

Central Unified Library Services Webpage

Getting Started with SORA (formerly Overdrive) Install the Sora app from the Apple App Store or Google Play Store, or go to soraapp.com on your personal device.

The SORA app is already on your Chromebook landing/home page. 1. Enter your school email login, then sign in. 2. Browse the EXPLORE tab and borrow a book. You now have ACCESS to CUSD and Fresno County Public Library Ebook and Audiobook titles! 3. Close the book and go to your Shelf to see all your books if you added more books in your list, from there you can:

- Tap open book or open Audiobook to read or listen to the book.
- Tap Options to renew or return the book, get to your notes and highlights, and more.



SORA: THE LIBRARY IN A COMPUTER

CENTRAL UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT AND FRESNO COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY HAVE CREATED A PARTNERSHIP. CENTRAL STUDENTS HAVE ACCESS TO THE PUBLIC LIBRARY CHILDREN'S AND YOUNG ADULT COLLECTION JUST BY SIGNING ON TO SORA THROUGH THEIR STUDENT GOOGLE LOG IN AND PASSWORD.

STUDENTS CAN ACCESS DIGITAL EBOOKS AND AUDIO BOOKS THROUGH THEIR TABLETS AND SMART PHONES.

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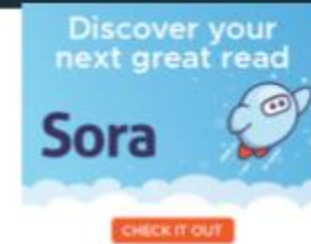
Welcome to SORA

What is SORA?

SORA is a digital collection of books and audiobooks that the Fresno County Public Library has curated.

Central Unified School District has partnered up with the Fresno County Public Library to make these digital books available to the students of Central Unified School District.

These books can be accessed by cell phones, chromebooks and a few other devices. (There are a few that won't work)

