



**Free streaming digital videos, music, audiobooks, e-books
comics, and binge passes on your smartphone, tablet or
computer!**

***Supported Devices:**

iOS 15+ (Apple App Store)

Android 7.1+ (Google Play Store)

Amazon Kindle Fire and TV FireOS 6+ (Amazon App Store)

Android Auto

Apple CarPlay

Android TV

Roku 7.8 +

Samsung TV 2020 and on

Windows 7, 8.1, 10 & 11, MacOS 11+, or Chromebook

(web browser – hoopladigital.com)

Requirements:

- Must have a valid Newington library card
- Must have a device capable of connecting to the Internet
- Must have a device capable of downloading apps

Setting up Hoopla

Using a personal computer:

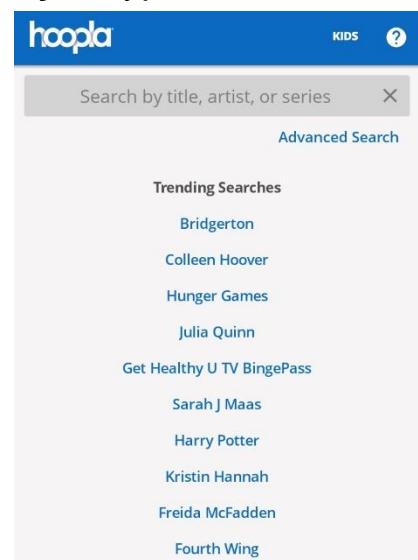
- Go to hoopladigital.com
- Click **Log In** or **Get Started Today** (top of screen)
- Create your account by using an email address, a password, and your library card number
- Select Lucy Robbins Welles Library



Setting up Hoopla

Using a tablet or smartphone

- Open the app store of the device
- Search for **Hoopla**
- Tap the result for **Hoopla**
- Tap the **Get** or **Install** button next to the search result for Hoopla. If you see the *Open button*, the device already has Hoopla installed
- Tap Sign Up. Select **Lucy Robbins Welles Library** or type in the library name
- Create your account by using an email address, a password, and your library card number

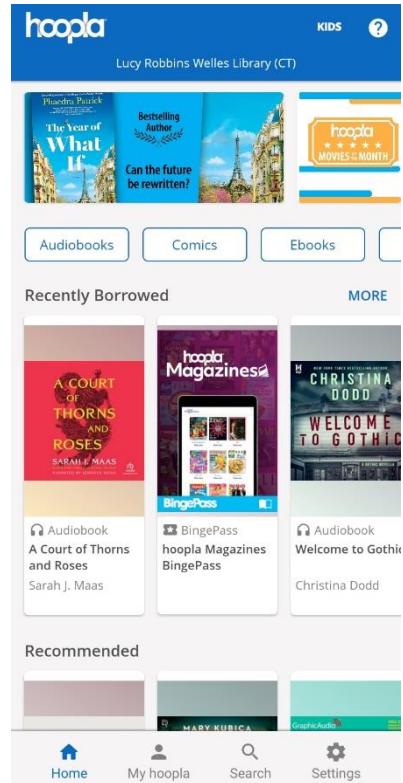


Search and Check Out

1. Tap the **magnifying glass (search) icon** at the bottom of the screen
2. Type in an author, title, or keyword
3. Once you have entered all your information, click the **Search** button on your keyboard, OR click on any search result such as *trending searches* that appears below the search box
4. When you find a title that you wish to check out, click on the title, then click **Borrow**
5. You can also click the **Heart** to favorite an item to go back to later
6. There are never any wait lists. See a title you want and check it out!
7. After borrowing an item, the blue borrow button will read **Play or Read**



8. Tap the **My Hoopla** icon on the bottom of the screen to view, read, or listen to your borrowed titles



Browsing

1. From the **home page** tap the format of the material you wish to search. **Audiobooks, comics, e-books, movies, music, television, binge pass.**
2. From any of these tabs, scroll down to see genres like **Popular, Featured, and Recommended**. You can also click on **Genres and Collections** to browse many more categories
3. Each cardholder can check out up to **8 titles** per month. As of March 2024, “**Bonus Borrows**” will occur the last week of every month in addition to the 8 regular borrows.



Reading/Listening

1. Click **My Hoopla** at the bottom of the screen
2. At the top of that screen, click **Borrowed** to show your borrowed titles
3. Click **Favorites** to see titles you have favorited
4. Click on a title and tap **Read/Listen**

Renewing and returning

1. Hoopla titles will automatically return after the loan duration. They can be re-checked out immediately, and should save your place if you were not finished
2. If you want to return the item before its due date, click on the title, scroll down the page, and click **Return**

***Please call the library (860-665-8700) with questions or to
schedule a tech help appointment with a librarian***

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