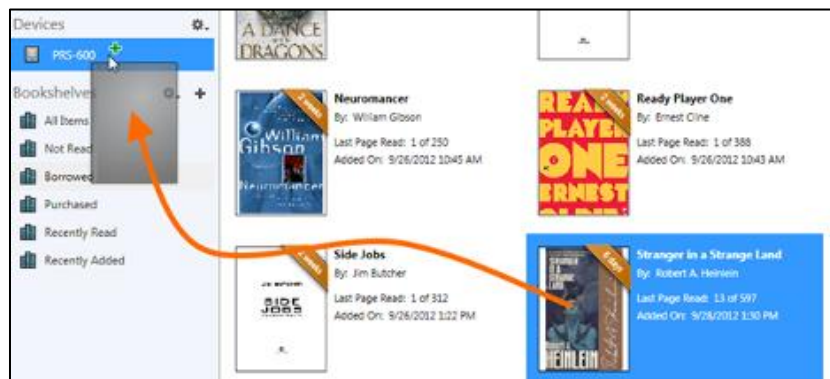


# Newcastle Libraries' Digital Collection:

## Transferring Titles to eReaders



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The other guides available are:

- **Formats Explained**
- **Downloadiing Titles to Smartphones and Tablets**
- **Returning eBooks and audiobooks early**

The following guide is information taken from the help pages on Newcastle Libraries Digital Collection where many more articles giving advice help and instructions can be found.

For help with anything not covered here please go to <http://help.overdrive.com/>

## Transferring Titles to a Sony Reader

With Adobe Digital Editions (ADE), you can easily transfer eBooks from your computer to your Sony Reader.

If you have a Sony Reader Wi-Fi (PRS-T1 or PRS-T2), you can download eBooks directly from your library without a computer or any extra software.

**Note:** *These instructions are for ADE 2.0. Please make sure you're using the most up-to-date version before continuing*

### What you need

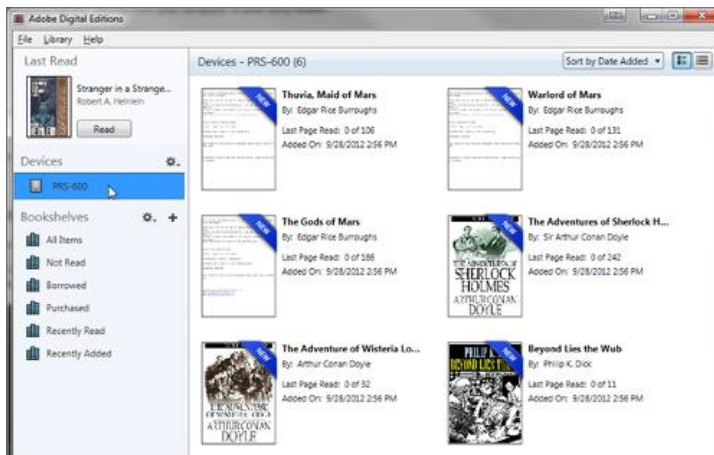
- Adobe Digital Editions installed on your Windows or Mac computer
- A Sony Reader
- USB cable that came with the Sony Reader
- An eBook
- Adobe Digital Editions
- An Adobe ID
- Both your Sony Reader and your computer authorized with the same Adobe ID

