## What's so great about Libby?

- You can read or listen to items right in the Libby app
- You can download items for offline enjoyment, or stream them to save space
- You can sign into multiple libraries, with one or more cards for each library
- You can highlight or annotate your text
- You can adjust the playback speed when listening to audiobooks
- You can tag titles to organize the books you've read, want to read, loved, or hated
- You can sample any book with one tap to help you decide if you want to borrow the book
- You can change your reading settings to enlarge your font, switch to an OpenDyslexic font, or change your lighting mode to sepia or dark
- You can see a progress bar to know how many pages you have left in a chapter or book
- You can find out the approximate wait time on a title to help determine whether or not to place something else on hold, or to borrow another title while you wait

## **FAQs:**

### Do I need an internet connection?

Only to browse the catalog and to download

## What happens when a title expires?

The titles will automatically return themselves, no action is needed on your part

## What if I don't finish my book?

The app will remember your place, simply check out the title again to resume reading. Your *Settings* controls how many past titles are remembered

### Can I renew a book?

Yes! If there are no holds on the title, you can renew two days before it is due. Simply tap on the cover for your details, and tap Renew Loan, then Renew!

## Can I return an eBook early?

Yes! Tap the cover, then Return Title to Library, and confirm by tapping Return!

# Need Help?

Stop by the library, attend one of our classes, or schedule an appointment with the Reference Librarian!

# Getting Started with Libby



## Hanson Public Library

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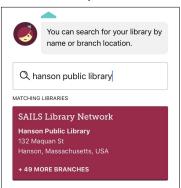
# 1. Install App

 Search for the free Libby app in your device's app store and install



- On first run, scroll through the welcome to "Search For a Library" or "Guess My Library."

  You can either search for your library or allow
  the app to use your current location to find
  the nearest library.
- Select the SAILS Library Network and the Hanson Public Library



- Choose what platform you intend to primarily use, Kindle or Libby (this can always be changed later)
- Enter your library card number and pin, and you are ready to listen or read!

# 2. Explore



• **Search:** you can search by title, author, or subject



• **Browse:** explore new materials and curated collections from your library



• **Libby:** manage your notifications, move between library collections, add a library or library card, and get help



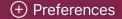
• Shelf: see all your loans, holds, and tags in one place. Renew items if you need more time or return items if you're done early



- **Timeline:** explore your checkout and holds history
- When searching for a book, tap on a cover to learn more, and tap Borrow to check out a title. If a title is unavailable you can always Place a Hold. Not sure you want the book? Read a sample!
- Customize your reading or listening experience! You can send books to your Kindle, or read within the Libby app. When reading, you can adjust the font, size, and lighting.
   When listening, you can adjust the playback speed and set a sleep timer.

# 3. Tips & Tricks

- All ebooks and audio books in this collection can be found through our main catalog! So if you're searching for a title though sails.ent.sirsi.net keep an eye out for "ebook" and "e-audio"
- The Refine button helps limit your search by format, language, availability, and more. The Preferences button modifies your default search and display settings.

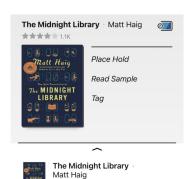


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 When browsing for items,
 Audiobooks will display a set of headphones under the book cover



 Item not available?
 Tap the schedule to find information about the



 You can check out 6 items at time

wait list

About 6 weeks wait at SAILS Library Network



and place up to 10 holds at a time