

Transform Your Curriculum with Digital Class Sets

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Sora

The student reading app

Welcome! Meet today's presenters.



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What if your school could...

ACCESS



Give every student
the book they need?

ENGAGEMENT



Engage students with
books on their phones?

INSIGHT



Use actionable data to
improve literacy?

Sora: Digital books for every student.

Sora is a digital reading platform that ensures every one of your students has access to the right books.

soraapp.com

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AASL Best
Digital Tools



District
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Top Ed Tech
Product 2020



2019 AASL
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Recipient



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Academics'
Choice Smart
Media Award



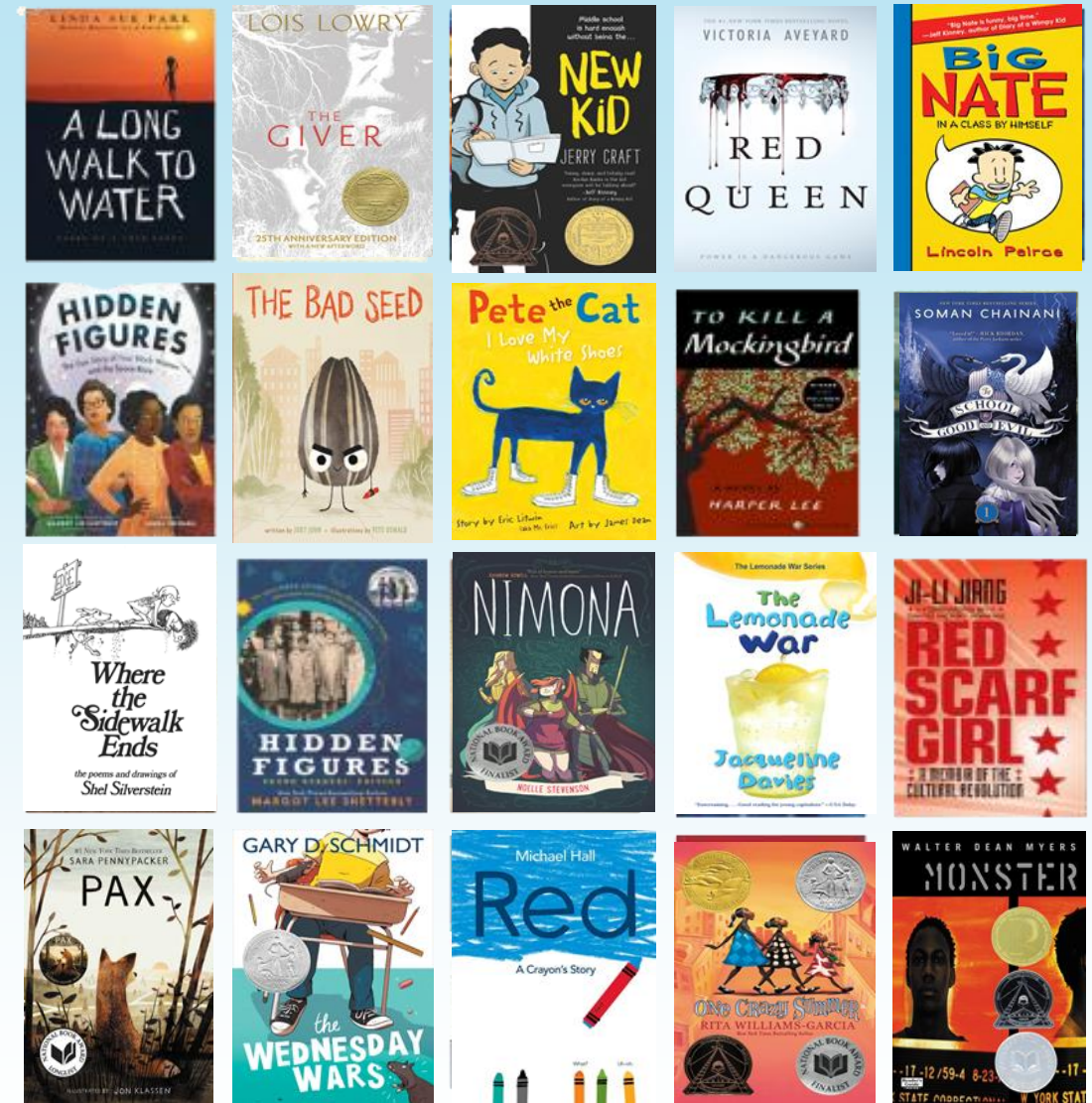
2021 Gold
Stevie Award

TIME

Time Magazine's
Best Inventions
of 2019

School Library & Curriculum

- Pleasure Reading
Including Public Library
CONNECT
- Required Curriculum Books
- Leveled Readers
- Student Populations
- Supplemental Books
- Professional Development

