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# ORCA digital

## User Instructions for Orca Digital Subscriptions

Once you have logged into the Orca digital portal and clicked on Access my Subscription, you will see a screen displaying a number of collections. You can access books by clicking on the collection and then selecting **books** or by using the search tool on the right side of the screen.

To select a title, simply click on the cover image.

In the book record you have two options: **Read online** or **Download my book**

If you click on **Read online**, you will be taken to an online reader and you can begin reading your book.

\*If you are not happy with the online reader display, we recommend you download the book to your PC.

If you click on **Download my book**, you will be taken to a screen with a number of options.

First you need to **select your reading device**.

- You will need to download Adobe Digital Editions which is free software available here:  
[www.adobe.com/products/digitaleditions](http://www.adobe.com/products/digitaleditions)
- For iOS or Android devices you will be asked to also download **Bluefire Reader** which is a free app that you can get at your device's appstore. You will then need to authorize your Bluefire App to access your ADE account (there will be a button in the app)

After you have selected your device, you will be asked to **select a format**.

- For novels, the EPUB format is going to work better on most devices
- If you plan to read on a small device like a smartphone, we strongly recommend EPUB format
- If you have selected a book with illustrations, PDF will be the only format available to you
- For reading on your personal computer a PDF will work as well as an EPUB

The methods to load your book onto your device vary according to device. Here are some helpful links:

For Kobos:

<http://elibtronic.ca/content/20100624/adding-public-library-content-your-kobo-ebook-reader>

For iOS (iPad, iPod) and Android devices :

[www.bluefirereader.com/using-library-books.html](http://www.bluefirereader.com/using-library-books.html)

For Nooks:

<http://bookclubs.barnesandnoble.com/t5/NOOK-Simple-Touch-Support/Using-Adobe-Digital-Editions-ADE-Library-Books-and-Vendors-other/td-p/575651>