

Freading

*Supported Devices:

Compatibility on Windows, Mac, iOS and some Android devices

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
- May have to download the Adobe Digital Editions app in addition to the Freading app in order for Freading to work

Install Adobe Digital Editions on the device

1. Open the app store of the device
2. Search for **Adobe Digital Editions**
3. Tap the result for **Adobe Digital Editions**
4. Tap the **Get** or **Install** button next to the search result for **Adobe Digital Editions**. If you see the *Open* button, the device already has **Adobe Digital Editions** installed
5. Open the app and tap **OK** on the **Access required** message



Install Freading on the device

6. Open the app store of the device
7. Search for **Freating**
8. Tap the result for **Freating**
9. Tap the **Get** or **Install** button next to the search result for **Freating**. If you see the *Open* button, the device already has **Freating** installed

Setting up Freading

1. Type in either your *Library Name*, *Zip Code*, *City*, *State* or *Country*

2. Tap **Find Library**
3. Tap **Lucy Robbins Welles Library**
4. If you have an account, under **Sign In**, enter your email and password and tap **Sign In**
5. If you need to make an account, scroll down to **Sign Up** and enter your library card number, email, and create a password and tap **Sign Up**
6. Depending on your device it may take a few minutes to activate

Searching

1. Tap on the search bar that says, **Enter Keywords to search**
2. Type what you are searching for and tap on **the magnifying glass**
3. After you tap on search, you can tap on **Filter Results**, such as by *Category, Format, Language, Author, and Average Rating*

Browsing

1. You can browse by **Pick of the Week** at the top of the app, or you can scroll down to **Featured** and choose a category
2. Under **All, eBooks, and Audiobooks** are genres to choose from
3. Tap on **More...** under each genre to view a full list

Checkouts

1. Tap on the book you would like to check out
2. Tap **Download EPUB**
3. Tap on **My Downloads**
4. Type in your library card number to **Get** or **Reserve** the item

Reading/Listening

1. After borrowing the book, tap the **Menu** on the red bar
2. Tap on **Library** and tap the book you wish to read/listen to

Get Back to the Homepage

1. Tap **Menu** on the red bar and tap, **Get Books**

Returning

1. **Freading** titles will automatically return after the **2-week loan duration**. They can be re-checked out immediately, and should save your place if you were not finished

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

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