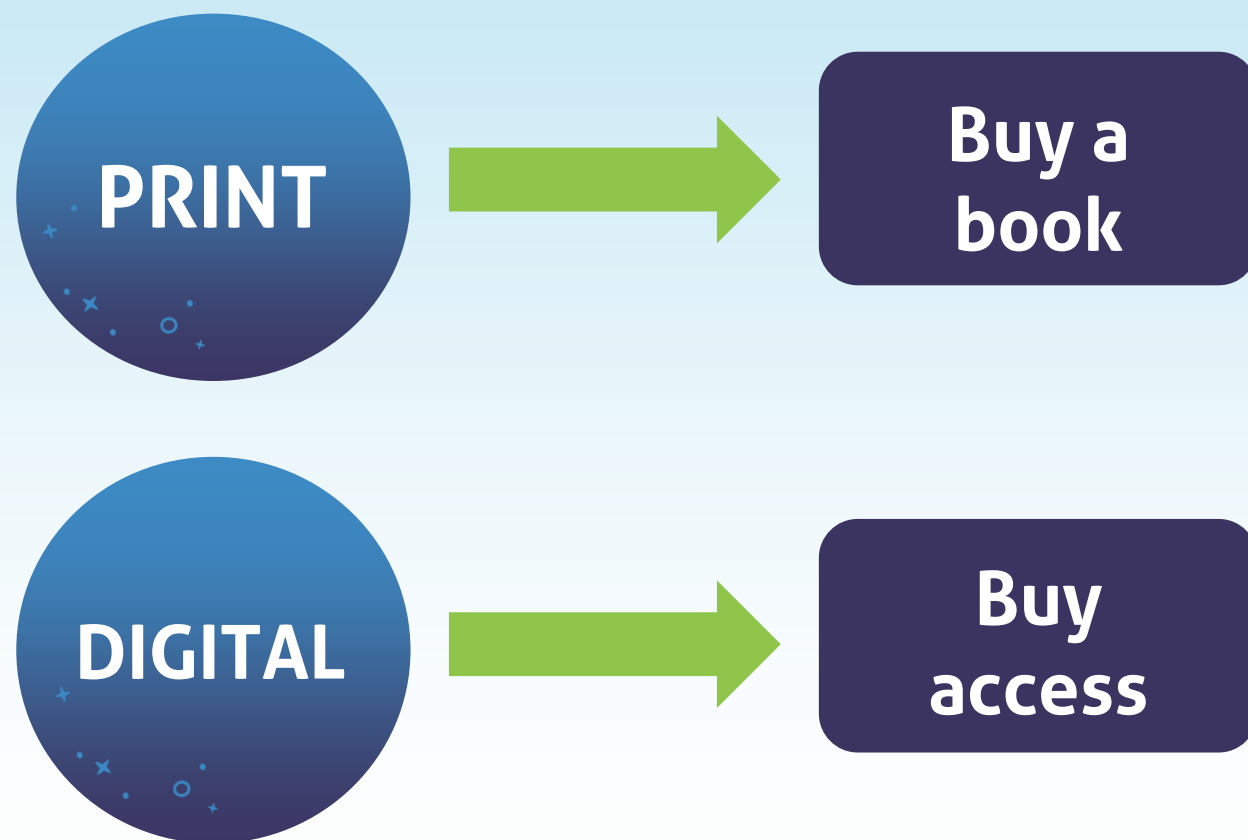


Access: Put books where students are.





