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Contemporary 
Romances

Sweet & Spicy

All titles listed available at libraries in the Monroe County Library System.
**Sweet & Spicy: Contemporary Romances**

**Romance Stand-Alones:**

**Love Lettering by Kate Clayborn (2019) ❤🔥**
Meg, a sought after NYC calligrapher, crosses paths with Reid Sutherland one year after she left a secret message in Reid’s wedding program design. As their romance heats up, conflict arises for both protagonists as they decide if they will share their secrets with each other. (Also available in E-book and E-Audiobook).

**The Roommate by Rosie Danan (2020) ❤🔥🔥**
Clara, a PhD holder, moves to LA to win over a teenage crush. After finding out he's away for the summer, she gets stuck with new roommate, Josh, an adult film star. (Also available in E-book and E-Audiobook).

**You Had Me at Hola by Alexis Daria (2020) ❤🔥🔥**
Jasmine, an actress who just scored a leading role, has decided to focus on her career. Enter heartthrob Ashton, a telenovela actor who’s now her new costar. As their attraction gets stronger, can they figure out how to handle it all? (Also available in E-book).

**Lizzie Blake’s Best Mistake by Mazey Eddings (2022) ❤🔥🔥**
Lizzie has made endless mistakes. Kitchen fires, pyramid schemes, you name it, she’s done it… and made a mess of it too. One mistake she’s never made is letting anyone get closer to her than a single hook-up. But after losing yet another bakery job due to her uncontrolled ADHD, she breaks her cardinal rule and has a two-night-stand that changes everything. (Also available in E-book and Book on CD).

**Heart & Seoul by Jen Frederick (2021) ❤🔥**
Hara Wilson thought she thought she had come to terms with being a Korean adoptee, but when her father suddenly dies, it has her running off to Seoul in search of her roots. What Hara finds there is a tall, mysterious stranger who greets her at the airport, spontaneous adventures across the city, and a mess of familial ties, along with a red string of destiny that winds its way around her heart and soul. (Also available in E-book and Book on CD).

**Red, White, and Royal Blue by Casey McQuiston (2019) ❤🔥🔥**
After his mother became President, Alex Claremont-Diaz was promptly cast as the American equivalent of a young royal. The one problem? Alex has a beef with an actual prince, Henry, across the pond. (Also available on E-book, E-Audiobook and Playaway).

**The Flatshare by Beth O'Leary (2019) ❤**
After a traumatic breakup, Tiffy Moore needs an immediate place to live. She makes an arrangement with Leon, a night shift worker, who will use his apartment during the day, and Tiffy can have it nights and weekends. In fact, they'll never even have to meet. Tiffy and Leon start writing each other notes and even though they are opposites, they soon become friends. And then maybe more. (Also available on E-book, E-Audiobook and Large Print).

**The Boyfriend Project by Farrah Rochon (2020) ❤🔥🔥**
Samiah Brooks never thought she would be “that” girl, but she’s been catfished by a three-timing jerk of a boyfriend. No men and no dating, after that... For once, Samiah is putting herself first, which is the exact moment she meets the deliciously sexy, honey-eyed Daniel Collins. (Also available in E-book and E-Audiobook).

**Something to Talk About by Meryl Wilsner (2020) ❤🔥**
Hollywood powerhouse Jo is photographed making her assistant, Emma, laugh on the red carpet, and just like that, the tabloids declare them a couple. As the gossip spreads, it starts to affect all areas of their lives. (Also available in E-book).

**Book Lovers by Emily Henry (2022) ❤🔥**
A by-the-book literary agent, Nora, must decide if happily ever after is worth changing her whole life for after she meets Charlie, a brooding book editor. (Also available on E-book and E-Audiobook, Large Print & Book on CD).

**To Sir, With Love by Lauren Layne (2021) ❤**
After Gracie Cooper takes over her family’s struggling champagne shop, a giant corporation lead by irritatingly arrogant Sebastian Andrews is proposing a buyout. Gracie seeks advice from someone she’s never met, the faceless “Sir”, with whom she connected on a blind dating app. But although Gracie finds herself slowly falling for Sir online, she has no idea she’s already met him in real life. (Also available in Large Print).

**Window on the Bay by Debbie Macomber (2020) ❤**
Divorced mother Jenna Boltz is at a crossroads. Now is the perfect time to book the trip to Paris she’s always wanted. She realizes that she needs to have faith in love and embrace the unexpected. (Also available in Large Print, on Book on CD and Playaway and in E-book and E-Audiobook).

**Romance Series**

**The Bromance Book Club series (2019-2022) by Lyssa Kay Adams ❤🔥🔥**


**The Brown Sisters trilogy (2019-2021) by Talia Hibbert ❤🔥🔥🔥**

Other authors you might enjoy: Tessa Bailey, Sara Desai, Jasmine Guillory, Ali Hazelwood, Sally Thorne...