Using WV Deli to Check Out Electronic Library Books

Since the physical libraries are mostly closed, I wanted to remind y'all that you can still borrow ebooks, and these digital books can be read on your computer, phone, tablet or eReader.

Morgantown Public Library: http://www.mympls.org/download-it

South Charleston Public Library: https://scplwv.org/

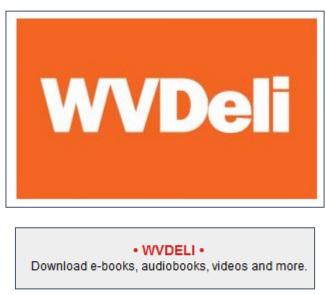
Kanawha County Public Library: http://kanawhalibrary.org/collection/downloadables/

To access your local library online, you'll need your library card, which has your library card number on it. And you'll probably need a magnifying glass to read that number.

Logging into WVU Deli

1. Go to your library website. Once there, you will look for either the WV Deli or Libby, By Overdrive link (depending upon your library website). For MPL and SCPL these links should be in the main screen—just scroll down until you see the link.



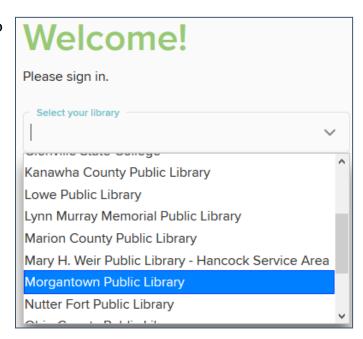


2. Once you click on the appropriate link, you should be taken to the WV Deli website.

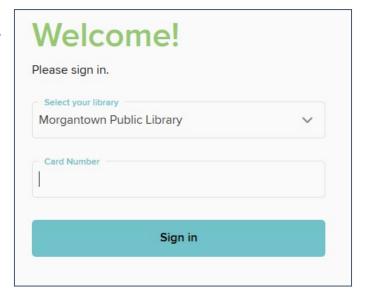


3. On the right side of the screen towards the top, click on **Sign In**.

4. The Welcome window appears. From the drop down menu select your Public library.

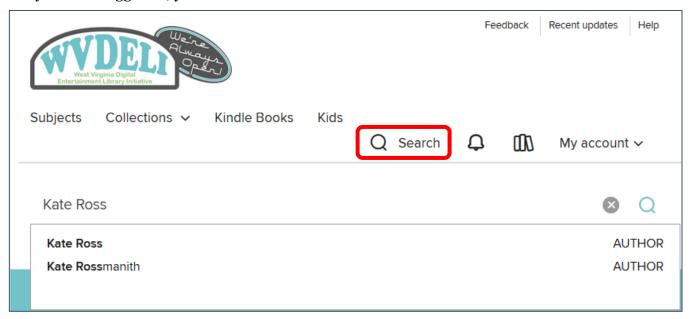


- 5. After selecting your library, enter your **Card Number**. On my library card, that number is on the back, towards the bottom of the card.
- 6. After you have entered your number, click **Sign In**.
- 7. You are now able to browse and borrow ebooks and audio books.

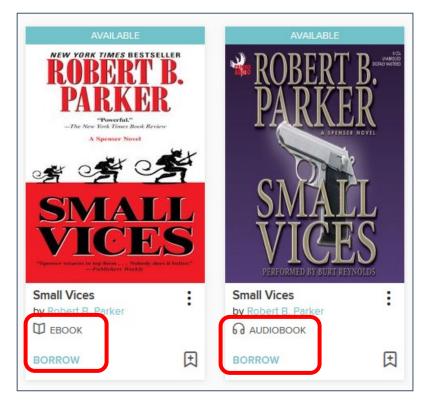


Finding Books

Once you have logged in, you can search for eBooks and audio books.



- 1. Towards the top of the window, click **Search**.
- 2. In the search box, start to type the name of the book or author.
- 3. A list appears as you type. You can click on an item from the list or click the magnifying glass icon.
- 4. A list of books matching your criteria are displayed.
- 5. Underneath each book you can see whether it is an ebook or an audio book, and whether it is currently available to borrow.
- 6. Click on the **Borrow** link if you would like to read or listen to the book.