Decoding digital books



On-Demand Class Sets



No shipping
delays

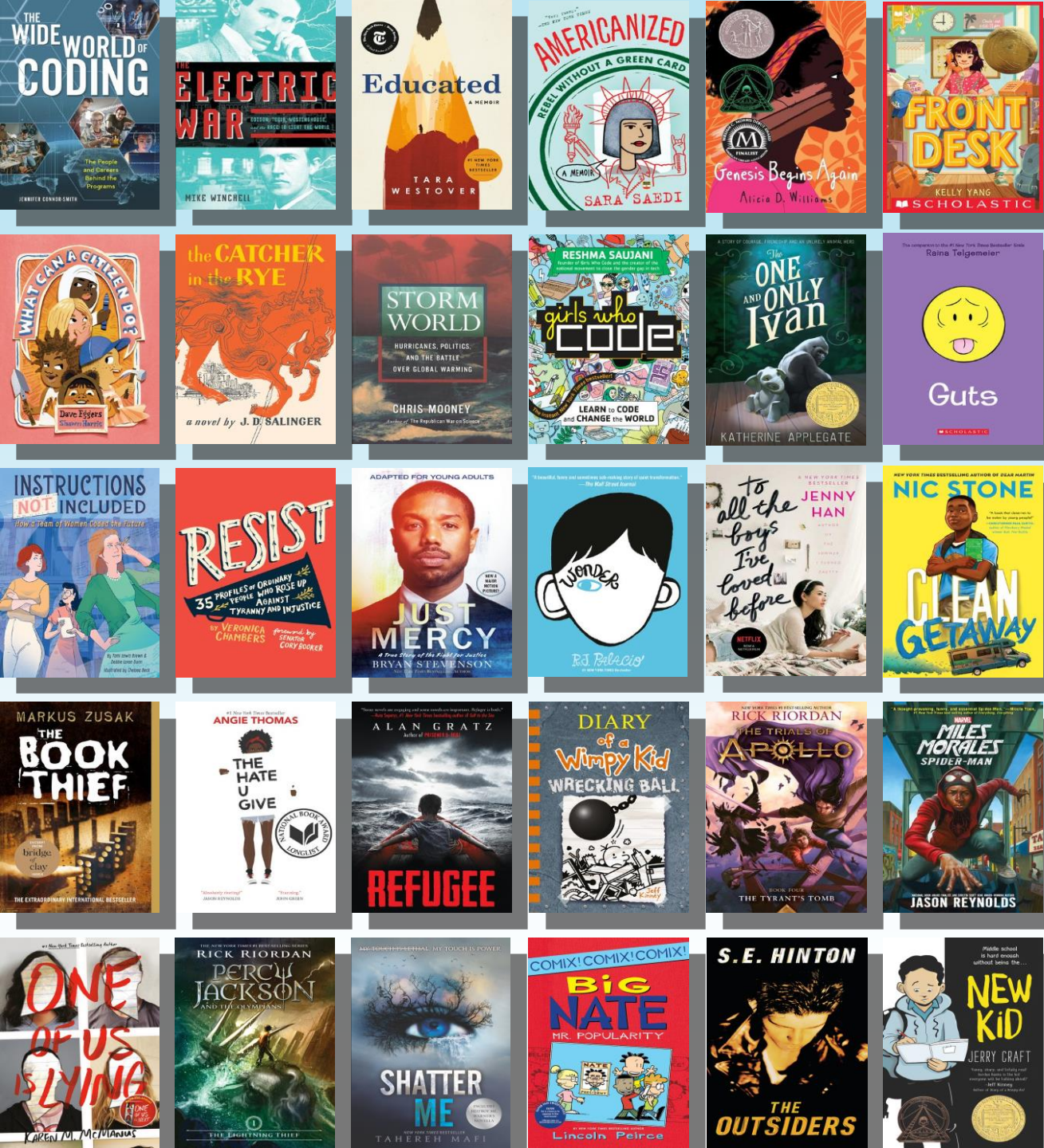


No supplier
shortages



No shelf space
necessary





Schools say...

