

Vision Northumberland Assistive Tech Series

Dolphin EasyReader

Downloads

- To download audiobooks you will need to download the 'Dolphin EasyReader' app.
- Go to the Google Play store or the App Store.
- Search for "Dolphin EasyReader"
- Select "Install" to download the app.
- Once installed, open the app.
- Click on the picture of books in the top left-hand corner. This
 opens the menu.
- Under 'Manage libraries' there will be a select of reading services already listed.
- Click on 'Manage libraries' and you can add and remove reading services from that list to just leave the ones you would like to use.
- Click the picture of books again to return to the menu. The library list should now be personalised.

Using Calibre Audio via Dolphin EasyReader:

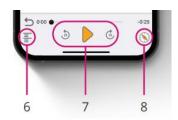
- Select Calibre Audio (if this is not in the list, click 'Manage Libraries', scroll to Calibre Audio, and toggle the selection to 'on')
 this opens your Calibre login page.
- Complete your details and click 'login'. Your username is your membership number
- Once signed in you can search for books via 'All Book' or 'Categories'
- Select a book by clicking on the book title or cover picture.
- You will be given a book summary
- Once you pick a book you like, click the 'borrow' button. The book will be added to 'My Library'

 Click 'My Library', select the title and then choose the 'download' button. Whilst downloading, the progress will be displayed. Once the download has completed, you can open the book and begin listening using the 'open' button. The book will also be available in the Calibre Audio 'My Library' list and Dolphin EasyReaders 'My Books'.

Using RNIB Reading Service via Dolphin EasyReader:

- Select RNIB Reading Service this opens your RNIB Reading Service login page. Complete your details and click 'login'.
- Once signed in you can search for books via 'Latest', 'Categories' or 'Search All'.
- Select a book by clicking on the book title. A book summary will appear (not available on Apple products).
- You can either click the back arrow (orange ←) to return to the full list and continue browsing or click download.
- Whilst downloading, the progress will be displayed. Once the download has completed, you can open the book and begin listening using the 'open' button. The book will also be available in the Dolphin EasyReaders 'My Books' section.
- To read any downloaded book, no matter the reading service, click the stack of books to open the menu.
- Click 'My Books' and select the book you want to read.
- The below settings will appear:
 - 3. Style settings you can alter the font size, spaces and colours.
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- 4. Audio settings here you can set the speed of the reading and volume.
- 5. Book options find out where in the audiobook you are
- 6. Track listing navigate to a desired track by tapping on it.

7. Player controls - these allow you to play, pause, and rewind or fast forward.



- To return a book, regardless of reading service used, open the menu (stack of books) and select 'My Books'
- Tap on the information icon (white circle with i inside) next to the book you wish to return.
- Tap on the bin icon in the top right of the screen and click 'yes' when asked if you want to remove the book.
- In 'My Books' you can also swipe left on the book title to reveal a 'delete' option.