Borrowing an Audiobook on Hoopla

1. First, go to hoopladigital.com on your computer - you will need to make an account and will need your library card to do so.

2. Go ahead and create your account. Once you do, you'll be able to log in. If you already have an account, it will not let you assign your library card to another account. Instead, you will have to get a new password.

3. After you log in, you'll see the Hoopla landing page. The thing that sets Hoopla apart from Libby is that Hoopla carries items that only the library owns, unlike the co-op which we share with other branches. If you can't find it on Libby, try Hoopla and if you can't find only Hoopla - you can request it.

4. From this page, you can see how many borrows you have for the month or use the search to find a book, movie, audiobook or any music. Unlike Libby where you're restricted by how many borrows in total, the borrow amounts reset every month. Hoopla has two different hold types: Instant and Flex. Here are the differences between the two.
5. Searching for a book is super easy - the search bar (located at the top of the page) gives you a ton of options in the drop-down box to narrow your selections.

6. If you search for a book and it appears but with the words “not in catalog”. And if you would like to read it - you can request it! The library will decide on whether or not the specific item is worth purchasing and you will be notified when the item is available.

7. Much like eBooks, there are two types of audiobooks: Instant and Flex. An Instant borrow has no waitlist while a Flex borrow might have a waitlist.

8. To find an audiobook you would like to listen to, you can search for it in the search bar - in this case, we're going to listen to an Instant audiobook. Click on the audiobook that you want and choose Borrow. You can listen to the book in your browser but can only download it on a mobile device. Go ahead and click Borrow Title and you will see that it's been borrowed to your hoopla. We can now listen to it!
The audiobook player will be at the bottom of your screen so you can continue searching without it getting in the way of what you're doing. If you're not using your browser, and just want to listen to the book while you do something else, you can hit the carrot to the left of the play button and it brings up the full audiobook player.

The player gives two options on how you would like to listen: by chapter (how much time is left) and by book (how much is left in your book). It also gives controls for how fast or slow you'd like to listen to your book, a sleep timer, chapters, bookmarks and a place to report any problems.

When you're done listening, you can either return it early or just let the loan expire, it returns itself! (Unfortunately, you don't gain back an Instant Borrow when you return your Instant audiobook - you can with Flex Borrows!)

You can also listen to your audiobook on the app. Here's what it looks like for an audiobook (you can also choose the car view option) and the controls are very similar to the browser version.
Moon Knight By Lemire & Smallwood

by Jeff Lemire
Illustrated by Greg Smallwood

Issues v1-14
Part 1 of the Moon Knight (2016-2017) series

Marc Spector (a.k.a. Moon Knight/Jake Lockley/Serien Grant) has been fighting criminals and keeping New York City safe for years... or has he? When he wakes up in an insane asylum with no powers and a lifetime's worth of medical records, it's all identity - identities, into question. Something is wrong, but is that something Marc himself? Delve deep beneath the mask of Moon Knight to meet the many men inside his head! While Steven Grant prepares for a box-office smash, Jake Lockley is arrested for murder! And as the muddled mind of Moon Knight broadens, the walls between his different lives begin to crumble...
Episodes

Cocaine Blues

EPISODE 1  57 min.

Invited to a relative’s home where a murder has just occurred, Phryne soon finds herself in a world of drug smuggling and illegal abortion. As she sets about solving the first crime, she ends up getting embroiled in the other two.

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