- Rethinking Tech
- Teacher Shortage
- Windows & Mirrors



Digital Class Sets Toolbox



The Omnivore's Dilemma

Michael Pollan

FORMAT Ebook

LANGUAGE English

EDITION Young Readers

AUTHOR **Michael Pollan** >

AUDIENCE ? Juvenile

LEVELS **ATOS™ level:** 6.8 >

Interest level: 6-12(MG+) >

Lexile® score: 930 >

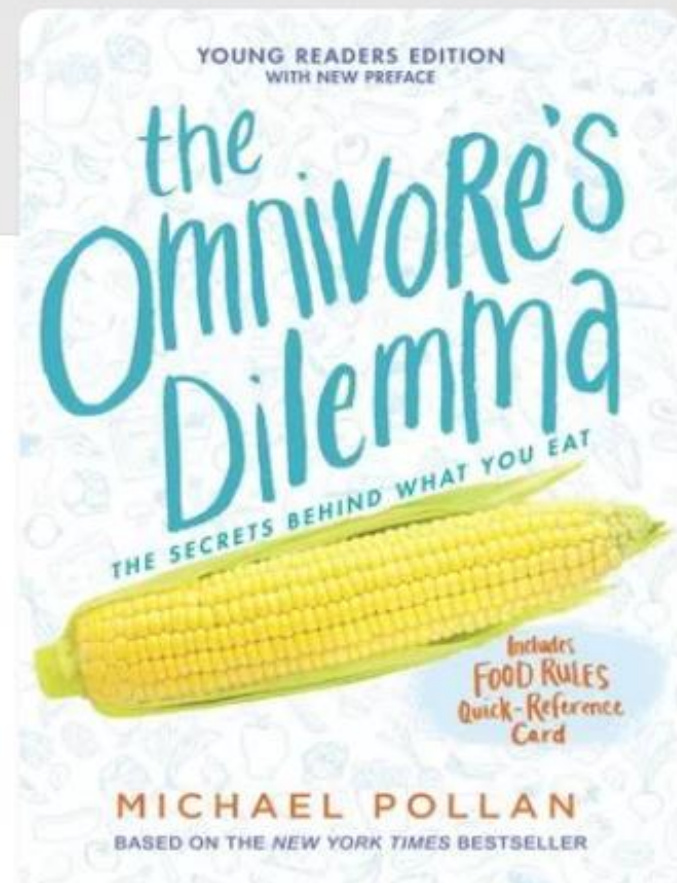
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In a smart, compelling format with updated facts, plenty of photos, graphs, and visuals, as well as a new afterword and backmatter, *The Omnivore's Dilemma* serves up a bold message



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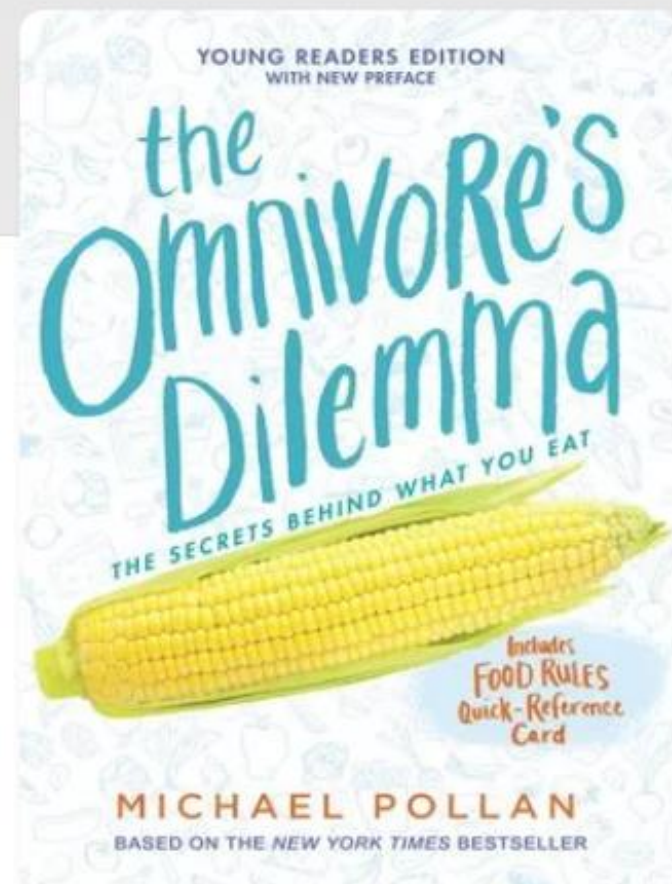
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predictive purchasing

unreliable availability



**purchasing based on
actual demand**

guaranteed availability

STEP 1



Determine the budget for digital class sets.