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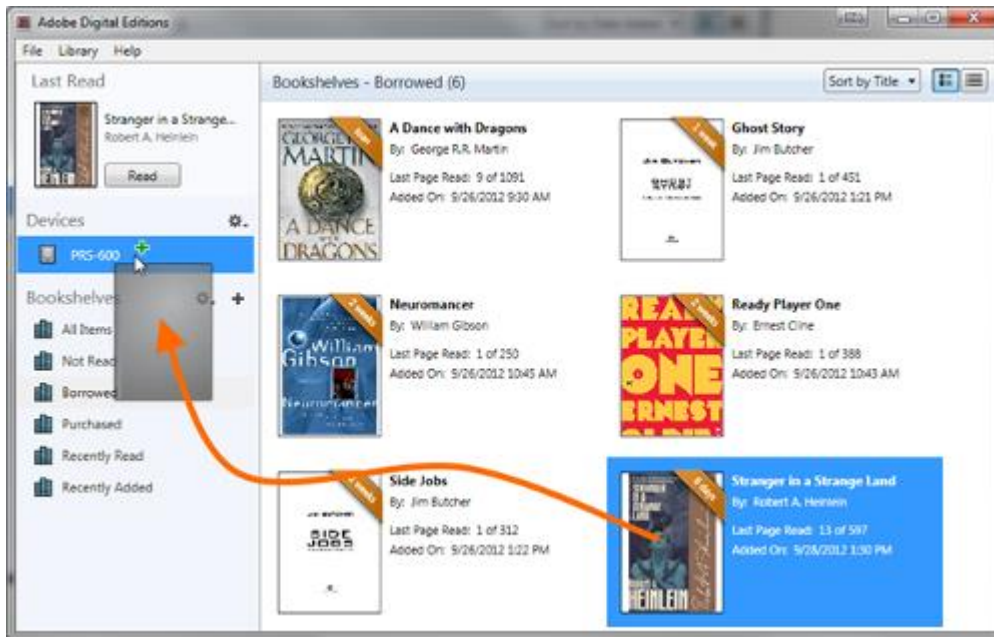
1. Connect the Sony Reader to your computer.
2. Open ADE on your computer. Make sure you're in 'Library' view.

Your Reader should show up under 'Devices.'

**Note:** *If you don't see your device, you may need to install some additional software. Please check your Sony Reader's documentation for more information.*



1. Click on an eBook then drag it over to your Reader.



Once the transfer is complete, you can disconnect your Reader and start reading. Enjoy!

### Downloading eBooks using a Sony Reader Wi-Fi PRS-T1

The Sony Reader Wi-Fi is an eBook reader that allows you to directly download eBooks from your library without the need for a computer.

- Connect to a Wi-Fi network
- Tap the black Status Bar at the top of the screen.
- Put a check in the box next to Wi-Fi, then tap Wi-Fi Settings.
- Tap on your Wi-Fi network to connect.

### **Register your Reader**

1. Download and install the Reader software for your computer.
2. Download an eBook from your library's website, and open it using the Reader software.
  - After check out, right-click the **Download** button and save the ACSM file to your computer.

- Right-click the **ACSM** file. Go to *Open With > Reader for PC*. You may have to click **Choose default program** to select **Reader for PC** if it doesn't appear as an initial option.
- 3. When the Reader software opens, it will prompt you to enter an Adobe ID. If you don't have one, you can create one on Adobe's website.
- 4. Plug your Reader Wi-Fi into your computer, then put it into USB transfer mode.
  - Tap the **Status Bar** at the top of the screen, then **USB connected**.
  - Tap **Data Transfer Mode**. You may see 'AutoPlay' pop-ups. If so, close them.
  - On the Reader for PC authorization pop-up, click **Yes** to authorize your Reader then **OK** to verify.

### Find your library

1. From your home screen, tap the '>' button at the bottom-right-hand-corner.
2. If available, tap **Public Library**, then **Discover More Here**.
3.
  - If you do not see this option, open your browser and go to [search.overdrive.com](http://search.overdrive.com) to locate the library.
4. Search for your library using the provided box. Typically your postal code is the easiest way to find your library.
5. Tap your library from the list of search results.
6. On the library details page, tap on a collection website to start browsing

### Borrow and download (for titles available on Overdrive Read)

1. Browse for a title to borrow on your library's digital collection website.
2. Tap **Borrow** (if you are not signed into your library website, you will be prompted to do so).
3. **Download** your selection.
4. To open a freshly downloaded eBook, tap the **Status Bar**, then tap the title.
5. Borrow and download (for other titles)
6. With a library site open, you can...
  1. Tap a title
  2. Tap **more...**
  3. Try a search

7. When you've found a title you want, tap **Add to cart**.
8. Tap Proceed to Checkout.
9. Sign in if necessary.
10. Tap **Confirm check out**, then **Download** to download your selection.
11. To open a freshly downloaded eBook, tap the **Status Bar**, then tap the title.

### **How to transfer titles to a Kobo eReader**

With Adobe Digital Editions (ADE), you can easily transfer eBooks from your computer to your Kobo eReader.

