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How to start

What is hoopla?

Hoopla is a digital service that allows library patrons to borrow a wide selection of movies, books, and more. It's free to sign up with your valid library card-- just create an account and start browsing!

You can access Hoopla with your computer, smartphone, or tablet--just download the app to browse anytime, anywhere! Hoopla, as a service, has a wide variety of new items with less wait time, so it's your best bet for the hot new releases you've been dying to get your hands on.

What do I need?

In order to use Hoopla you need:

- 1. A valid library card
- 2. An email address

If you have previously registered an email address with Hoopla, it will remember it, and you will not be able to make a new account.

What's the catch?

Hoopla is a service that your library pays for, so there are limits. **The Millis Public library supports 5 checkouts per month on your card.** These digital borrows will reset every month and you can borrow more than one title at a time.

Books are available for **21 days**, videos are available for **72 hours**, and music titles are available for **7 days** after you borrow.

If that's not enough, you can supplement it with our other online streaming service--Overdrive (for desktop use) or Libby (for use with your smartphone/tablet)!

How Do I get started?

Go to the Millis Public Library's E-Resources page, scrolling down to Hoopla link.

If you want to download the app, there are links to the appropriate store for you to follow.

This guide will help you create an account on your PC.

Featured Resources

E-Books, Audio books, Videos, and Downloadable Music

OverDrive and Libby- Downloadable books, audio books, graphic novels, magazines, and movies.

Libby is an app-only subsection of Overdrive, focused on books and audio books.

- Overdrive is also available as an app for Apple or for Android. If you need help, you can check out their guide here.
- Libby is also available for both Apple and Android.

Freegal Music - Access to over 9 million songs that you can download and keep.

Hoopla - Instantly borrow digital movies, music, and more, for free with your library card.

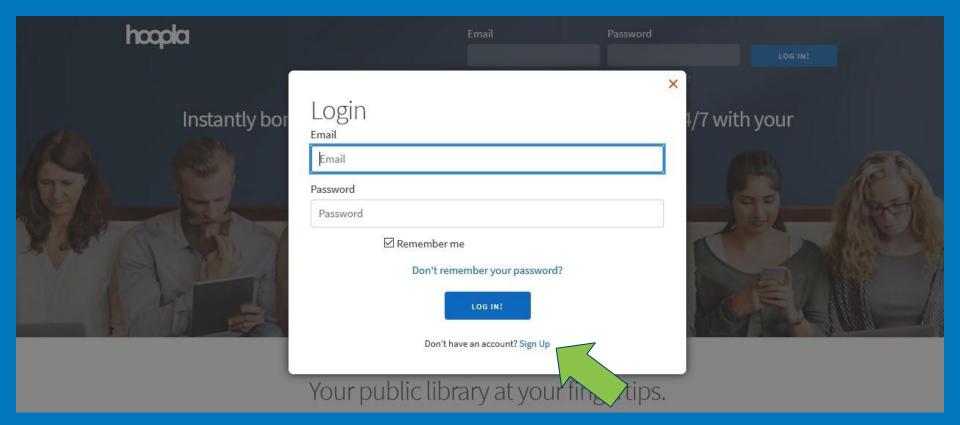


- Also available as an app for Apple or for Android!
- As of Dec. 1, 2018 the monthly checkout limit for hoopla digital has been reduced from 10 per user to 5 per user. Learn more here.

Geneology

Heritage Quest – Powered by Ancestry®, this site provides access to more than 4.4 billion records. It delivers an essential collection of genealogical and historical sources—with coverage dating back to the 1700s—that can help people find their ancestors and discover a place's past.

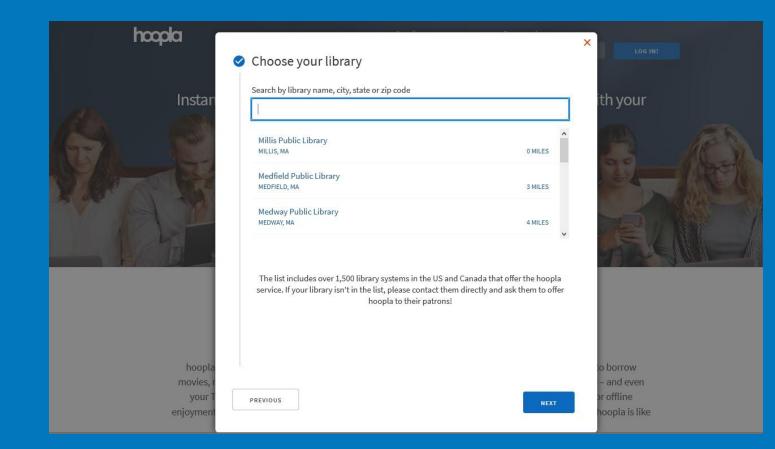
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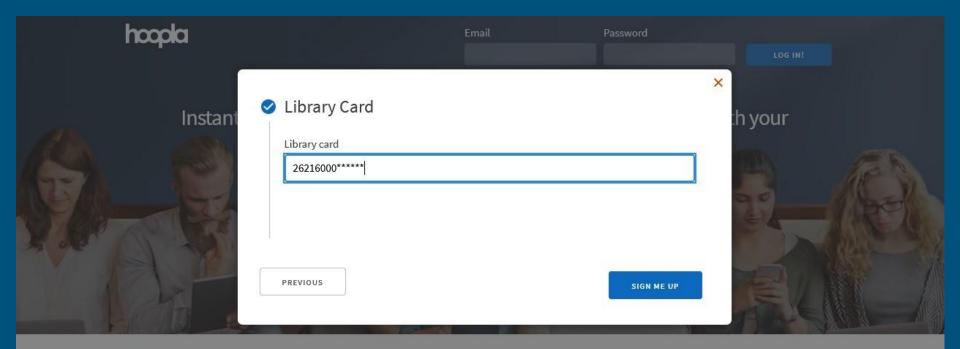
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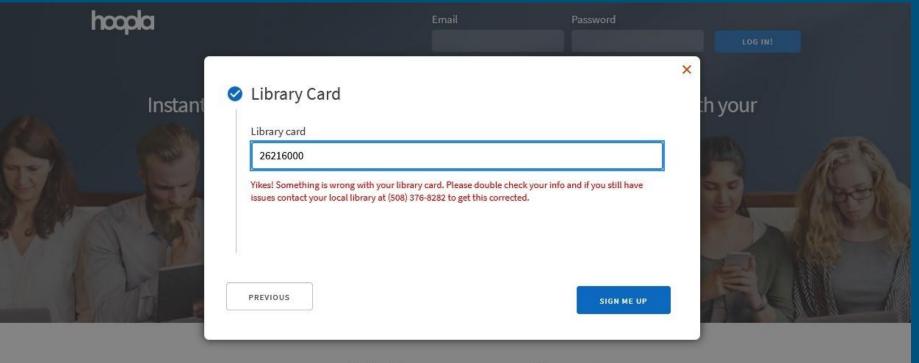


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Your public library at your fingertips.

Enter your library card number and click sign me up!



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(If you're having issues--don't worry! Give us a call and we'll try and help!)



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Any other questions?

Give us a call at (508) 376-8282, or check out Hoopla's help page at https://www.hoopladigital.com/help

Happy browsing!