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Via the OverDrive App

(On tablets, smartphones, Chromebooks, and devices running Windows 8 and up).

STEP 1

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STEP 2

Open the OverDrive app and follow the prompts to **Sign in** with a free OverDrive account. If you don't already have an account, choose the **Sign up** option and create one using an email address and password. If you are under 13, select the **Under 13** option.

STEP 3

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STEP 4

To view all titles available to you through Nebraska OverDrive Libraries, and to borrow titles, you must sign in. Tap **Sign in**. Select your library from the list, and enter your library card number and PIN/Password (if required). Search or browse for available titles. Tap **Borrow** under an available title to check it out.

STEP 5

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