7. You have the option to select how long you would like to have the book. If you are okay with that length, click **Borrow**.

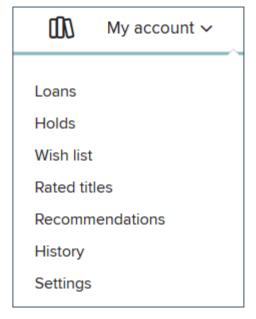


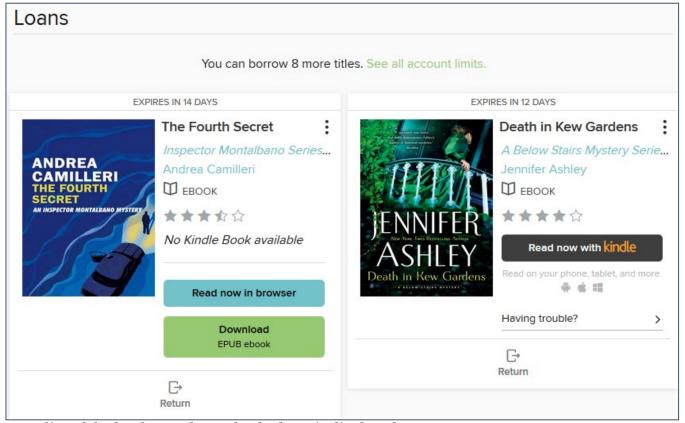
8. Depending up what type of material you have borrowed, you will have the option to read in kindle, download, read in browser, etc. To read on your kindle, click on the kindle link, and then once Amazon opens, click on the link to send the book to your device or read it on the kindle app on your computer.



Finding Your Loans

- 1. You can view the books you have borrowed by clicking on the link for **My account**.
- 2. From the drop down menu, select **Loans**.



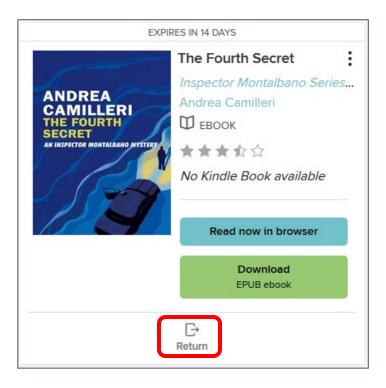


3. A list of the books you have checked out is displayed.

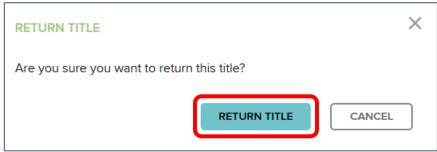
Returning Books

Although books are automatically returned when you loan time is over, with so many people using the system, it is kind to return books when you are finished with them.

- 1. Go to your loans (See above).
- 2. Beneath the book you finished, click **Return**.



3. Click **Return Title**.



Overdrive / Libby

Overdrive is the site that works with libraries to allow you to read your electronic books on your cell phone or other portable device. It is also the easiest way to listen to ebooks.



From the WV Deli site, you can scroll down the page and find links for the Libby app. Or you can search your app store to find the Libby app.

Once you install the Libby app, it will prompt you to find your library and to enter your library card (just as you did when signing into WV Deli)

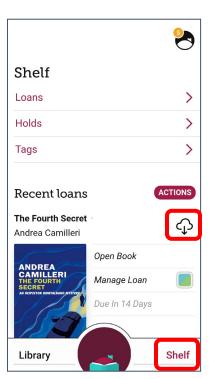
Books you have already checked out are available on your **Shelf** (the link is at the bottom of the screen).

Find the book you want to read, and tap on it to download it. Or click on the download icon.

Once the item is downloaded, tap on it and it will open on your device.

That's it! You now have access to thousands of books to while away the hours!