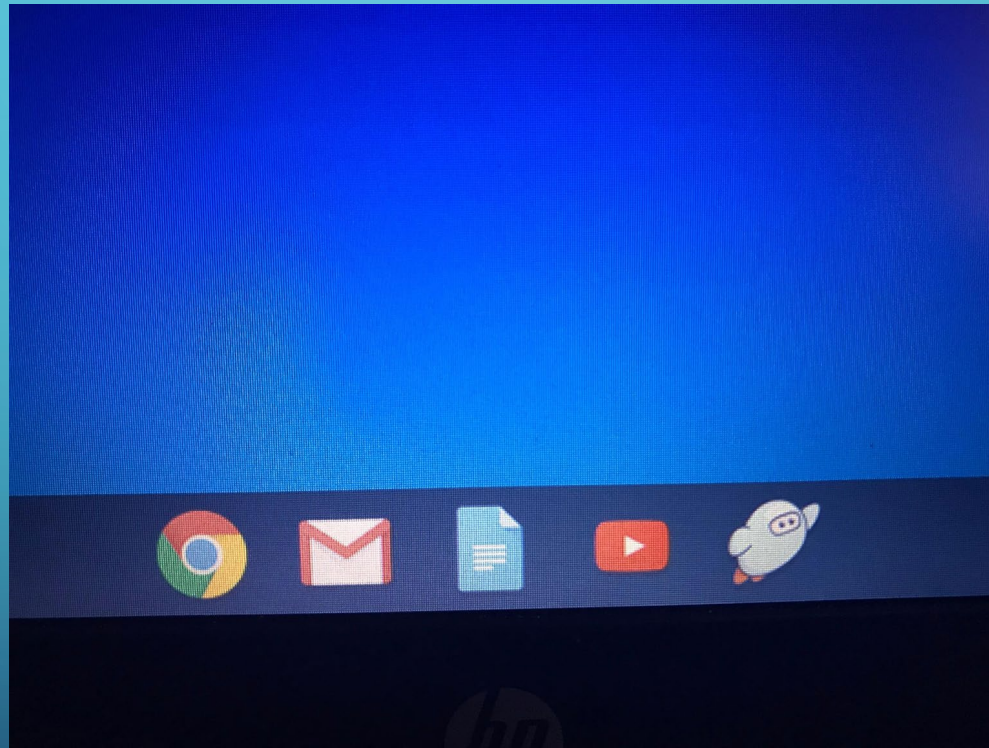


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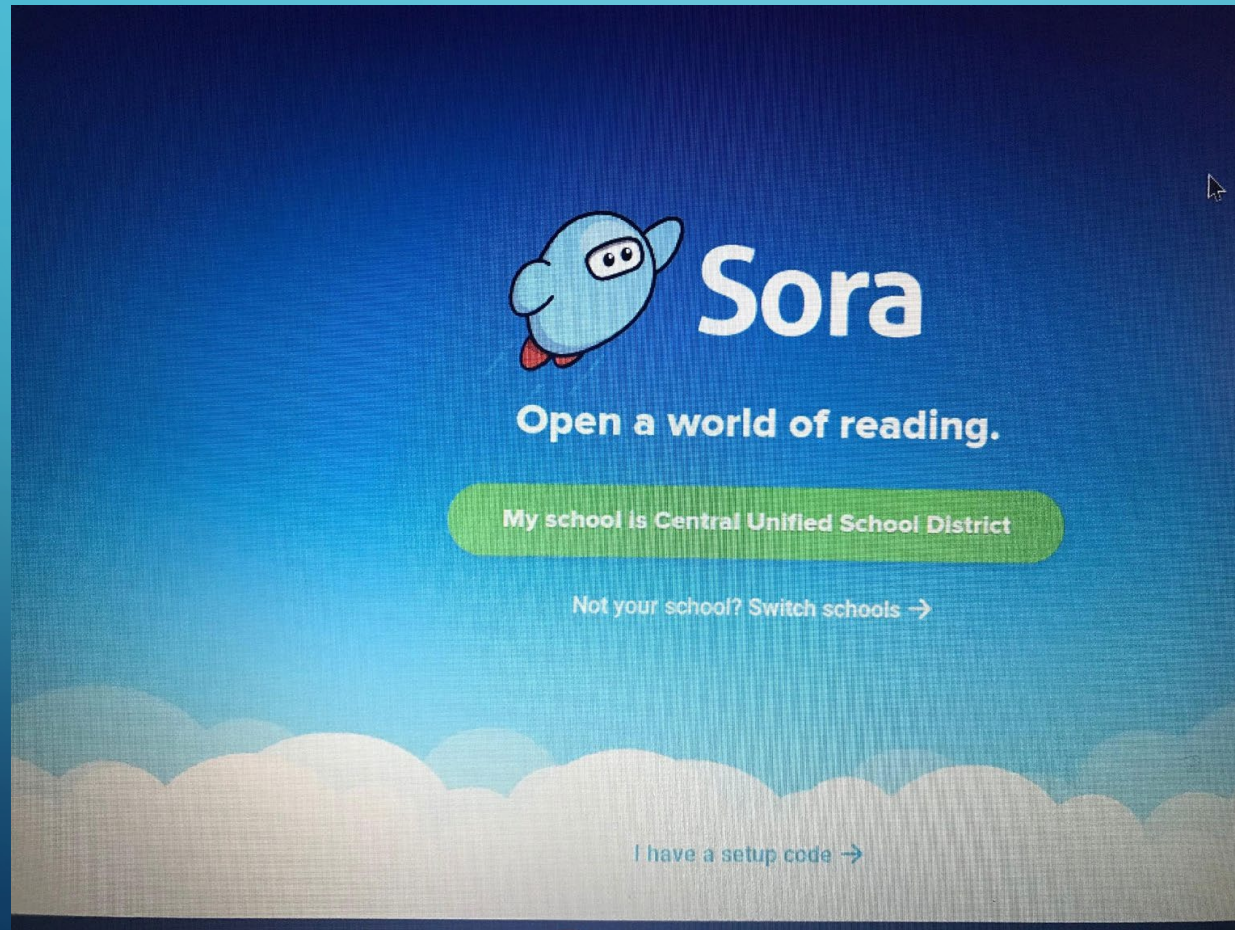
