

Getting started with Overdrive on your iPad



You can use the OverDrive app to borrow and enjoy eBooks, audiobooks, and streaming video from [HBA's Overdrive library](#) and/or the [Hawaii State Public Library System](#) on your iOS device (iPhone/iPad/iPod touch).

Step 1

Download the OverDrive app from Self Service or the [Apple App Store](#).

Step 2

Open the OverDrive app and follow the prompts to create an [OverDrive account](#) .

- Choose “Sign up using library card.” (red button)
- Search for Hawaii Baptist Academy and select it.
- Sign in with your Username and Password (Students: It is your 7 digit student ID# and your last name; Faculty/Staff: It is your HBA Overdrive Login and Password, see Mrs. Huster if you don't know it).
- If you're under 13, select **I am under 13 years old**. (Those over 13 years can put in their HBA email address but this step is not necessary right now.)

Step 3

In the OverDrive app, tap **Add a library** and search for **Hawaii Baptist Academy**. (Afterwards, you can “Add a library” and search for the Hawaii State Public Library...you'll need an active library card)

- Tap the name of your library to save your library to your library list.
- Tap your library's name to start browsing.

Step 4

Log in to HBA Library's OverDrive website with your **HBA student ID#** and your **last name** as your password (teachers use the login info I gave you). Click here to [Borrow a book](#).

Step 5

To borrow a book, just tap on the cover of the book and tap on the Borrow button. The book is now "checked out" to you.

Step 6

You can Read your borrowed book several ways:

Reading in your Browser:

You can read the book immediately by selecting the Read (in your browser) button - this requires you to have WiFi access to read the book.

Downloading and Reading an EPUB ebook (recommended):

- Download [EPUB eBooks](#)* directly to the OverDrive app.
- Tap on "Add to App" and select ePub book then confirm and add to App.
- Find the downloaded book on your **Bookshelf in Overdrive** by tapping on the menu icon in top left corner of screen (3 horizontal lines ☰).

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