



Overdrive Directions

1. Overdrive can be used via a computer/laptop or mobile device. If you are using a computer/laptop, go to this address <http://iu13.lib.overdrive.com/> and then start with #8 below. Start with #3 below if you want to use Overdrive via a mobile device (tablet, iPad, smartphone).
2. Download **Overdrive Media Console** from the App Store or Google Play.
3. There will be several screens on mobile devices asking you to 1) Sign up for an Overdrive account. You can choose to say you are under 13 years old and go on to the next step.

An Overdrive account allows the user to sync their bookmarks, etc. on multiple devices. You do not need an Overdrive account to use the service.

4. Click the menu button in the upper left-hand corner.
5. Click on Add a library.
6. Search for your school district. Click on the name of your school district, then Lancaster-Lebanon Intermediate Unit 13.
7. Use the IU 13 drop-down menu to find your school district.
8. Sign in using you're the **account that your district uses for LDAP (if not sure, see your librarian).**
9. Now you can search the catalog,
10. When you have found a title you want to read, click on Borrow Book.
11. You have the option to either:

- a. Read (in your browser). * You will need Wifi to use this option.
- b. Download (to your device). * Only choose Download if this is your personal device/computer. You do not need Wifi after you download the book.



12. Books will automatically disappear/return after 2 weeks if you do not return them early (or what your district has determined as the lending period).
13. You may return the book early by clicking on the Return Title button.
14. If you checked out the books using a computer at the Overdrive website, you may login on any computer with Wifi to read the book in the browser OR on your device.
15. Click on Account to see your books. Your books will be there to download or read in the browser.



To Create an Overdrive Account

1. When using the mobile App, you can sign up for an Overdrive account, but it is not necessary. Because Overdrive is associated with different libraries, a personal e-mail address is recommended for long-term use. It is possible for your entire family to use the same Overdrive Account and tie it to different library users and accounts.
2. Overdrive will send a verification e-mail. Be sure to access your e-mail and click on the link provided before continuing.
3. Sign in to your Overdrive Account.