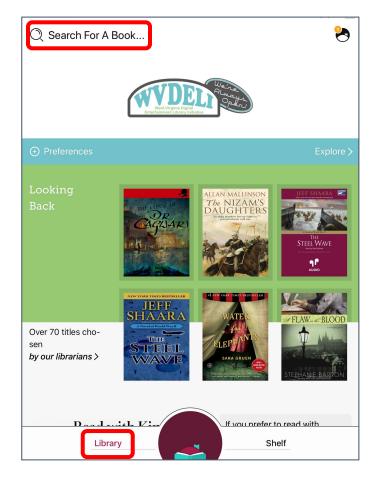
Any specific questions, feel free to ask the on our blog! (https://olliatwvu.wpcomstaging.com)



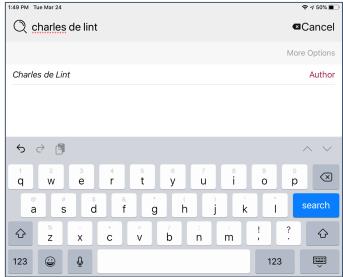
Using Overdrive on iOS (Apple Devices)

You'll need to go to the App Store and download the Libby app, which is free. Then you'll log in with your library card number. Once you're logged in, you can borrow eBooks and audio books.

- 1. Open the Libby App and log in (of you have not already).
- 2. At the bottom of the screen, select **Library**.
- 3. At the top of the screen, tap **Search for a Book**.

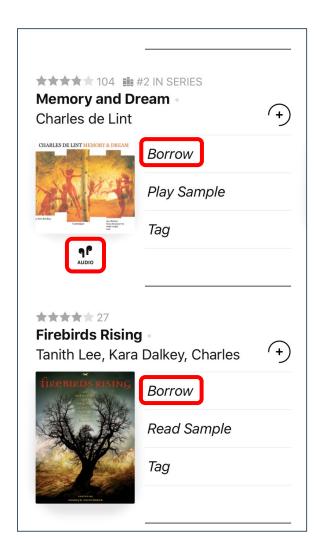


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- 5. Tap the **Search** key.

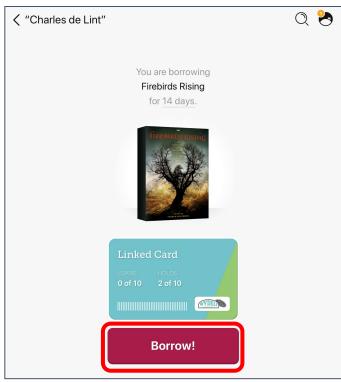


6. Scroll through the list until you see a book you want. Audio books have a little ear bud icon to differentiate them from ebooks.

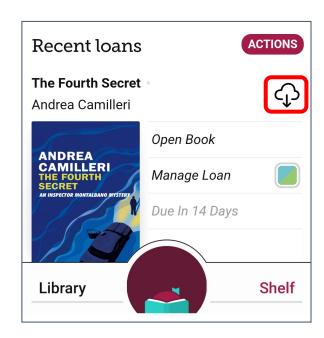
7. Tap the **Borrow** link.



8. On the confirmation screen, click **Borrow**.



9. You can now download your book.



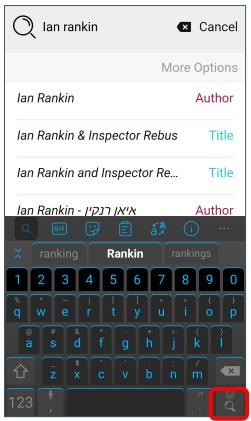
Using Overdrive on Android Devices

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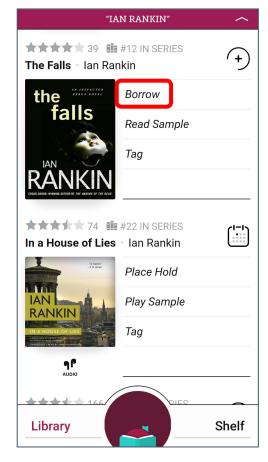
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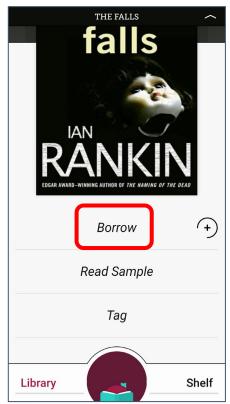
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