



Dear Families,

Cambridge Public Schools is committed to bringing unique learning opportunities to our students. The CPS Library Department has curated a collection of digital eBooks and audiobooks for CPS students in **Sora**, the student reading app. The school community can discover new titles in Sora throughout the year, including school vacations!

Why Sora?

The collection of titles in Sora is an extension of each school's physical library, only it's in an app with 24/7 access to eBooks and audiobooks! It's convenient for students to check out titles at home, at school, on the weekends or during school breaks with no worry about misplacing a book or running up late fees – these digital titles automatically return at the end of the lending period!

Cambridge students also have automatic access to the Cambridge Public Library eBook and digital audiobook collections through their school Sora account!

Sora can help students of all ages, learning styles and ability levels find a just right book, experience the joy of reading, connect with others, learn more about the world, and improve comprehension. All readers—enthusiastic and reluctant, those with learning challenges, second language learners and advanced learners— can all benefit from engaging with Sora. Engaging with Sora can also:

- Enrich vocabulary and improve comprehension and pronunciation
- Introduce students to books above their reading level
- Teach critical listening
- Help busy kids find time to read
- Incentivize reading with fun avatars and achievements

How can my student access Sora?

1. Access Sora through student's [CPS Classlink account](#)
2. Download the free Sora app from the Apple App store, Google Play Store or visit <https://soraapp.com/library/masslibma> , find Cambridge Public Schools in the drop-down menu
3. Sign in with CPS Google Workplace credentials
4. Enjoy anytime, anywhere on a computer, tablet, or smartphone!

Whether a student's interest lies in graphic novels, the latest YA or juvenile fiction, classics, eBooks or audiobooks, they can find it all in Sora!

Where can I find more information?

- **Sora Help:** <https://help.soraapp.com/>
- **Sora How-To Videos:** <https://resources.overdrive.com/k-12-schools/how-to-videos/sora/>
- **[CPS Libraries Online Resources](#) or your school library website**

Sincerely,

Your CPS Library Team!