GETTING STARTED
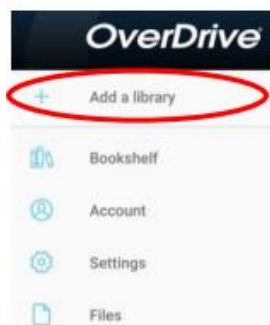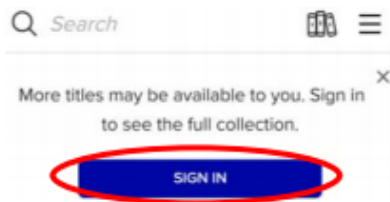
⟶ *Make sure you are connected to WiFi or Internet, and you have your library card number*

1. To start, download the OverDrive Media Console app to your device.
    - *Go to the App Store and search for OverDrive Media Console.*
2. Open up the app and you will see the **Sign Up Screen**
3. Tap on **Sign Up** and create an **OverDrive Account** to *authorize your app and device:* enter your name and email address.
    - Create a password and then click on **Sign Up** to complete the process.

USING THE APP

1. Once you're signed in with an OverDrive Account, you can start using the app to find books! First, you must add a library.
2. Tap the **Menu** icon ☰ in the top left corner of the app. This will open the **Main App Menu**.
3. Tap on **+Add a Library,** and search for **11786**. Tap on **North Shore Public Library**, then tap on **Live-Brary.com Downloads.**
4. Sign in with your library card number by clicking on the blue **Sign In** button. Choose your library then type in your library barcode and password.
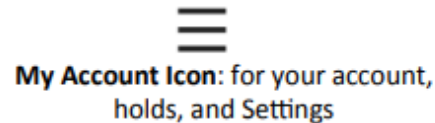

Main App Menu

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OVERDRIVE CATALOG AND SETTINGS

1. Once logged in, you will be able to start searching and browsing for titles.
2. Use the **Search Bar** to look for titles and authors. As you type, search suggestions will appear.
3. To find your borrowed titles, tap on the **Loans** icon.
4. To browse Subjects & Collections, as well as find your **Account, Settings** and more, tap the **My Account Icon.**
    - **My Account:** Your loans, holds, wish list, and settings
    - **Settings:** Set your default lending period for borrowed titles (7, 14, or 21 days)
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Search Bar | Tap here for your **Loans** | **My Account Icon**: for your account, holds, and Settings

FINDING BOOKS

1. There is a main page where you can browse new, popular, recommended titles and more.
2. You may also choose to browse by Subjects or Collections, or search for books by title or author.
    - *You can learn more about a book by clicking on its cover.*
3. Titles come in two formats: **eBook** and **Audiobook.** The format is found beneath the title and author information. Make sure you are checking out the correct format.
4. If a title is immediately available, the blue bar above the cover will say **AVAILABLE.**
5. Some titles are not automatically available. If this happens, the bar will say **WAIT LIST**.
    - You may place a hold on a title by clicking **PLACE A HOLD** and following the instructions.

BORROWING AND DOWNLOADING

1. Once you have found a title you would like to borrow, simply click on **BORROW** (in blue). The title will be checked out to you and placed in your Loans.
2. To download the title, tap on the **Loans Icon**, find the title then tap on **DOWNLOAD (EPUB e-book)**. The title will begin to download to the app.
3. To begin reading or listening to your title, simply tap on the **Main App menu** and then tap on **BOOKSHELF**.
4. Tap on the book cover and you are ready to go!