

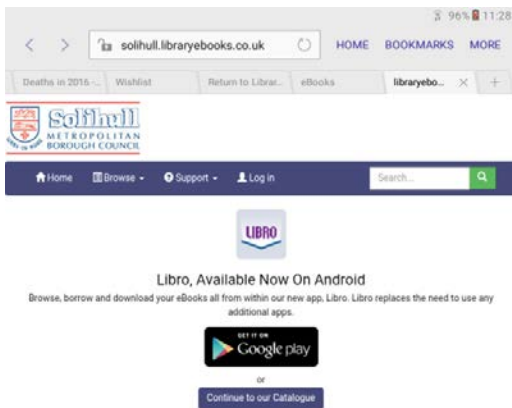


Using Libro to download ebooks

Libro lets you download ebooks from Solihull Libraries, manage them, and read them all within the same free app.

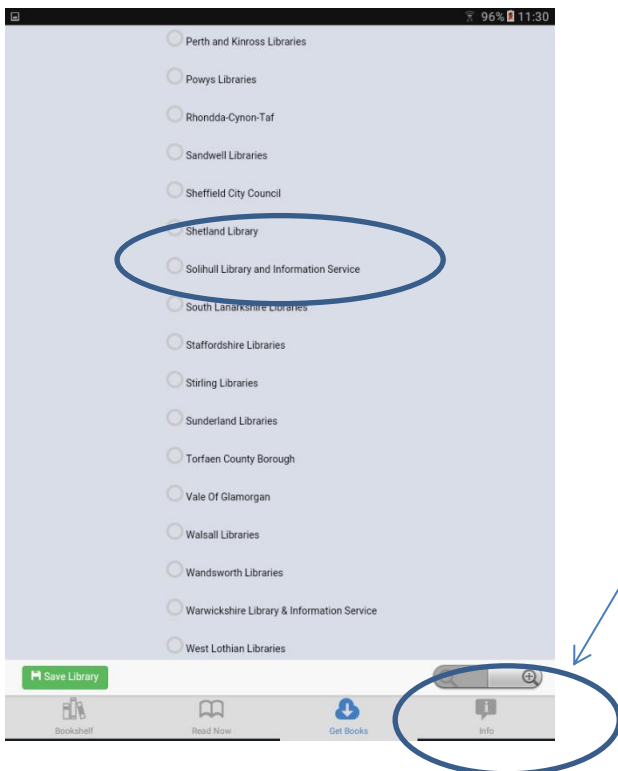
You can continue to use the service with existing apps if you wish.

Downloading Libro



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Setting up Libro

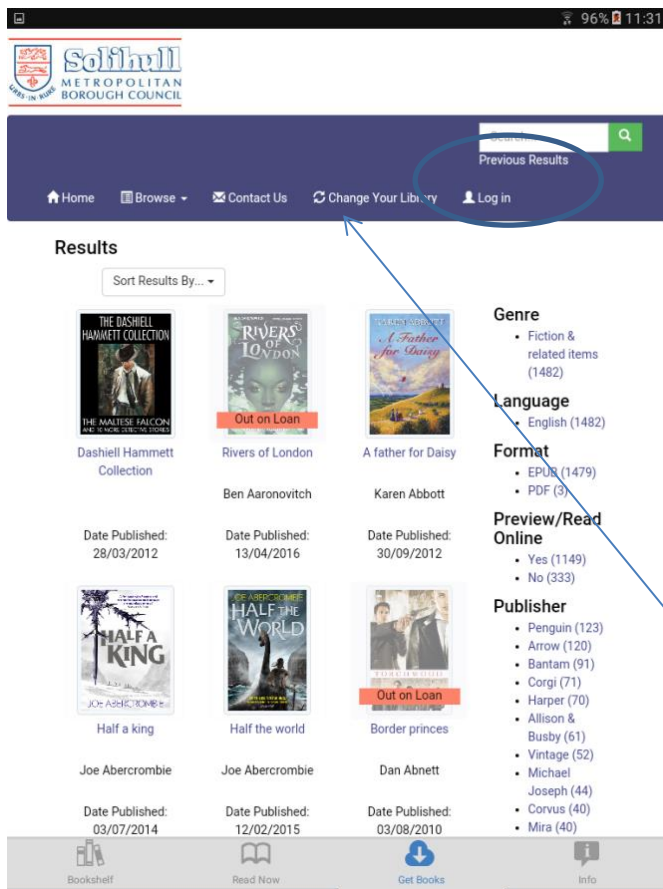


When you open Libro, you will be asked to choose which library service you use – choose Solihull from the list. If you use another library service as well you can change this in the app.

You can save this option for future use, using the button at bottom left.

If you have an Adobe ID, this will need to be entered to register the device – do this by clicking on Info at bottom right.

If you don't have an Adobe ID, see the end of these instructions.



The screen will then go to the ebooks page for Solihull, login with your library card number and PIN as normal.

Choose an available title from the list shown; if the title you want is on loan you can ask to be notified when it becomes available.

You can borrow 3 books for up to 3 weeks.

The option to Change your Library is next to the Login icon.

