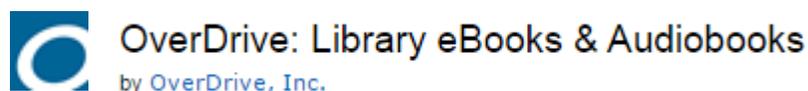


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First, download the OverDrive app from the Amazon app store



Then follow these steps which are also available online: <http://bit.ly/kfireapp>

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Note: If you're using a first generation Kindle Fire, skip this step and move on to step 3.

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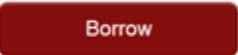


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3. Find a title by searching or clicking on something that looks interesting.



4. After you select a title, click  to check it out.

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5. Your library bookshelf opens displaying the title(s) you have checked out.
6. Select **Kindle Book** from the Download drop-down menu, then tap **Confirm & Download**
7. The Amazon website opens in a new tab. Click the  on the far right-hand side of the screen to sign into your Amazon account and begin the wireless (WiFi) download of your title.

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