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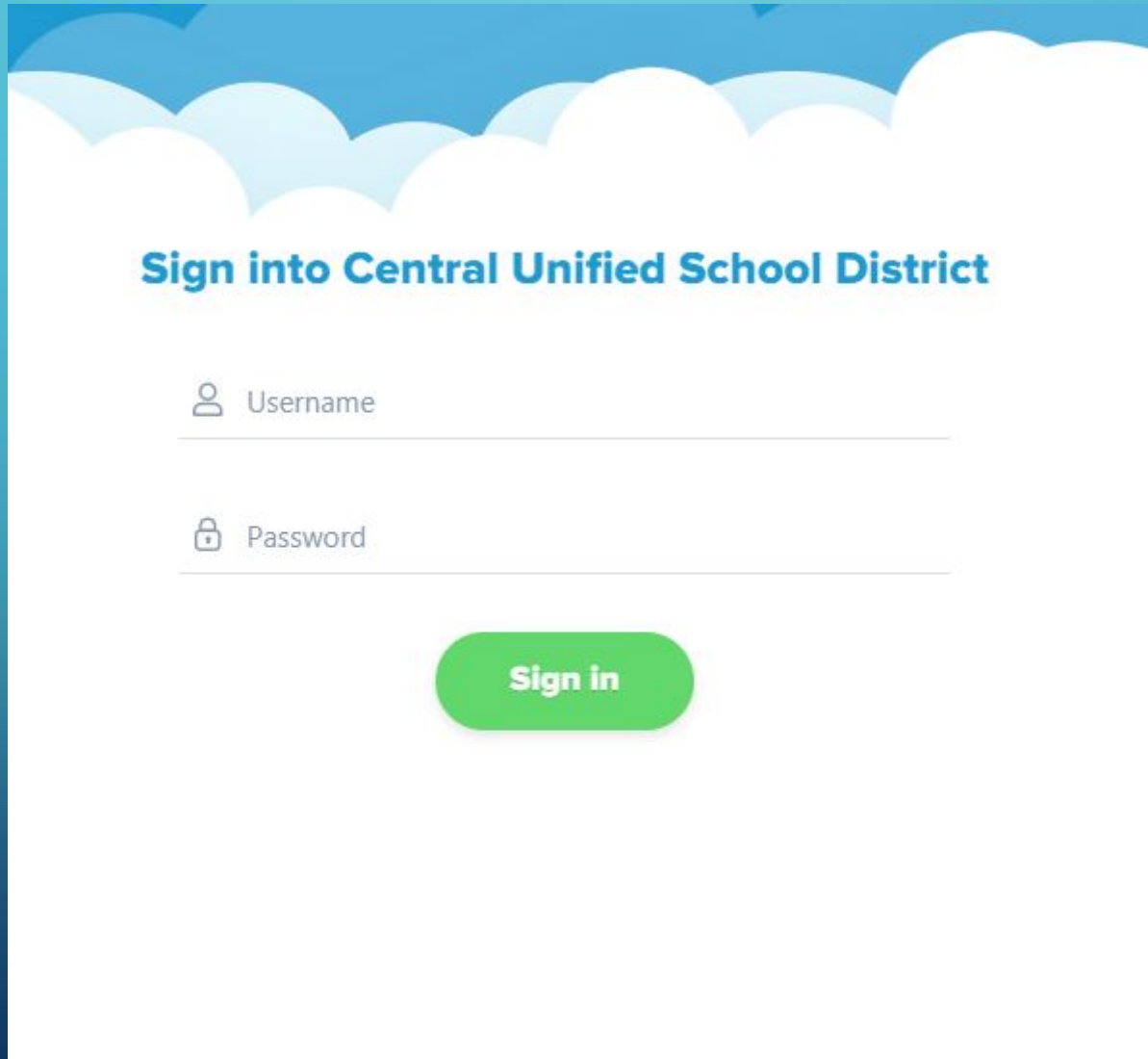
LET'S LEARN ABOUT SORA ON OUR SCHOOL CHROMEBOOKS