**Note:** *The Kobo Vox functions like an Android tablet, so you cannot use ADE to transfer eBooks to it. Instead, install OverDrive Media Console and download titles directly to your Vox.*

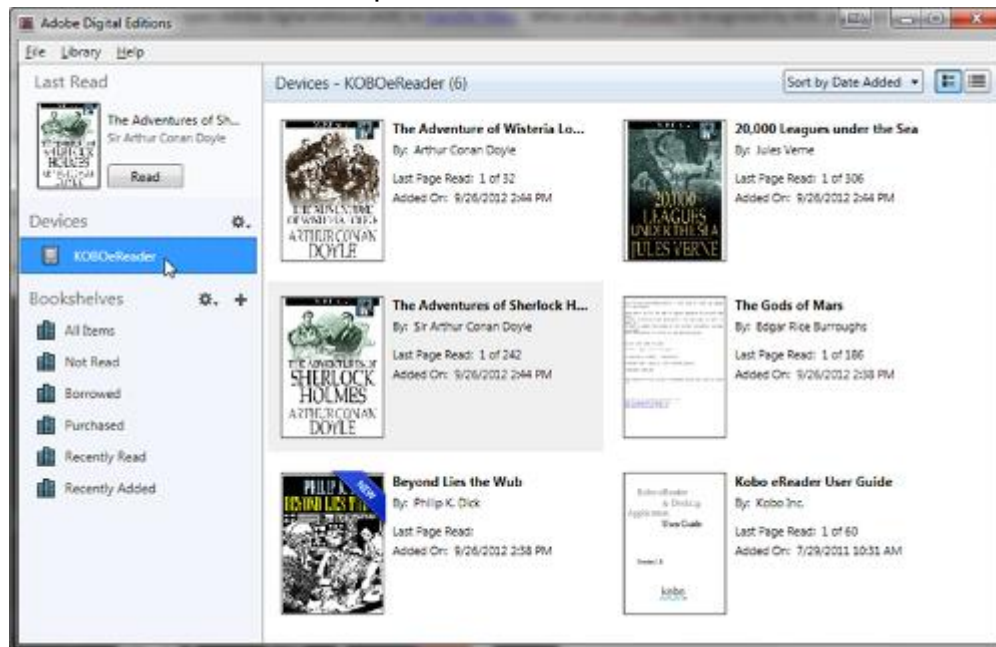
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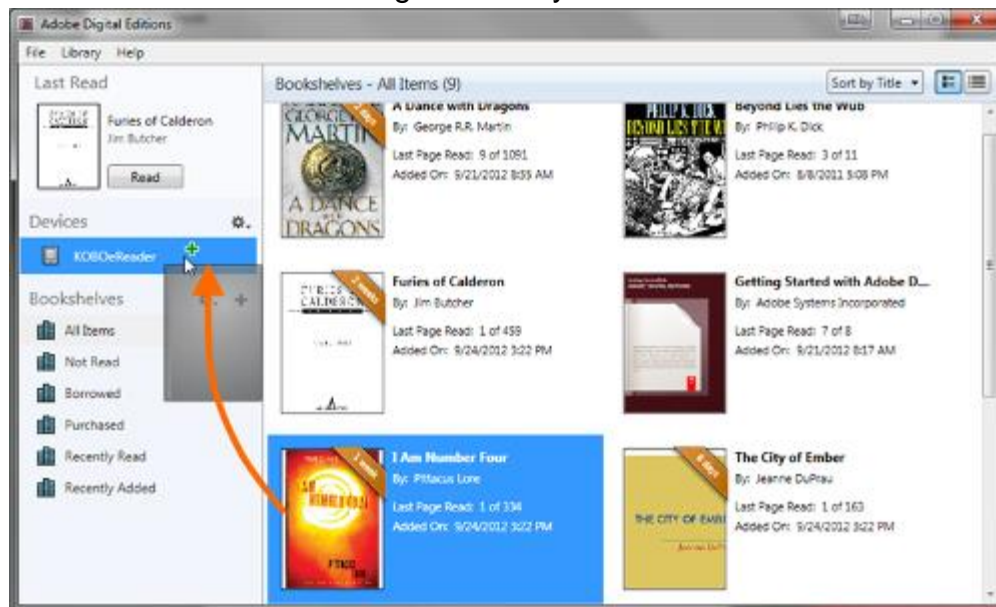
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