Sample Purchase Order report: tracking monthly costs of digital class sets

Order name	Order description	Order type	Lending model	Standard units	Standard Total	Order date	Advantage account
2MAY22CS	CS added_2MAY22	Select list	Class Set: 3 month term	471	\$1,209.87	4/30/2022	
2MAY22CS	CS added_2MAY22	Select list	Class Set: 3 month term	83	\$359.79	4/30/2022	Bruce Randolph School
2MAY22CS	CS added_2MAY22	Select list	Class Set: 3 month term	40	\$140.00	4/30/2022	Denver Online Middle School and I
2MAY22CS	CS added_2MAY22	Select list	Class Set: 3 month term	25	\$108.50	4/30/2022	Lincoln Elementary
2MAY22CS	CS added_2MAY22	Select list	Class Set: 3 month term	44	\$242.00	4/30/2022	East High School
2MAY22CS	CS added_2MAY22	Select list	Class Set: 3 month term	28	\$98.00	4/30/2022	Greenlee Elementary School
2MAY22CS	CS added_2MAY22	Select list	Class Set: 3 month term	60	\$122.91	4/30/2022	Hamilton Middle School
2MAY22CS	CS added_2MAY22	Select list	Class Set: 3 month term	33	\$101.67	4/30/2022	Skinner Middle School

Digital Class Sets Pilot Program Stats

August 2021 - May 2022

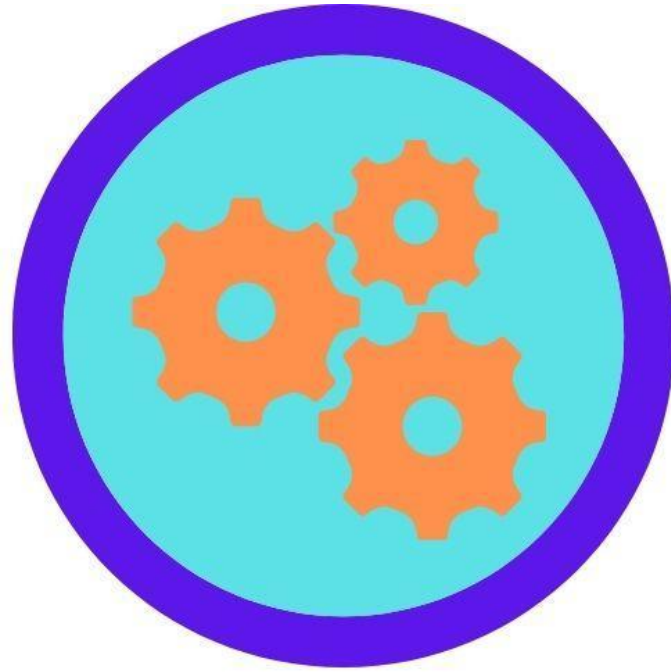
\$22,000 spent

63 class set requests

7,537 students served

Average of \$2.92 per copy

STEP 2



**Create an EASY process for teachers
to request class sets of ebooks.**

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The student reading app

bit.ly/3N5WTSB



Sora On-Demand Class Set Request Form

Please allow Library Services two business days to respond. Submit one response per title request. Requests may be made 60 days in advance of the initiation date.

Licensing and cost is at the publisher's discretion and not determined by Library Services or Sora (OverDrive), and some titles are not available as a Class Set license.

After you receive confirmation that your request has been approved, students can access the title on or after the initiation date by logging in to the DPS Sora digital library at soraapp.com or via the Sora mobile app.

Questions

Responses

Settings

0 responses



Accepting responses



Waiting for responses



Select response destination



- ☒ Create a new spreadsheet Sora Class Set Request Form ... [Learn More](#)
- ☐ Select existing spreadsheet

Cancel

Create

Questions

Responses

Settings

0 responses

Waiting for

Get email notifications for new responses

Select response destination



Unlink form



Download responses (.csv)



Print all responses



Delete all responses

Settings

Make this a quiz

Assign point values, set answers, and automatically provide feedback



Responses

Manage how responses are collected and protected



Collect email addresses

Required to **send response copies**



Send responders a copy of their response

Always



Presentation



Manage how the form and responses are presented

FORM PRESENTATION

Show progress bar



Shuffle question order



AFTER SUBMISSION

Confirmation message

[Edit](#)

Thank you! Library Services will respond to your request within two business days.

Show link to submit another response



View results summary



Share [results summary](#) with respondents. [Important details](#)

STEP 3



**Determine who will respond to
class set requests.**

STEP 4



**Determine how to respond to
class set requests.**

Check the license availability in OverDrive Marketplace.