OPEN A WORLD OF READING AND CHOOSE CENTRAL UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT



SIGN IN USING YOUR District GOOGLE LOG IN BUT STOP BEFORE THE @



The image shows a sign-in form for the Central Unified School District. The form is set against a white background with a blue cloud graphic at the top. It includes fields for Username and Password, and a green Sign in button.

Sign into Central Unified School District

 Username

 Password

Sign in

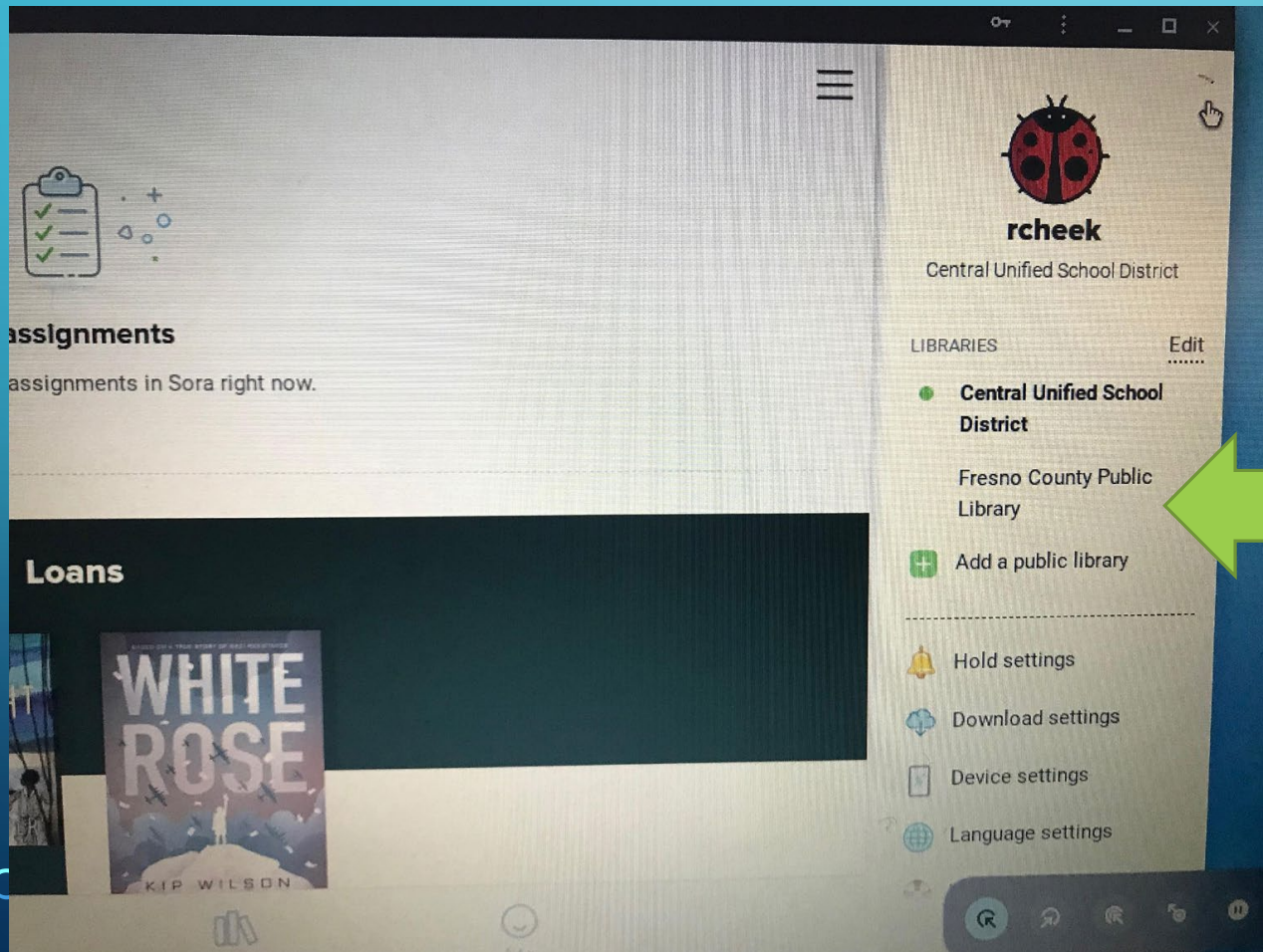
Log In

Log in with your District Google gmail account log in

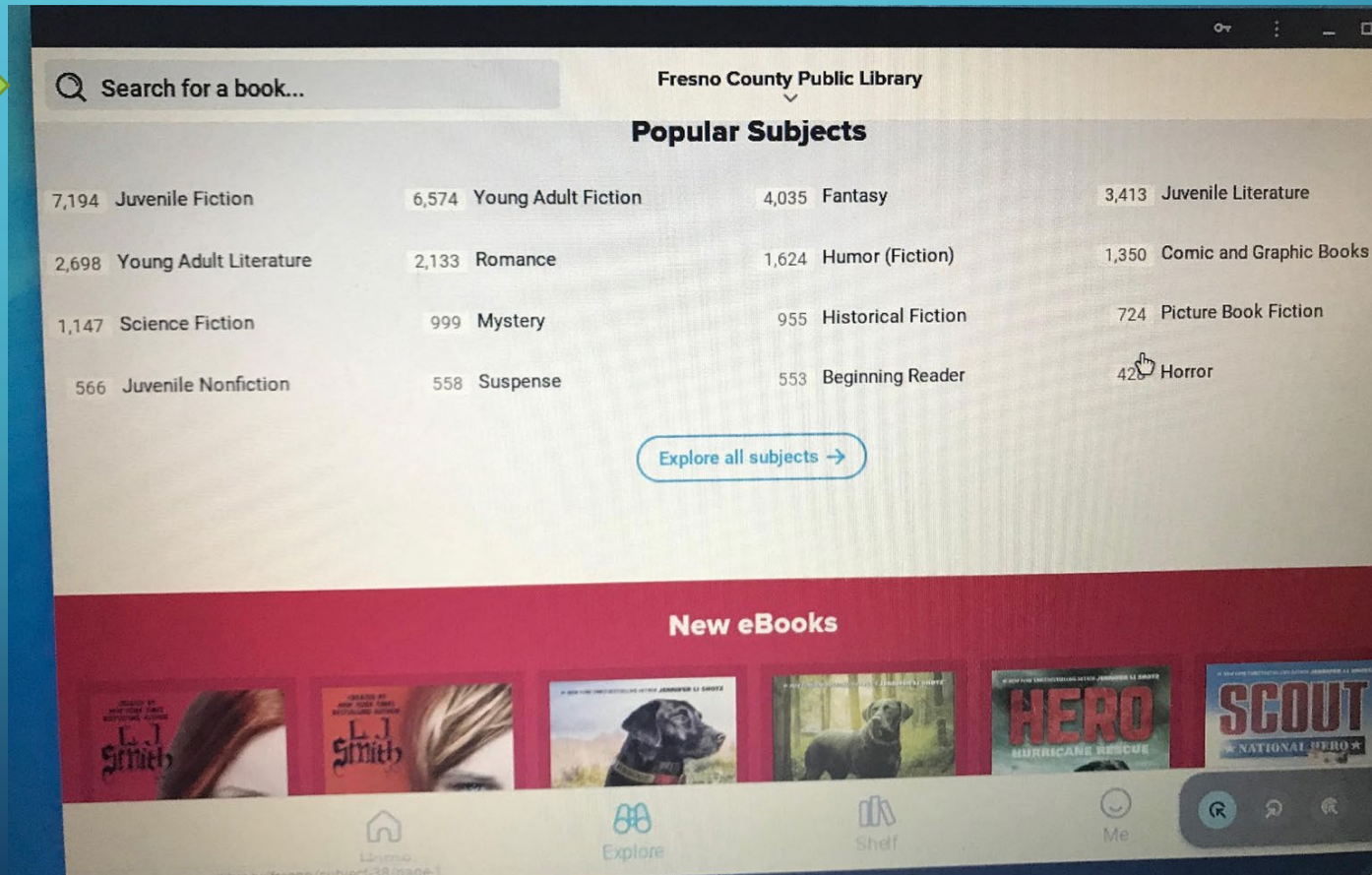
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Then use your district password for your Google account.

ADD A PUBLIC LIBRARY: CHOOSE FRESNO COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

