

## Kindle eBooks on OverDrive

### Getting to OverDrive/SALON

- Go to the Crandall Public Library website: [www.crandalllibrary.org](http://www.crandalllibrary.org)
- On the left side of the page
  - Click on “Find Books and More”
  - Click on “Downloadable Media”
  - Click on the “Download audiobooks and ebooks” picture
- This will open up SALON in a new window
  - Click on “Login” in the upper right of the page
  - Type in your 13 digit library card number & click “Login”

### Searching for eBooks

You have several options to find books:

- Basic Search
  - In the top right corner, type in the box under “Search Digital Media” and click “Go” (This will bring up both audiobooks & eBooks)
- Advanced Search
  - Click on “Advanced Search” at upper right of screen (under the basic search box)
    - Fill in the information
    - Click “Search”
  - You can also use the “Advanced Search” to find out what’s available
    - Change the format to “Kindle Book”
    - Check the box “Only show titles with copies available”
    - Click “Search”
- Browse
  - Scroll about half way down the page, on the left side will be “eBooks”
  - Click on “All eBook Titles” or “Browse eBooks”

### Checking out eBooks

- Click on “Add to Cart”
- Click on “Proceed to Checkout”
- Click on “Confirm Checkout”
- Click on “Get for Kindle”

- When the Amazon page opens
  - Click on “Get library book” in green box (If you are not already logged in to your Amazon account, you will be prompted to log in now)
- When you see the “Thanks, *Your Name!*” page, you have successfully downloaded a library eBook to your Amazon account
- The next time you sync your Kindle, your title will be on your eReader

If you do not have access to wifi, you can transfer your library eBooks to your Kindle via USB:

- On the “Thanks, *Your Name!*” page,
  - Click on “Download Now”
  - When the File Download dialog box opens click “Save”
    - Helpful Hint: Create a new folder in your Documents folder specifically for your library eBooks.
  - When the download is complete
    - Open the folder where the eBook was saved
  - Plug in your Kindle
  - Open the “Documents” folder on your Kindle
  - Drag & drop the file from your computer to your Kindle
  - Your library eBook is now on your Kindle

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