



Using Overdrive with your Kobo Vox

You can check out e-books and audiobooks from Overdrive to your Kobo Vox! All you need is a free app. You do not need to connect your Vox to a computer. You will download the OverDrive Media Console app and download e-books using your wireless connection on the Vox.

Step 1: Create an Adobe ID

- Create a free **Adobe Account** in order to download any eBooks to your device. Fill out at: <https://www.adobe.com/cfusion/membership/index.cfm?nl=1&nf=1>

Step 2: Getting Started

- Start your Vox and touch the **Home** icon. Touch **All Apps** then **Settings**, then **Wireless & Networks**.
- Next to Wi-Fi, touch the checkbox to **Turn on Wifi**.
- Choose an available network.
- Touch the **Home** icon to return to the home screen.

Step 3: Download the Overdrive Media Console App

- Touch the browser icon to open the browser and navigate to www.overdrive.com.
- Touch the link to **Mobile Apps** at the bottom right of the screen. OverDrive will recognize that the Vox is an Android device and will present you with a link to the Android Market. **The Vox cannot connect to the Android Market.**
- Choose the link that says **If your device doesn't support Android Market, you can download OverDrive Media Console for Android from OverDrive**. When the license agreement appears, choose **I Agree**. The app will begin to download and you will see a small download icon appear in the top left-hand side of your Vox screen.

Step 4: Find, Install and Run the App

- Touch the **Home** icon on your Vox.
- Touch **All Apps**. Touch **Downloads**.
- In the list of downloaded items, touch **ODMediaConsoleSetup.apk**. Touch **install**.
- Touch **Open** to run the ODMConsole app. OverDrive Media Console (OMC) will open. You may be prompted to adjust the settings to allow installs from unknown sources. A message may appear with information about updates to the version of the app you have downloaded.



Step 5: Browse the Catalogue

- With the OMC app open, touch the **Menu** icon on the Vox.
- When you touch the Menu icon, you will see several options. Touch **Get Books**.
- Touch **Add a Library**. Type in the library name or keyword, e.g., **Strathmore**, then touch **Search**.
- Touch **Strathmore Municipal Library** from the search results screen.
- Touch **The Regional Automation Consortium**. The mobile TRAC website will open in your browser.
- You may now **search** for a specific book, or **browse** by genre.
- The Kobo Vox also supports e-audio downloads from TRAC – if you are using Advanced Search to find audiobooks, choose **OverDrive MP3 Audiobook** under the Format drop-down menu.

Step 6: Check out and Download

- When you have found a title you want, select **Add to eBookbag**. If the title is already checked out by someone else, you may request it by selecting **Place eRequest**.
- After you have added an available title to your eBookbag, select **Proceed to Checkout**.
- Select your library which is **Strathmore Municipal Library**. Login by entering your username or barcode and PIN (last 4 digits of your phone number).
- Select a **Lending Period** of 7 or 14 days using the drop-down menu.
- Select **Confirm check out**.
- Touch the **Download** button under the item. The title will automatically download and open in the Overdrive app on your Vox. The first time you will be prompted to enter your **Adobe ID** and password to authorize your Vox.

Step 7: Returning E-Books

- Touch and hold down your finger on the title in the bookshelf view of the app. A screen will appear with the option to **Delete** the book. Choose **Return and Delete**. The title can then be borrowed by another person. eBooks and audiobooks cannot be renewed.