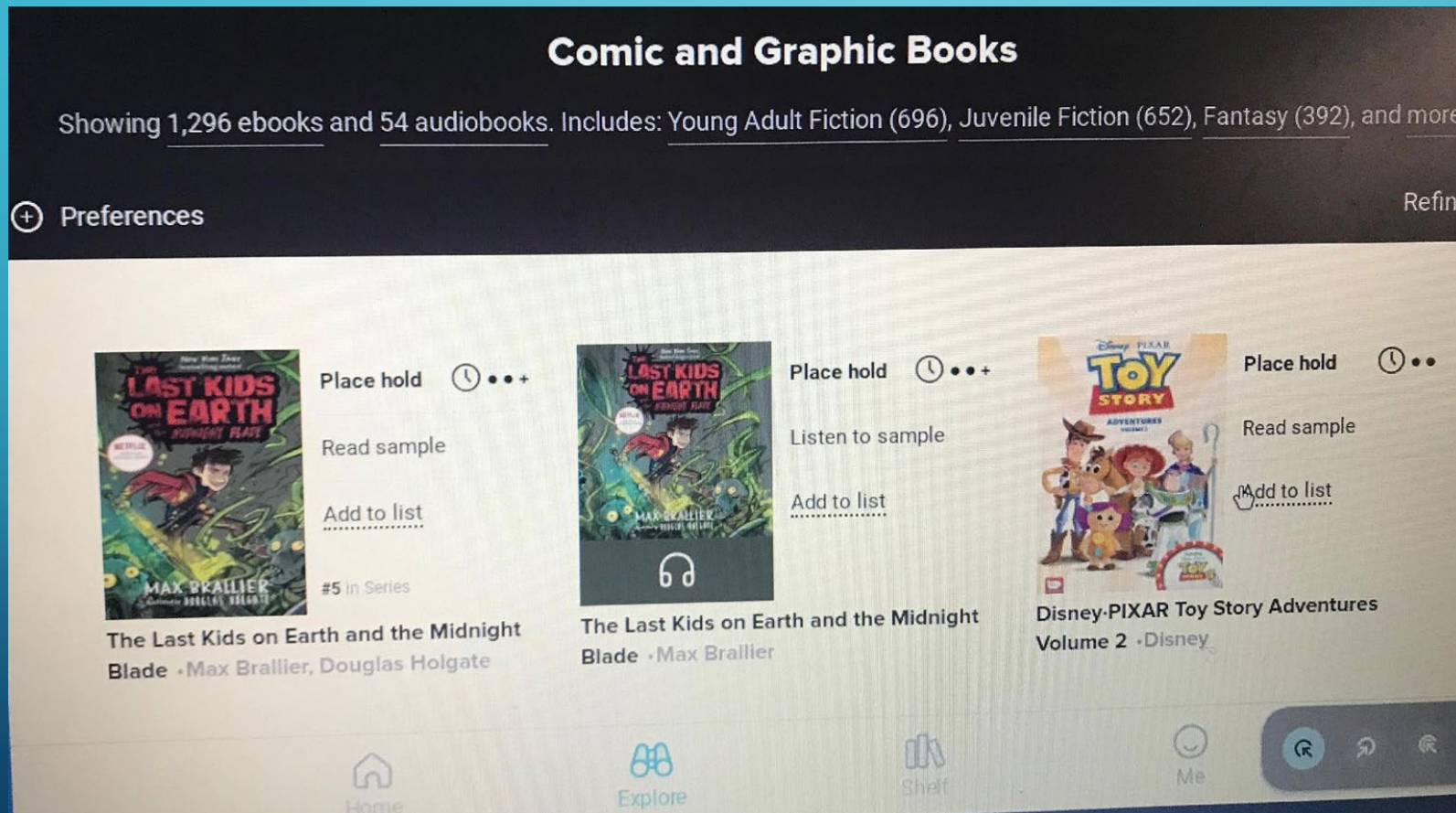


POPULAR SUBJECTS HAS ALL SORTS OF GENRES
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MAGNIFYING GLASS AND TYPE THE TITLE OR
AUTHOR TO FIND A BOOK



BORROW, WAIT LIST OR PLACE HOLD

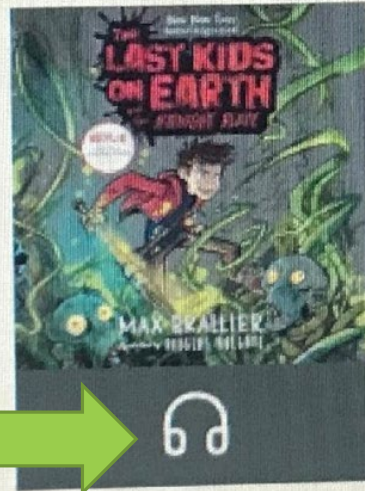
Place a hold: Get in line for the book. When it is your turn, it will automatically check it out to you



Borrow: Book is ready to be checked out. Go for it!

Wait List: Means you want to read it later and create a group of books you wish to read but not at the moment.

