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Co-op Academy Manchester is now providing eBooks for students to be able to read wherever they are. The system is called ePlatform, a library lending system designed to make the borrowing and reading of eBooks enjoyable and seamless.

Through ePlatform students are able to browse for, borrow and read eBooks and Audiobooks anywhere, anytime, on multiple devices. (Audiobooks coming soon!) Students can borrow up to two books at a time, for two weeks at a time. They can also put in reservations for books which may be on loan.

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- Internet access
- A compatible device to read an eBook on or listen to an Audiobook (a computer, tablet or smartphone) within a modern web browser (eg. Google Chrome, Firefox, Internet Explorer 10, Safari etc.)

How do you read eBooks or listen to Audiobooks?

You can read eBooks directly in your browser at <https://coopacademy.eplatform.co/>
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Alternatively, the simplest way to read eBooks or listen to Audiobooks is to access the free ePlatform app. Through this app students can easily find our library, then access all the titles available and read or listen to them via their browser – even if offline, all via their tablet or smartphone.

The app can be accessed on an iPad, iPhone, Galaxy and most other devices. Using it is as easy as 1-2-3:

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2. Look for our school by searching for **Co op academy Manchester** (please note that there is a space between Co and op) and log in - you'll only need to do this once.
3. Search for, borrow and read or listen to any book you want!

Both the ePlatform app and website allow eBooks to be read via your browser. This means students can read either online or offline, and have access to a full range of display settings so you can customize your reading experience to match your preferences.

What devices can you use ePlatform on?

- **Apple devices (eg. iPhone, iPad or iPod Touch (requires iOS7 or higher))**
Download the app from Apple App Store (<https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/eplatform-by-wheelers/id912668852>).
- **Android devices (eg. Galaxy Tab, Galaxy S, Galaxy Note, HTC devices)**
Download the app from Google Play (<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.eplatform.android.googleplay>).
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