

What Is SYNC?

- SYNC is an audiobook literacy program
- SYNC introduces the audiobook experience to the teen audience
- Two FREE audiobook downloads are available each week
- SYNC engages summer reading programs in libraries and schools

How Does It Work?

- Visit www.audiobookSYNC.com from May 5 – August 17, 2016
- Select available audiobooks to download as mp3s
- Sign up for alerts for the next titles
- Share comments with other listeners, narrators, and authors

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Sync AUDIOBOOKS FOR TEENS



- ✓ 2 FREE audiobooks a week starting May 5th!
- ✓ Themed audiobook pairs
- ✓ Summer Literacy
- ✓ Outreach Tools for Librarians, Educators, and Bloggers

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Audiobook SYNC Mission & Goals

SYNC seeks to develop the audience of teen audiobook listeners by providing free audiobook downloads. Two complete audiobooks – thematically paired – are available each week to listeners.

- **Introduce** the listening experience
- **Provide** librarians, educators, and parents tools to promote audiobook listening to teens
- **Create** a desire for more listening and reading
- **Build** interest in listening to Classics and Required Reading



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- ✓ **Email Updates**
 - Get the **SYNC newsletter** at www.audiobookSYNC.com
 - Options for Professionals (Educators, Librarians, Bloggers)

- ✓ **Outreach Toolkit**
 - Find tools and resources
 - Get free posters, bookmarks, graphic icons to promote the SYNC program

- ✓ **Program Dates**
 - May 5 - August 17, 2016
 - 2 FREE audiobooks each week for 15 weeks!

- ✓ **Week-by-Week Schedule**
 - go to www.audiobookSYNC.com

Audiobook SYNC 2016 Pairs

VIVIAN APPLE AT THE END OF THE WORLD
Katie Coyle (Dreamscape Media)
THE GREAT TENNESSEE MONKEY TRIAL
Peter Goodchild (L.A. Theatre Works)

THE SIN EATER'S DAUGHTER *Melinda Salisbury (Scholastic Audio)*
DIVINE COLLISION: AN AFRICAN BOY, AN AMERICAN
LAWYER, AND THEIR REMARKABLE BATTLE FOR FREEDOM
Jim Gash (Oasis Audio)

100 SIDEWAYS MILES *Andrew Smith (Tantor Media)*
THIS BOY'S LIFE *Tobias Wolff (Highbridge Audio)*

EVERY LAST WORD *Tamara Ireland Stone (Ideal Audiobooks)*
EGG & SPOON *Gregory Maguire (Brilliance Audio)*

WORDS IN THE DUST *Trent Reedy (Scholastic Audio)*
THE BOY BORN DEAD: A STORY OF FRIENDSHIP, COURAGE,
AND TRIUMPH *David Ring, David Wideman, John Driver (christianaudio)*

ZAC AND MIA *A.J. Betts (Dreamscape Media)*
I'LL GIVE YOU THE SUN *Jandy Nelson (Brilliance Audio)*

HOW IT WENT DOWN *Kekla Magoon (Recorded Books)*
THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF AN EX-COLORED MAN
James Weldon Johnson (Tantor Media)

BOY MEETS BOY *David Levithan (Full Cast Audio)*
DONNY'S BRAIN *Rona Munro (L.A. Theatre Works)*

THE OMNIVORE'S DILEMMA: THE SECRETS BEHIND
WHAT YOU EAT, YOUNG READERS EDITION
Michael Pollan (Listening Library)
GRASSHOPPER JUNGLE *Andrew Smith (Listening Library)*

THE YOUNG WORLD *Chris Weitz (Hachette Audio)*
SYMPHONY FOR THE CITY OF THE DEAD:
DMITRI SHOSTAKOVICH AND THE SIEGE OF LENINGRAD
M. T. Anderson (Brilliance Audio)

FAT ANGIE *e.E. Charlton-Trujillo (Brilliance Audio)*
ON THE JELlicoe ROAD *Melina Marchetta (Bolinda)*

MANDELA: AN AUDIO HISTORY *Nelson Mandela (Highbridge Audio)*
THINGS FALL APART *Chinua Achebe (Recorded Books)*

JUBA! *Walter Dean Myers (HarperAudio)*
PENNIES FOR HITLER *Jackie French (Bolinda)*

THE BOOK OF UNKNOWN AMERICANS *Cristina Henríquez (Penguin Random House Audio)*
MOST DANGEROUS *Steve Sheinkin (Listening Library)*

BONE GAP *Laura Ruby (HarperAudio)*
CLASSIC AMERICAN SHORT STORIES
*Jack London, Ambrose Bierce, Stephen Crane, Kate Chopin, James
Fenimore Cooper, Mark Twain, and O. Henry (Naxos AudioBooks)*