AUDIO BOOKS



Place hold



Listen to sample

Add to list

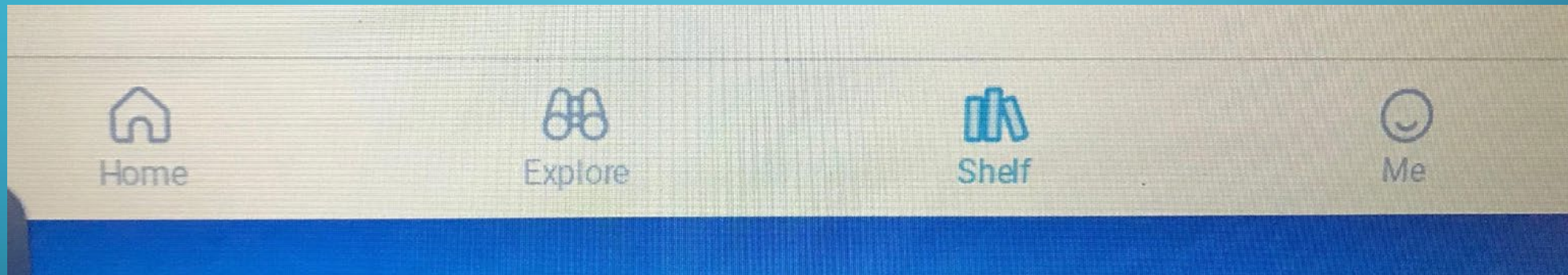


The Last Kids on Earth and the Midnight
Blade • Max Brallier

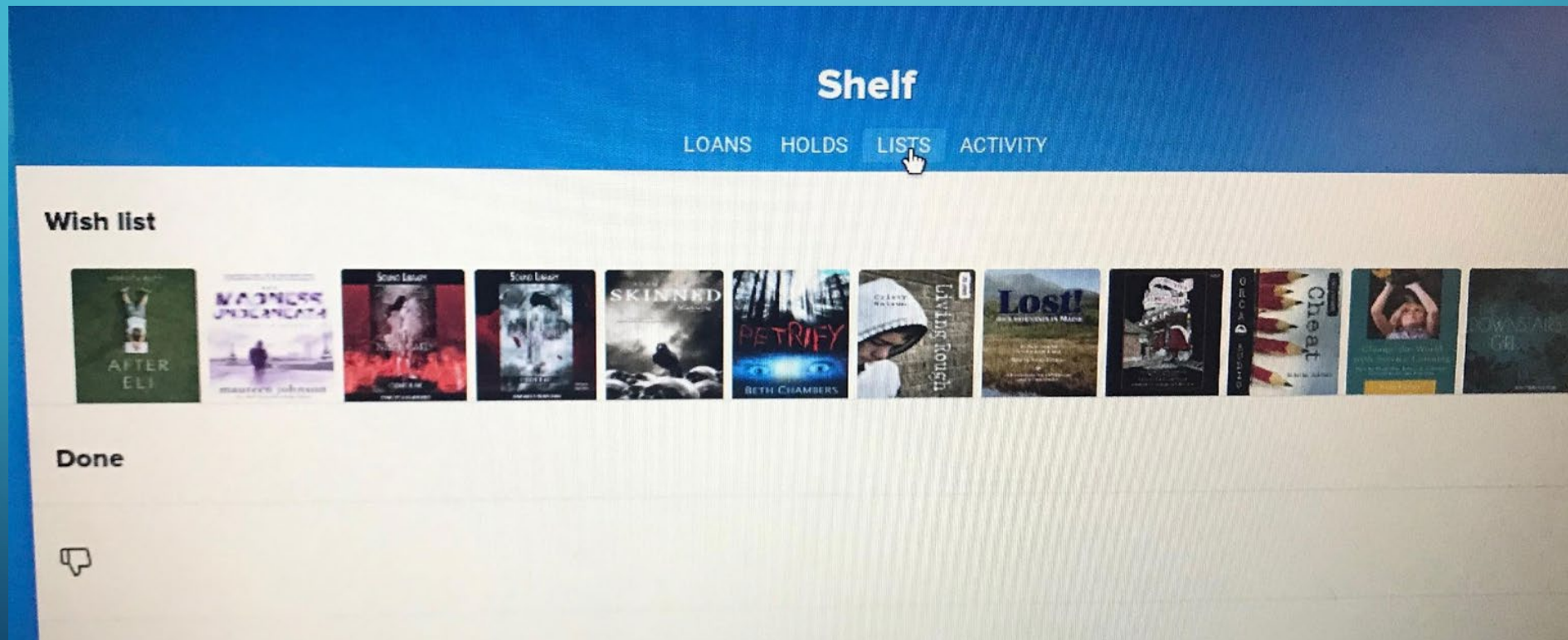
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