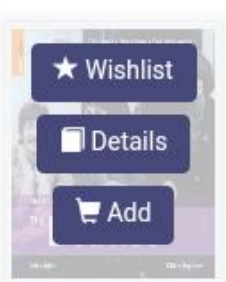
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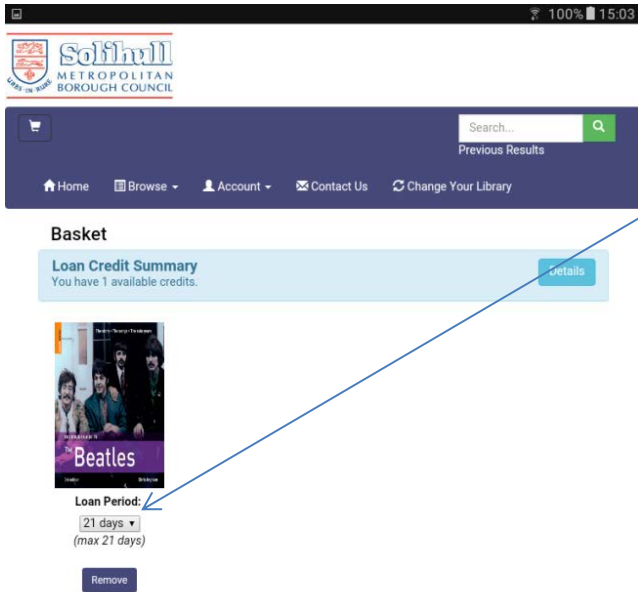
The rough guide to the Beatles

Chris Ingham

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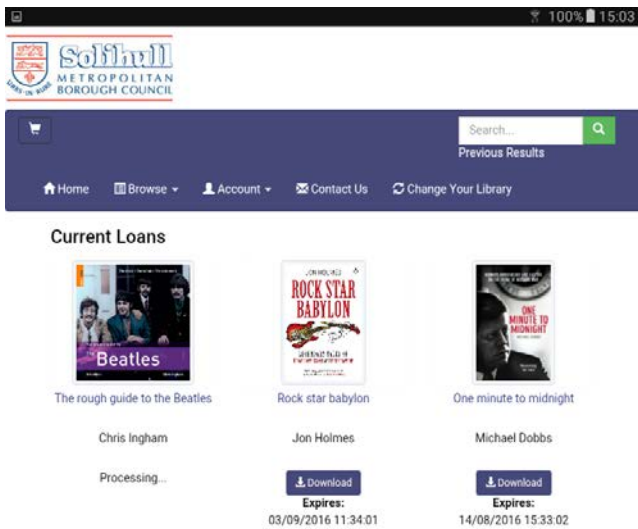
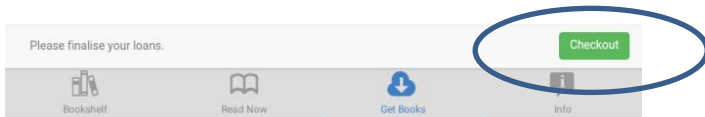
Once you've chosen a book, move the mouse over it, and the 3 icons at the left will show.

If you want to add the book to your "shopping" basket, click on Add



Once the title is in your basket, you can choose the number of days you want it for, by choosing from the drop down menu. If you are likely to finish the book quickly, choose a shorter time, as you cannot return books early.

Click on Checkout to finalise your loan ready for download, or Remove to choose another book instead.

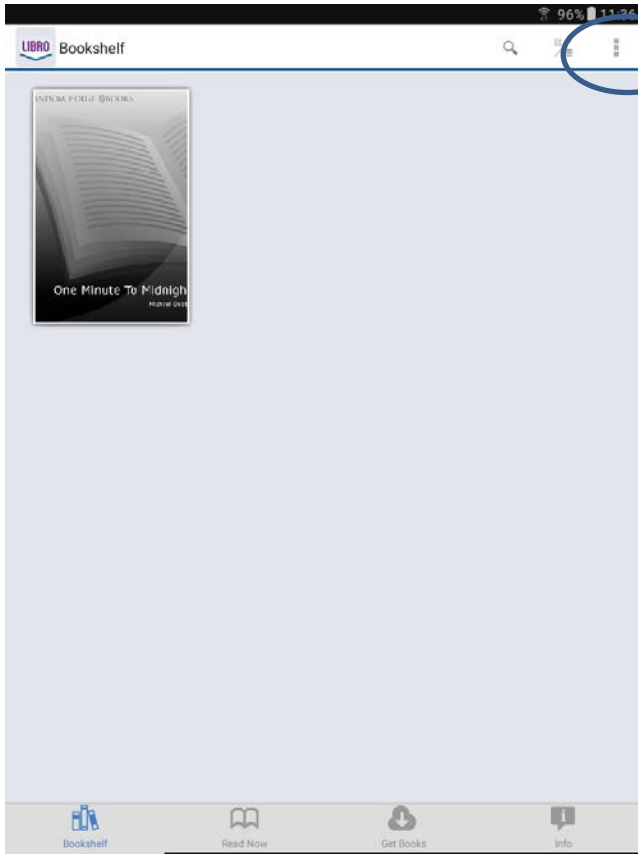


Checked out books will appear in your Current Loans with the expiry date shown.