OverDrive
Marketplace™

Search OC/OU & MA by title, author, series, or publisher

Advanced search

CARTS

No pinned carts
+ Create cart

Suzi Tonini - Denver Public Schools (CO) Settings

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One Copy/One User & Metered Access

INSIGHTS

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GET HELP

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All saved searches

Insights

OverDrive's top authors
See what you're missing

Top 200 series search
See gaps in series you offer

Top 200 adult titles
Not in your collection

Top 200 YA titles
Not in your collection

Top 200 juvenile titles
Not in your collection

Titles in my collection

World Literary Tour:
Spanish-Language
Spotlight

Destination: Madrid, Spain

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the complete
COOK
BOOK
TEST KITCHEN

BECOME AN
APP INVENTOR
THE OFFICIAL GUIDE FROM MIT APP INVENTOR

THE COMPLETE
COOKBOOK
FOR YOUNG SCIENTISTS
70+ RECIPES AND EXPERIMENTS FOR EVERY AGE

MINECRAFT
AMAZING
BITE-SIZE
BUILDS
OVER 20 AWESOME MINI-PROJECTS

Visit bit.ly/3QBsKhb to create a copy of this spreadsheet for tracking requests and costs of digital class sets

OverDrive Marketplace x Sora Class Sets Master List_Prese x +

docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1XD51apt6ro17sCxtgzdUE4K_HeBxcPSxn7mWg6JIWMU/edit#gid=0

Sora Class Sets Master List_Presentation Example

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2	The Disturbed Girl's Dictionary	NoNieqa Ramos	E	school	dps.adv.ehs	8/25/22	100		\$0.00	jonathan_almon@
3									\$0.00	
4									\$0.00	
5									\$0.00	
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Aug Sep Oct Nov

Screencastify - Screen Video Recorder is sharing your screen. Stop sharing Hide

Explore

Sample confirmation email

bit.ly/3OuHIDB

Hi [name],

This is your confirmation that the class set request for *One Crazy Summer* by Rita Williams-Garcia has been approved.

Start date: 8/27/21

Each class set rental provides students and staff with 3 months of uninterrupted access.

Direct Sora link to share with teachers/students:

One Crazy Summer eBook:

<https://soraapp.com/library/dpsk12/search/query-one%20crazy%20summer/page-1/202341/305524>

Teaching Resources:

[Rita Williams-Garcia Teaching Guide](#)

[Sora All-in-One doc](#)

Additional Recommendations:

One Crazy Summer is also available as an audiobook, which can support English language learners and other students who may benefit from listening to the text read aloud. I have enabled additional copies during your instructional period to provide this accommodation to all students who need it. Please note that the audiobook narration speed can be adjusted (slower or faster)-- [this video](#) demonstrates how.

This is the direct link to the audiobook: <https://soraapp.com/library/dpsk12/series-One%20Crazy%20Summer/page-1/202341/458263>

Please let me know if you have any questions!

STEP 5



Market digital class sets.

STEP 6



Reflect and improve on the process.

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Sora Class Sets Teacher Survey

Help us tell your story! This year DPS Library Services piloted a Bond-funded program to provide all DPS teacher with free Class Sets of eBooks for instructional use. Please provide us with feedback to help us advocate for this program and adapt our support to best meet your needs.

AND as a thank you for your time and prompt feedback, on Monday, May 23rd at 4 pm we will randomly select three survey respondents to receive a \$10 Starbucks gift card.

Why do DPS teachers request digital class sets?

1. money

2. time

3. support student learning

4. selection flexibility

“Class sets of eBooks made it easy for me to meet the needs and interests of my students.”

“Students can access the book from home without having to carry around heavy books or risk losing them.”

“Ebooks provide new options for how students engage with a text. Students really like the searchable feature of eBooks when writing essays and annotating the texts in digital format.”

“Ebooks provided students with more access to the book because they could bring them home. Print copies have to remain in the classroom.”

“Audiobooks provided greater access to students struggling to read the text.”

Student choice is such an important key factor, they will become readers when they find the right book and SORA is just an amazing tool for that. This sums up my passion for reading:

“Once you learn to read, you will be forever free.” ~Frederick Douglass

I want my students to feel free!

Resource Links

Class Set Request Form: bit.ly/3N5WTsB

Class Set Master List Template: bit.ly/3QBskhb

Class Set Confirmation Email: bit.ly/3OuHIDB

Teacher Feedback Survey: bit.ly/3N98DE8



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