is original content
Miss Marple	Agatha Christie				TV-14	Classics, crime, drama, mystery	

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Olive Kitteridge	Elizabeth Strout				TV-14	Drama	
Outlander	Diana Gabaldon				TV-MA	Drama, fantasy, romance	The books are told exclusively from one character's point of view, while the show focuses on multiple characters
Poldark	Winston Graham				TV-14	Drama, romance	
Sherlock Holmes	Arthur Conan Doyle			Sherlock (2010), Elementary (2013)	Both versions TV-14	Crime, drama, mystery	One of the most popular characters in fiction, too many adaptations have been made to list them all. The two listed are adaptations set in the 2010s.
The Handmaid's	Margaret Atwood				TV-MA	Drama, science	The show expands

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Tale						fiction, thriller	beyond the original content of the book
The Miniaturist	Jessie Burton				Unrated	Drama, fantasy, mystery	
The Walking Dead	Robert Kirkman				TV-MA	Drama, horror, thriller, zombies	Graphic novel series
When Calls the Heart	Janette Oke				TV-G	Drama, history, romance	

TV shows based on nonfiction books

Book Title	Author	Age Group	Book Kit Available	Show Title (if different from book)	Show Rating	Genre/topic	Notes
Band of Brothers: E Company, 506th Regiment, 101st Airborne from Normandy to Hitler's Eagle's Nest	Stephen E Ambrose			Band of Brothers	TV-MA	Drama, history, war, World War II	940.54
Call The Midwife, Shadows of the Workhouse, Farewell to the East End	Jennifer Worth				TV-PG	Drama, history	92. While the books are nonfiction, the show is fiction
John Adams	David G McCullough				TV-14	Biography, drama, history	92
Orange is the New Black	Piper Kerman				TV-MA	Comedy, crime, drama	365.43. While the book is nonfiction, much of the show is fiction.