MAXIMIZE YOUR LIBRARY CARD

[Image of various apps and logos]

HOWE LIBRARY
Expand your world
THERE IS SO MUCH YOU CAN DO WITH YOUR LIBRARY CARD

Welcome
What do you need?

- A computer, tablet, or smartphone
- An internet connection
- Your Howe Library card number (14 digits)
- Your PIN (last 4 digits of your phone number)
You may also need:

- The account information for your device’s app store (e.g. Apple ID)
- Your email account information if you need to verify your email address
How to get started

- Visit [http://www.thehowe.org](http://www.thehowe.org) and go to Collections & Resources ➔ Online Tools
Downloadable eBooks, audiobooks & magazines
Can use your computer, tablet, smartphone or e-reader
Libby app is Overdrive's preferred app for downloading and reading ebooks and magazines and listening to audiobooks
Overdrive & Libby

- No “on demand” - 1 person per copy at a time
- Can have 3 items out at a time
  - Can choose 7- or 14-day loan period
- Can have 5 items on hold
  - If you have an item on hold, keep one of your checkouts open!
Overdrive
& Libby
Overdrive & Libby

- Magazines can be read in your computer browser or in the Libby App.
- Checkout period is 14 days.
- Magazines do not count against your checkout limit.
Enjoy a Digital Magazine!

The 25 digital magazines in the collection can be checked out without impacting how many eBooks or audiobooks you can borrow at once. They can be read on a computer browser or within the Libby app on a mobile device. Enjoy!

Overdrive & Libby
Streaming Films
8 credits a month
  • 1 credit = 1 film or TV episode (no matter how long it is)
• Have 3 days (72 hours) to watch once you hit play
• Save films to watch later under "My Watchlist"
• See what you have viewed (and when it expires) under "Viewing History"
• A curated collection of movies and shows for kids aged 2 and up
• Do not count against your play credits
• Can set up a PIN to prevent little ones from accessing Kanopy
• Kanopy includes a large selection of The Great Courses
• Do not count against your play credits
  • Watch courses at your own pace
Same content as on lynda.com but FREE with your library card when accessing via thehowe.org

Video tutorials and classes on a variety of business, technology, software, and creative topics

Go at your own pace

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- Save courses to watch later in "My Playlists"
- "Continue Watching" saves your progress in courses you are working on
Access newspaper and magazine articles

Many are full text (think read right now or on-demand)

- PDF or HTML – same content, different delivery

Also includes health and business information

Can email articles to yourself or save to your computer
EBSCO Login Screen from Home
Access Consumer Reports articles, reviews & ratings
Search by product type or brand name
Can access anywhere you have an internet connection
Must go to our website first to get an access code
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  - Free to create if you do not have one
- You will then have access to the NYT website for 24 hours
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- After 24 hours, you will need to visit our website again and repeat this process
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New York Times

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- 71 options, including ESL for 21 languages
- Create an account to keep track of your progress
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- Can email documents to yourself.
Research Aids

Oxford ENGLISH Dictionary

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