Borrowing eBooks on your Adobe eReader

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Materials

- A computer that is connected to the internet
- An Adobe eReader (Nook, Kobo, Sony, etc.)
- The USB cable that came with your eReader
- Your library card number
To begin, you will need to register for a free Adobe ID.

You can begin that process by going to www.adobe.com

Once you have reached the webpage, click on the Sign in to My Adobe link.
To create your Adobe ID, click on the **Don’t have an Adobe ID?** link.
When you have entered the required information, click on the **Create** button.
Next, you will need to download the Adobe Digital Editions program to your computer. To do so, visit:

wvreads.lib.overdrive.com

Click on the Help button.
Click on the **Applications** link.
Select the **Adobe Digital Editions** link.
To begin downloading Adobe Digital Editions, click on the **Download Now** link.
Begin the download by selecting the **Windows link**.
When prompted, select Run.
If you agree with the terms and conditions, click to accept the license agreement and then click **Next**.
Click Next.
Select **Install.**
Once the program has installed, it should automatically open.

If it does not automatically open, you can find it by navigating through the Windows button at the bottom of the screen. It will be located in your programs.
You will need to authorize your computer with the Adobe ID and Password you created earlier.

To do so, select **Help** and then **Authorize Computer**.
Enter your Adobe ID and Password and then click **Authorize**.
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From this webpage, you can search for books by title, author, or keyword.
Once you have selected a book to check out, click on the **borrow** button.
Select the Clarksburg-Harrison Public Library from the list.
Enter your library card number and then click **Sign in**.
Select **Download**.

Then Adobe **EPUB Book**.

Then **Confirm & Download**.
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From this screen, you may choose to read your book on your computer.

In order to read your book on your Adobe eReader, you will need to plug your eReader into your computer using the USB cord that came with your device.
After you have plugged your device into your computer via the USB cord, your device will appear in the menu of Adobe Digital Editions.
To add your book to your eReader, click on the book image and drag it to your device in the menu column.
Make sure that your eReader is authorized with the same Adobe ID and password that you used to authorize Adobe Digital Editions.

Authorize your device by selecting the **tools** button and then **Authorize Device**.
Click on your device in the menu to view the books that are on your eReader.

If the book you have just added is there, you may eject your eReader.
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