

# SORA - Sweet Reads Program



While summer presents an opportunity to relax and enjoy the sunshine, we want our students to continue to find ways to learn while away from the classroom. We have an exciting reading service available this summer through...

## **SORA, *the student reading app***

which provides **free 24/7 access** to ebooks and audiobooks.

Starting **May 5 - August 20, 2021**, the **Sora Sweet Reads** program will offer a collection of Juvenile and Young Adult titles that will be prominently displayed in Sora for quick and easy unlimited access.

You can explore the title offerings and learn more about the program here: <https://resources.overdrive.com/sora-sweet-reads/>.

## **How does it work?**

Sora provides the quickest and easiest way to get started with digital titles. Students can simply create an account and instantly access hundreds of ebooks and audiobooks. Choose from options like using the dyslexic font, set a reading speed, use convenient bookmarks or even set a timer for an audiobook.



In addition, by adding our local public library, 'Parkland Regional Library' in the 'list of libraries' function, you will also have access to Overdrive/Libby (the public library version of Sora) for reading eBooks and eAudiobooks throughout the summer (and physical resources as well)!

## **Get started:**

1. Install the Sora app from the Apple App Store or Google Play Store, or go to [soraapp.com](https://soraapp.com)
2. In Sora, find 'Battle River Regional Division,' then create an account.
3. Browse the Explore tab and borrow a book. Your book will open so you can start reading right away.
4. Close the book and go to your Shelf to see all your books. From there, you can:
5. Tab Open Books or Open Audiobook to read or listen to the book. Go to Options to renew or return the book.

*Enjoy your summer reading!*