



# How to use the *Libby for Overdrive* app for ebooks and audiobooks on **Android, iOS, Windows 10 Devices and Kindle Reader or Fire**

## What is the Libby App?

Libby is a free app where you can borrow ebooks and digital audiobooks from the library. You can stream books with Wi-Fi or mobile data, or download them for offline use and read anytime, anywhere. All you need to get started is your library card. You can checkout 6 books at a time and place 8 items on hold.

## Getting Started:

Install the Libby App from your device's App store, or go to [libbyapp.com](http://libbyapp.com) in your browser (Chrome, Firefox, Safari and Edge). If you are using a Kindle Reader use a computer to access Libby content. If you are using a Kindle Fire Tablet, download the Libby App.

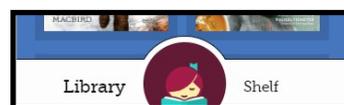
Open the Libby App, search for the Front Range Downloadable Library, choose your home library, then sign in with your library card.

## Navigating the App:

At the bottom of the screen:

Tap **Library** to browse the library collection, borrow titles or place holds.

Tap **Shelf** to open your loans and enjoy them, make returns, and see your holds.

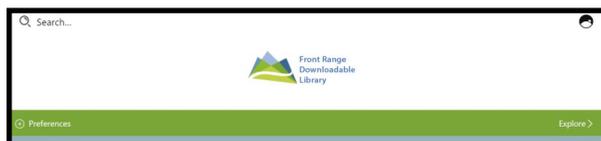


## Browsing the Collection:

You can search for a specific title using the magnifying glass at the top of the screen.

To browse by subject, Tap **Explore**, then **Subjects**.

Tap **Preferences** to filter your search and to limit your search to Kindle format titles.



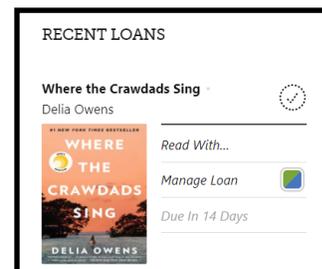
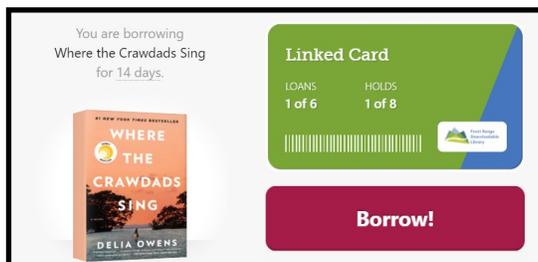
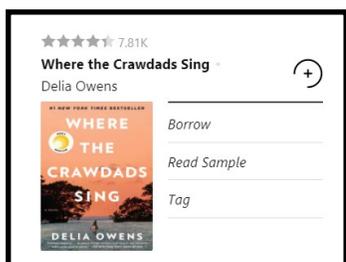
## Borrowing a Title:

When you see a title you like that is available, tap **Borrow**.

You can decide how long you want to borrow the title for: 7, 14, or 21 days. Whichever you choose will remain the default checkout period.

If you are checking out a Kindle format title, after clicking **Borrow**, you will be directed to Amazon.com to finish your checkout. If you're signed into your Amazon account, verify the "Deliver to:" device and tap **Get Library Book**. If you're not signed into your Amazon account, tap **Get Library Book**, and sign in. Your borrowed titles will appear in your loans under **Shelf**.

In the Libby app, tap **Open Book** to read or listen. Audio titles will take longer to download than ebooks.



## Placing a Hold:

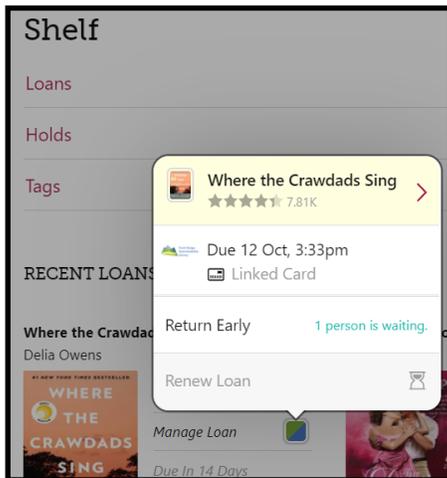
If the title is checked out, tap **Place Hold**. You will be told how long you may have to wait until the book is available to you. To be notified about your hold and manage other notifications, tap the Libby  icon at the top right hand corner.

To cancel or suspend a hold, go to *Shelf > Holds*, and click on the Manage Hold icon. 



## Returning an item:

To return an item early, go to *Shelf > Loans*, tap **Manage Loan**, then tap **Return Early**. You may also **Renew** a loan here if that option is available. Renewals can be made a few days before the due date if no one else is on hold.



To return a Kindle format item early follow the instructions above or login to your Amazon account and return from that platform. To do so, Go to your "**Manage Your Content and Devices**" page on Amazon, find the title in the "Your Content" list, tap the three dots, tap **Return this book** in the pop-up window, then select **Yes** to confirm and return the book.



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