

## Checking Out and Downloading an eBook Using the OverDrive Media Console App 2.x or Older on iOS Devices (iPad/iPhone/iPod Touch)

For 1<sup>st</sup> generation iPad; original iPhone; iPhone 3G; and 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, or 3<sup>rd</sup> generation iPod Touch (iOS 5 or older)

In this handout, anything that you will tap is displayed in **Bold** font.

### To Access the OverDrive Digital Downloads Website

1. Tap the **OverDrive Media Console** icon to open the app.



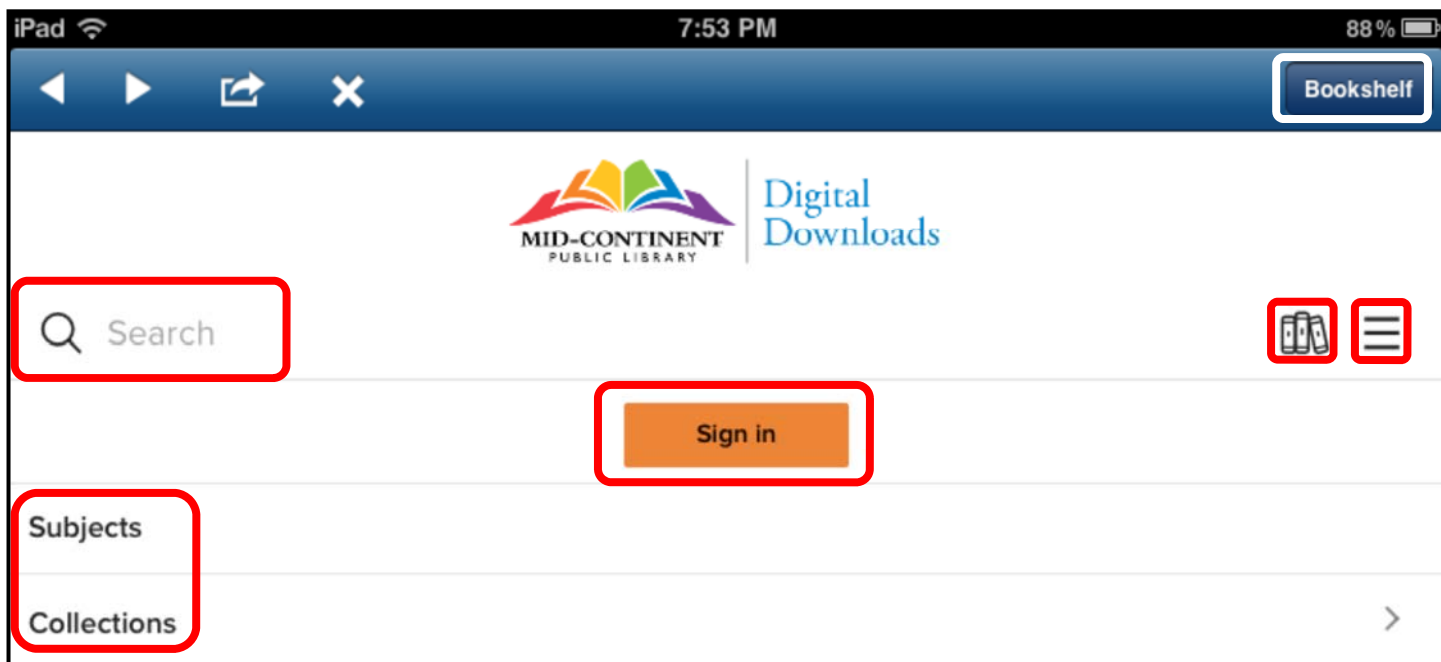
2. The Bookshelf or the OverDrive Digital Downloads website will display. If the Bookshelf displays, tap **Get Books** in the upper right corner.



3. Tap **Mid-Continent Public Library** to open the OverDrive Digital Downloads website. (If the Library does not display, tap **Add a Library** and follow the prompts.)

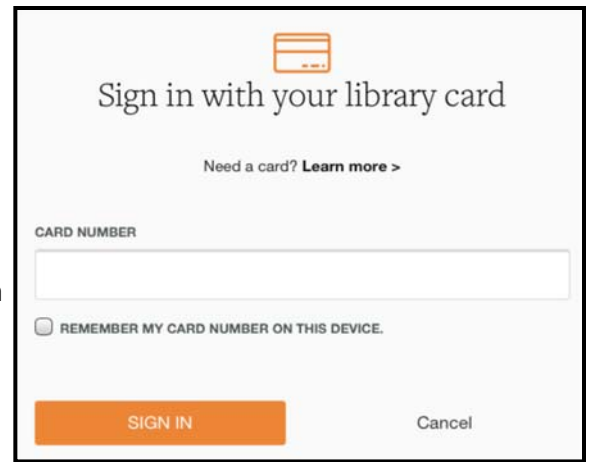
### Digital Downloads Homepage Overview

- **Search** allows you to type an author or title to search our collection of eBooks.
- The **Books** icon allows you to view your loans, holds, settings, and more.
- The **Menu** icon allows you to view or collapse options such as Sign in, My account (if signed in), Subjects, Collections, and Help.
- **Sign in** allows you to sign in to your account.
- **Subjects** allows you to browse the collection by subject or genre.
- **Collections** allows you to browse the collection by format (eBook or Audiobook), browse new titles, and most popular titles.
- **Bookshelf** allows you to return to your device's Bookshelf which displays the items you have downloaded to the app.
- The **MCPL** logo allows you to return to the Digital Downloads homepage.



