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AIM

in Oklahoma





- » State AT Act Program
 - > Device Demo & Loan Program
- » **Contract with OSDE**
 - > **Member of Bookshare**
 - > Accessible Materials Producer (AMP)
 - > Authorized User of the NIMAC



ABLE Tech



- » Braille
- » Large Print
- » Consumables
- » AT Devices



Services available for students with visual impairments

**AIM Center @ the
Oklahoma Library for the Blind
and Physically Handicapped**



www.bookshare.org



- » Digital Text
- » Braille Ready Format (BRF)
- » Compatible with a variety of commercial software and devices
- » Free software available
- » Online reading solutions available with internet access

Available to individuals with print disability

Bookshare



- » Purchased from publisher
- » Public Domain

**Can be used by anyone
regardless of disability**



Commercial & Free Sources



- » Audiobooks
- » Narration by human readers
- » Fees apply



Available equally to all categories of Print Disability: Visually Impaired, Physically Impaired, Learning Disabled

Learning Ally



- » Braille*
- » Large Print*
- » iPads with Digital Text**



*** Free; first come/first served**

**** Priority given to first-time applicants
with visual impairments**

Liberty Braille



In your packet...

- » AIM Student Data Form
- » Textbook Request Form
- » Bookshare Qualifications
- » Quick Guide - Recommend Individual Memberships for U.S. Students
- » Send Home Letter for Parents



Handouts





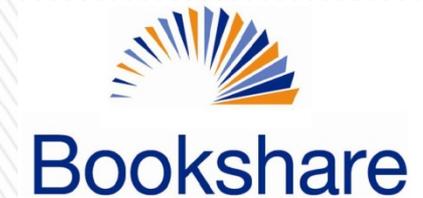
- » Web address: bookshare.org
- » User ID: individualdemo@bookshare.org
- » Password: memberdemo

Please do not make any changes to the account's user information, change preferences, or delete any students or teachers.

Bookshare Demo >

» Teacher selects books for bookshelf and assigns to students*

- > *My Reading Lists*
- > *Create Reading List*
- > *Search for title: CK-12 Biology I*
- > *Add to Reading List*



*** Requires Individual Membership linked to Organizational Account**

Bookshare Reading Lists





» Read books with Google Chrome Internet Browser with TTS Extension

- > Read Now
- > Navigate with Table of Contents or Fwd/Back buttons
- > Click TTS (speaker caption icon) to read/click again to pause
- > Adjust settings as desired

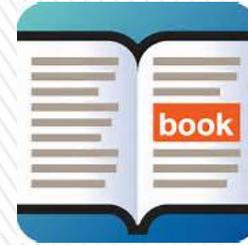
Bookshare

Web Reader



Access Bookshare files through In-app download, browser download or transfer from PC/Mac

» Read2Go for iPad
\$19.99



» GoRead for Android
Free



iPad/Android Apps >

- » Features:
- » Text-to-Speech
- » Customizable Backgrounds
- » Dual Color Highlighting
- » Word Prediction
- » Dictionary
- » And much, much more 😊



Commercial TTS Software



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Free

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- » AIM Center @ OLBPH: www.library.state.ok.us
- » Bookshare: www.bookshare.org
- » Learning Ally: www.learningally.org
- » Liberty Braille: www.libertybraille.com
- » National Center on Accessible Instructional Materials: www.aim.cast.org
- » NIMAC: www.nimac.us
- » Oklahoma School for the Blind: osb.k12.ok.us

Resources



- » Read&Write Gold: www.texthelp.com
- » Kurzweil: www.kurzweilededu.com
- » Don Johnston: www.donjohnston.com
- » Wynn: www.freedomscientific.com
- » Project Gutenberg: www.gutenberg.org
- » Louis Database: <http://louis.aph>
- » Natural Readers: naturalreaders.com

More Resources >

AIM & AT services provided through Oklahoma ABLÉ Tech,
Contractor for the Oklahoma State Department of Education.

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