While the book is being prepared, Processing will show. Once this is done, you can click on Download.

You will then be asked if you want to read the book now or later.



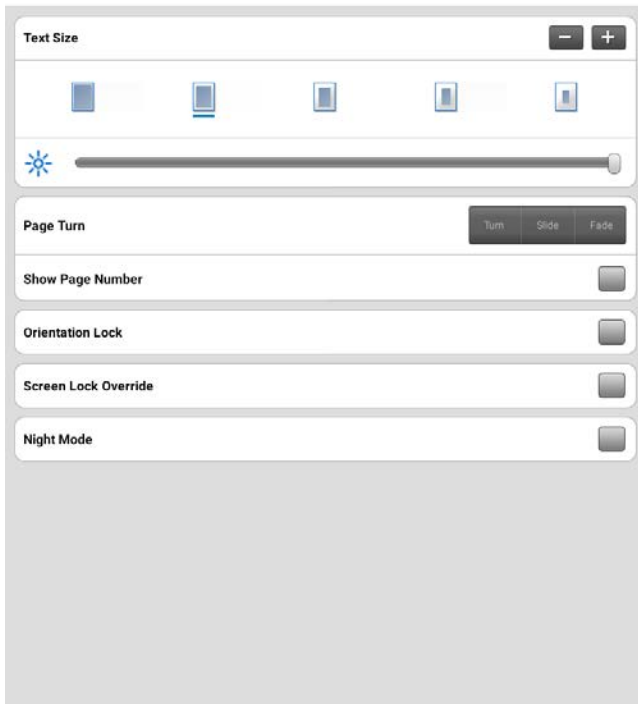


If you do not want to read the book now, any books you have downloaded will appear on the Bookshelf.

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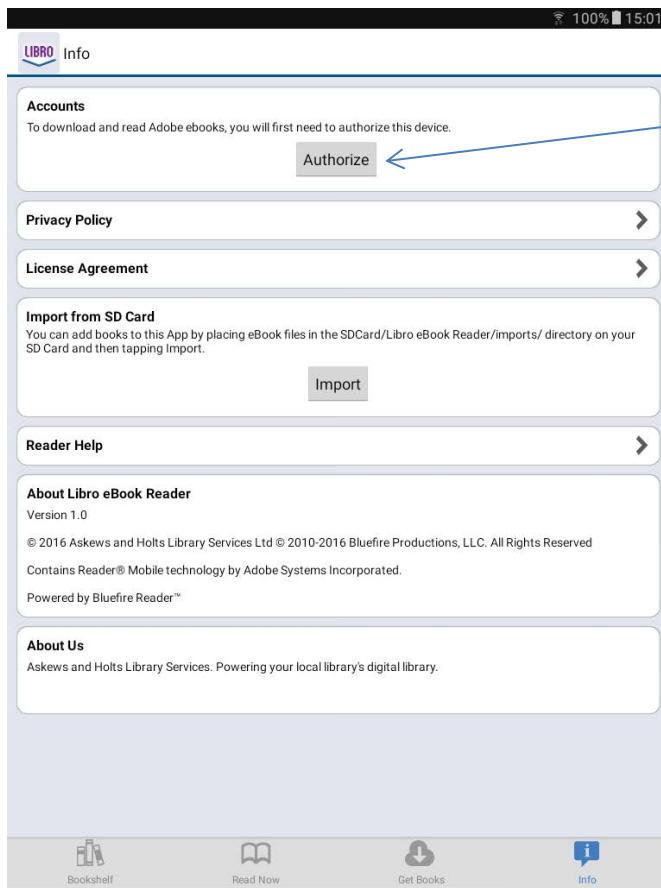


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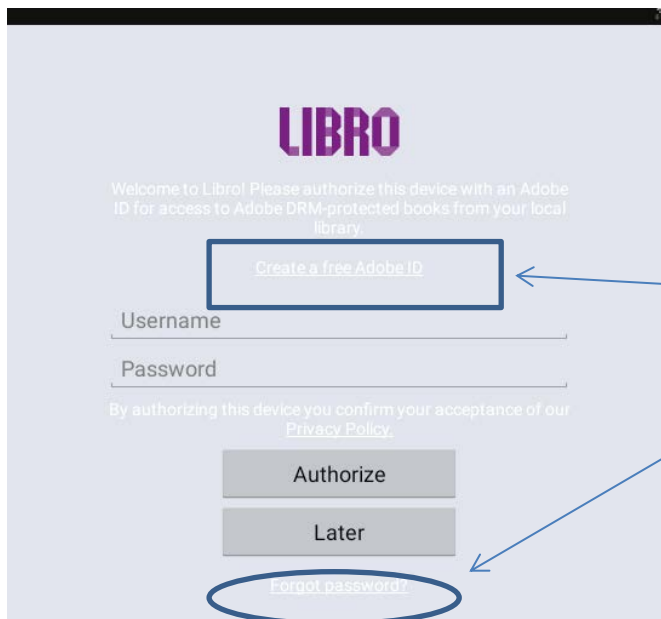


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