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## LIBRARY CORNER

# Meet your Owasso Library staff

By Jennifer McQuade  
Branch Manager  
Owasso Library



SUBMITTED PHOTO  
Rachel Armstrong has been with the Tulsa City-County Library system since 2006.

Rachel Armstrong, circulation clerk Rachel's epic origin storytime: "I knew I wanted to work for the library when I was 10 years and would visit my mom at work here. I started working at Hardesty Regional Library in 2006 as a part-time job while I went to school. It ended up being a career that I love. I have also worked at Maxwell Park and Peggy V. Helmerich Library. Hobbies include reading [obviously], baking, photography and sarcasm."

What's your favorite genre? If you were assigned a particular area of the library and I could send patrons to you with any questions about material in that area, what would it be?

"I pretty much like every genre except mysteries. I would probably be in charge of the nonfiction collection since I have most of the Dewey system memorized."

What book are you reading right now?

"Fangirl by Rainbow Rowell"  
What book do you recommend most to patrons?  
"Harry Potter always."

What's your favorite library service patrons might not know about?

"Novelist Plus. It is a great way to find read-a-likes of your favorite books."

What do you love most about your job?

fore, during, and after the war. Brooks provides a realistic and terrifying look at a world sometime in the near future fighting for survival.

*Little Bitty Lies* by Mary Kay Andrews

Mary McGowan has a storybook life and a solid marriage. When her husband leaves her, taking everything including her engagement ring, she begins to lie to cover her embarrassment about her situation. It begins with her telling everyone her husband has taken an extended business trip, which leads to her staging his tragic death. As the lies continue to build one upon the other, will Mary ever be able to face reality and tell everyone the truth?

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 What's your favorite topic of conversation?  
 "Baking and nerdy things."  
 Favorite TV show/movie?  
 "Tie between Doctor Who and Sherlock (BBC version)"  
**Rachel's book recommendations**  
*The Fault in Our Stars* by John Green  
 16 year old Hazel Lancaster has terminal thyroid cancer. She struggles with depression and joins a cancer support group where she meets Augustus Waters, who has already lost a leg to bone cancer. Green's beautiful novel follows these two teenagers as they fall in love and begin a journey that will teach them about life, love, and death. This story will resonate with you years after reading.

year old Kirby shows up on her doorstep. The meeting changes everything for both Marian as she realizes she must face a choice she made in the past, and for Kirby, who is looking for answers. Griffin tells this humorous, bittersweet story from the perspectives of both women. The story will resonate with readers as they think about the choices we make in life and the power of love.

*Enclave* by Ann Aguirre  
 The world above has been nearly decimated by plague and war, forcing people to live in underground enclaves. Deuce, a girl living in an enclave, discovers her calling in life at 15 as a huntress. She is paired with Fade, a boy who lived "topside" as a child. Deuce and Fade become more and more concerned about attacks on neighboring enclaves by monsters called "freaks" who are starting to show intelligence and organization. Though they warn the elders about the threat, no one will listen to their warnings. This post-apocalyptic thriller will keep you up reading late at night as you follow Fade and Deuce through their shadowy underground world. Will they ever see the light of day?

*World War Z: An Oral History of the Zombie War* by Max Brooks  
 Max Brooks travels the world after a zombie outbreak nearly wipes out humanity, collecting stories for an oral history of the war. The book reads like a collection of interviews about what happened socially and politically be-

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