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Your free Acorn TV account is good for 7 days. You will need to log in to RBDigital and then Acorn TV again for another 7 day pass. There is no limit to the number of times you can log in and you do not need to sign up for a subscription.

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<https://www.hoopladigital.com/my/hoopla>

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BOOKS

OverDrive

Libby App is an update to the OverDrive app that's been on the market for 15 years. It enables readers of any age to browse and borrow from hundreds of thousands of best-selling books for free. Working with Cuyahoga County Public Library, we delivered a million digital books last year, and another million through Cleveland Public Library. Libby was awarded one of the top new apps on the Google Play store.

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Note: Calibre is the program I use on my computer to manage my eBooks I save.

Ecards that can be requested online: (*Recommend 1 CLEVNET card per user)

Ohio Digital Library <https://ohdbks.overdrive.com/ohdbks-amherst/content/support/card>

State Library of Ohio (SEO) <https://library.ohio.gov/using-the-library/get-a-library-card/>

Cincinnati Public library <http://www.cincinnati-library.org/account/application.aspx>

Toledo Lucas Public Library <http://www.toledolibrary.org/blog/a-library-card-for-the-digital-age>

Public library of Youngstown & Mahoning County <https://www.libraryvisit.org/online-registration/>

*Lorain public Library <https://www.lorainpubliclibrary.org/elibrary>

*Elyria Public Library <http://elyrialibrary.org/eCard/>

Mansfield Richland County Public library Ohio Digital Library
<https://www.mrcpl.org/about-us/policies/get-a-library-card-or-pin>

*Cleveland Public Library <https://cpl.org/apply-for-your-ecard/>

Columbus Metro Library

<https://www.columbuslibrary.org/content/how-do-i-get-library-card>

(A library card will be mailed to your home within 10 business days)

Cards applied for online allow access only to the library's electronic resources until fully activated.

To check out materials, bring your card to any full-service Columbus Metropolitan Library location to complete the registration.

Amazon Fire Tablet Apps

Overdrive	Axis360
Hoopla	Kanopy
Flipster	RBDigital

Apps for non-Fire devices

Kanopy	Freegal
Freading	Flipster
cloudLibrary	Hoopla
RBDigital	

Putting library books on Amazon Fire Tablet:

<http://www.westervillelibrary.org/kindle>

<https://www.howtogeek.com/111566/how-to-check-out-library-books-for-your-kindle/>

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yhs_9vVn6U

https://help.ebsco.com/interfaces/Flipster/Training_Promotion/Flipster_app_Android_Kindle_Fire_Tutorial

Lorain Library digital resource chart

<https://www.lorainpubliclibrary.org/platform/cms/2017/eTechTearOutRefSheet.pdf>

Many of the video services has apps for the Roku, Amazon Fire Stick etc.