

CyberShelf: OverDrive READ


For optimal use, we recommend using Firefox or Google Chrome browsers.


What do I need to use PPLD OverDrive in my browser?

1. A Pikes Peak Library District card and PIN.
2. A computer or tablet with an Internet connection.

Browsing and Reading Instructions:

Step 1. Checkout eBooks

1. Click on **CyberShelf/OverDrive** in the upper navbar of ppld.org.
2. Click **Account** and enter in your library card number and PIN.
3. Click on the search icon  Click on **Advanced Search**. Under **All Formats**, select **OverDrive READ**.
4. Add any other search terms you would like and click **Search**.
5. Click on the cover of the book you want, then click **Borrow**.

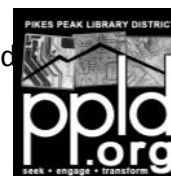
6. Click on the book icon  to go to your **Loans**. You will need to put in your library card and pin number. Tap the **REMEMBER MY CARD ON THIS DEVICE** to have the website remember your info.

7. Step 2. Read eBooks in your browser (OverDrive READ):

8. From your **Loans**, locate the title you wish to read.
9. Click **Read** (in your browser).
10. This will open a new window containing your eBook.
11. Click on **Start reading this book** (below the book description).
12. Using your mouse, click on the right side of the page to turn the page forward. Click on the left side of the page to go back a page.
13. To bookmark a page, click on the **ribbon icon** at the top center of the page. This will allow you to return to the same spot the next time you open this book.
14. Click on **Menu** at the top to customize your reading experience:
 - ⊕ The **Search** button gives options to search the book.
 - ⊖ The **Chapter** button allows you to skip to specific book sections.
 - 📌 The **Bookmark** button allows you to skip to your previous bookmarks.
 - Ⓐ The **Readability** button gives with options for **text scale, lighting, font, justification, and spacing**.

Need further assistance? Click on **Contact Support** at the bottom of every OverDrive page.

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Step 3. Read Offline (cached memory):

1. Before your device is offline, click on the **Menu** button at the center of the page.
2. Click on the **Download** button at the upper right hand corner (next to the **Close** button).
3. In your browser, click on **Favorites** or **Bookmarks**. Add the book you are reading as a favorite or bookmark. (Your browser must be set to remember history.)
4. To return to your book at a later time (including when your computer is offline), click on **Favorites** or **Bookmarks**, find the title you wish to read, and click it.

You will automatically be returned to the last page you were viewing.