



Resources for Families

Local and online reading options for students

Local Public Libraries

Please be aware that these are open libraries, which means that there may be content that is not age appropriate. We recommend that you help your child select age appropriate materials.

Clackamas County Libraries



[Sign up for an e-library Card](#) (Many language available at bottom right)
[Hours & Locations](#)

- Happy Valley Branch
- Oak Grove
- Ledding (Milwaukie)
- Oregon City
- Gladstone
- Lake Oswego

Multnomah County Libraries



[Sign up for a library card](#) ([Español](#), [Tiếng Việt](#), [Русский](#), [简体中文](#))
[Locations and hours](#)

You can get a free library card if you live, own property, teach or go to school in:

- Clackamas County, (except for Johnson City)
- Hood River County
- Multnomah County
- Washington County

Available with your library card

Overdrive Apps

Our public libraries use [Overdrive](#) for ebooks and audiobooks. Overdrive can be added to chromebooks.

Hoopla

[Hoopla](#) contains multimedia. Families can borrow movies, music, e-books, and more.

Cloud Library

[Cloud](#) has unlimited ebooks and audiobooks. Here are some suggestions: [Teen Social Issues](#) [Teen apocalyptic Fiction](#) Unlike Overdrive, Cloud is not an app.

Internet Libraries

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[Newsela](#)



For students grade 6-12, Newsela is focused on building student reading comprehension by providing high-quality news articles and real-time assessments. Sign in with the student's school email for the NCSD premium subscription.

[Parents Guide to Podcasts](#)



There are many free podcasts being produced regularly for students at any grade level. While many podcasts are nonfiction, some fiction is also available. This page is a good starting place to find a podcast that interests your child and is appropriate to their grade level.

[Audible](#)



Anyone can listen to these **Audible** audiobooks sorted by age and available in eight languages. All stories are free to stream on your desktop, laptop, phone or tablet and you don't need an Audible account for this list. Listening to [Audiobooks](#) is reading.

[Voice of America - Learning English](#)



Learning English is **Voice of America's** multimedia source of news and information for millions of English learners worldwide. This site supports beginner through advanced learners.

[ESL-bits](#)



Helpful for secondary English Language Learners or struggling readers. **Bits** provides interesting stories and audio to help develop students' language. This site contains novels, stories, and audio clips.

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