## To Sign In to the Website

1. If you do not see the Sign In button in the upper right corner, tap the menu icon to display it. Tap **Sign In**.
2. Enter your Library card number. You can tap the box next to Remember my card number on this device and your device should remember your Library card number. Tap the **Sign In** button.
3. The Digital Downloads homepage will display.



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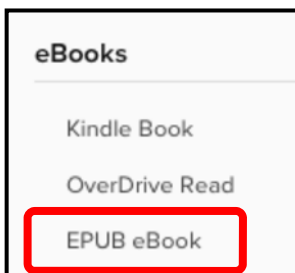
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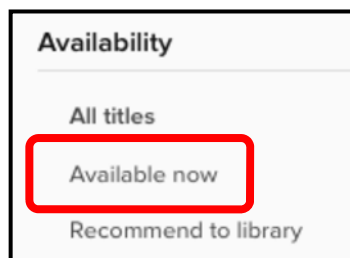
1. Enter search terms such as an author or title in the Search area and tap the **magnifying glass**. Alternatively, you can tap **Subjects** or **Collections** in the menu to browse for an eBook.



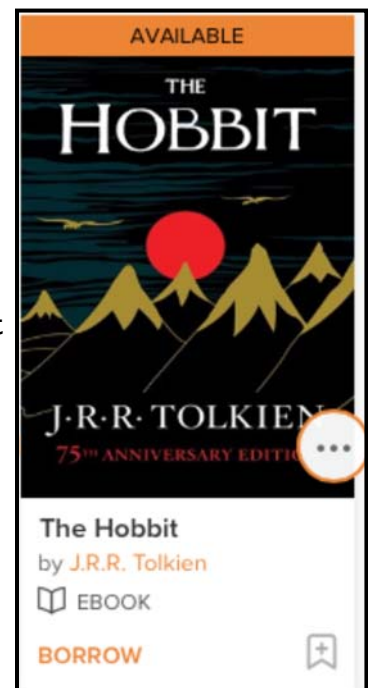
2. A search results page displays. At the bottom of each book cover, information displays indicating whether the item is an eBook or an audiobook. Information about the book's availability displays at the top of each book cover.
3. At the top of the page, there are options to filter the search.



Tap **Filters**, then tap **eBooks** to display the format options. Tap **EPUB eBook** to limit the search results to eBooks compatible with an iPad/iPhone/iPod Touch.



Tap **Filters** again. Tap **Available now** to limit the search to items that are available now to borrow.

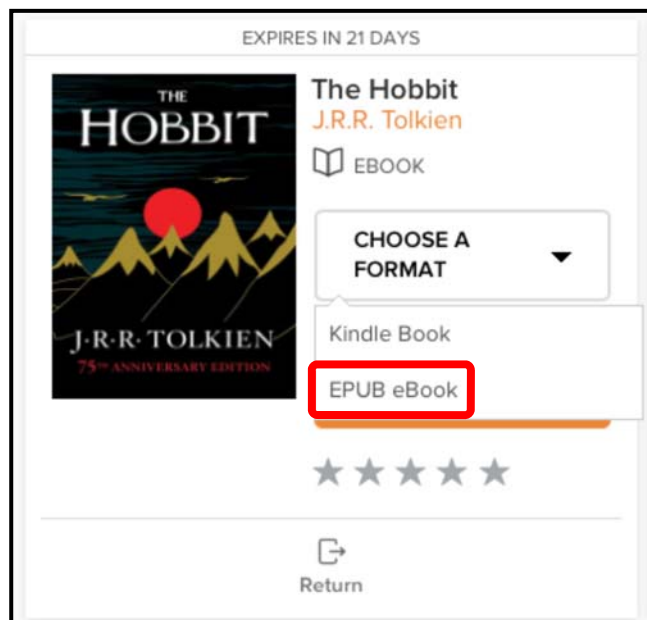


4. Tap **Borrow** below the cover of the eBook you want to check out.
5. A confirmation will display with your due date and a link to your Loans page. Tap the **link** to your Loans page.



### To Download an eBook

1. Tap the **Choose a Format** button to the right of the title.
2. Tap **EPUB eBook** from the dropdown menu.
3. The eBook will be automatically downloaded to your Bookshelf in the app.

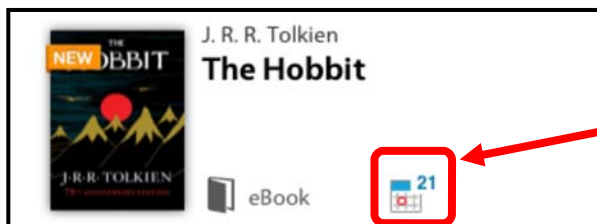


### To Read an eBook

1. Tap **Bookshelf** in the upper right corner to access your device's Bookshelf and your downloads.

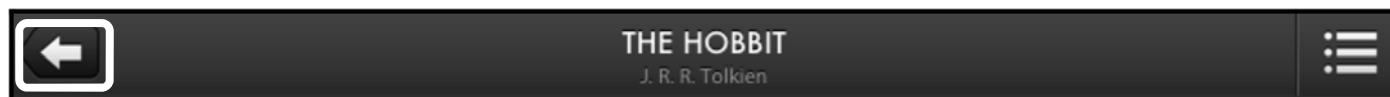


2. Tap the **book cover** to open the eBook and begin reading.



The number on the calendar icon displays how many days remain in the checkout period.

- To turn the pages of the book, tap the **right side** of the screen. (To return to previous pages, tap the **left side** of the screen.)
- To return to your device's Bookshelf, tap the **middle** of the screen to access the menu. Tap the **arrow** pointing to the left in the upper left corner.



## To Return and Delete an eBook

- Tap the **circle with a plus sign** to display the Return option.



- Tap **Return/Delete**.



- Tap **Return then Delete**.



- The eBook has been checked in from your account.