



HOW TO DOWNLOAD FREE E-BOOKS

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Which devices are compatible?

Almost all devices are now compatible. Find the list at help.overdrive.com/#devices

How many books can I check out at once?

You can check out 10 items and hold 10 items at a time.

How long is the lending period?

The default is set at seven days, but you may choose up to 21 days in your account settings.

What happens when that time is up?

When the lending period ends, the e-book or audiobook link will expire. You don't need to return it, but you can by tapping and holding the cover in Adobe Digital Editions.

What if I'm not done reading?

Three days prior to an item's due date, Request again appears in your account. Click and enter your email address to place a hold so that you can download the item when it's next available. You will need to scroll through the book to find where you left off.

What is my library account PIN?

Usually the last four digits of your phone number.

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Great tips are available at **Wisconsin's Digital Library**. Look for **Help** in the upper right-hand corner

Need more help?

Library staff is here for you:
Ask at the 2nd floor Reference Desk,
call (920) 322-3930
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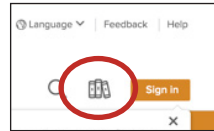
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GETTING STARTED

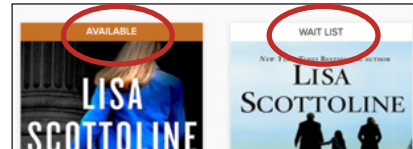
1. You'll need internet access and a library card (and you'll need to know your library account PIN - usually the last four digits of your home phone).
2. On your computer, go to the FDL Library website, www.fdlpl.org, and click on WISCONSIN'S DIGITAL LIBRARY in the left column of the home page.
3. Wisconsin's Digital Library page will display. Click HELP in the upper right-hand corner, then DEVICES, then E-READERS.
4. Download Adobe Digital Editions for your computer (PC or Mac).
5. Create an account and note your password.
6. Go back to Wisconsin's Digital Library, click SIGN IN and choose "Fond du Lac Public Library" from the dropdown menu.
7. Enter your library card and PIN numbers. Check the box "Remember card number on this device."
8. Click MY ACCOUNT and then SETTINGS. Adjust lending periods, audience filters and display options. Changes will autosave.

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2. Or, click COLLECTIONS or SUBJECTS to browse for items.
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6. The book will download and open in Adobe Digital Editions.

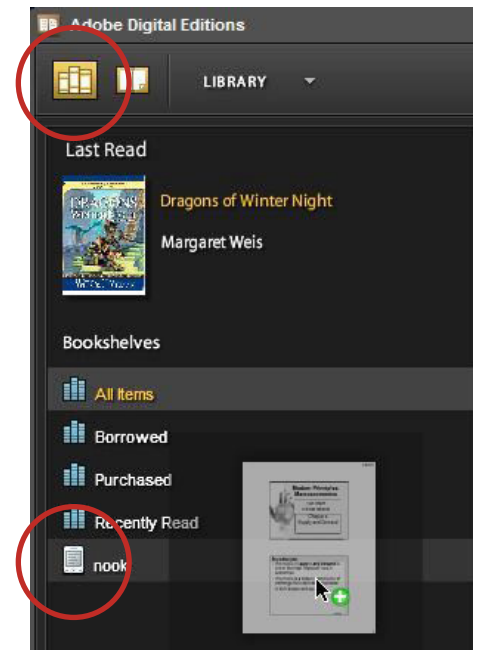


ADDITIONAL TIPS

1. "Available" seen above the cover = can be checked out
2. "Wait list" above the cover = place a hold
3. Three days prior to an item's due date, "Request again" appears in your Wisconsin's Digital Library account. Click this and enter your email address to place a hold so that you can download the item when it's next available. You may need to scroll through the book to find where you left off.

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2. Connect your e-reader to your computer with a USB cable. Device should be recognized as a Bookshelf.
3. Right-click on the cover and "copy to" your device.



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