

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What are Zinio eMagazines?

A: Zinio provides cover-to-cover, full color or digital editions of popular magazines.

Q: How do I view eMagazines?

A: View eMagazines *online* from your browser or *offline* using Zinio Reader.

Q: How do I view eMagazines *online*?

A: View *online* in any web browser with Adobe Flash installed. Content is streamed to your computer or handheld device. A high speed internet connection is required.

Q: How do I view eMagazines *offline*?

A: Enjoy eMagazines *offline* by using the free Zinio app.

Q: How long can I have an eMagazine?

A: eMagazines do not have due dates. Keep them in **My Collection** as long as you like.

Q: How many can I have?

A: Checkout as many as you like. No worries about returning them – ever!

BACK ISSUES & NOTIFICATIONS

Receive notifications when new issues of your favorite magazines become available.

- From **My Preferences**, select magazine titles for email notification when the next issue is available
- You may wish to check the box **Email me weekly to tell me about new magazines my library offers.**

ONLINE HELP GUIDES

ZINIO FOR LIBRARIES

(General Overview) www.ow.ly/Tshu3

ZINIO FOR ANDROID www.ow.ly/TsIMF

ZINIO FOR IPAD www.ow.ly/Tsjh7

ZINIO FOR IPHONE www.ow.ly/Tsmyx

ZINIO FOR KINDLE FIRE www.ow.ly/TskBY

TOMPKINS COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Library Hours

9:30 AM - 8:30 PM Monday - Thursday
9:30 AM - 6:00 PM Friday
9:30 AM - 5:00 PM Saturday
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM Sundays (September - May)
(Sunday hours contingent upon funding)

Contact Information

Hours and Holiday Schedule: 607-272-4555
Reference Queries: 607-272-4556
General Information: 607-272-4557
Fax: 607-272-8111
Email: askalibrarian@tcpl.org



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Zinio for Libraries Digital Magazines



Read eMagazines on your portable device or home computer 24/7

What is Zinio?

Zinio offers full color, interactive digital magazines. Browse from a collection of popular titles with no holds, no checkout periods, and no limit to the number of magazines you can download.

- Mobile apps — Read magazines on today's mobile devices including iOS (Apple), Android, Win8, and Kindle Fire/HD/HDX
- Current Issues — New issues are released simultaneously with the print edition
- Back List — You have access to a digital backlog for anytime checkout and reading
- Easy browsing and checkout — Browse titles one at a time, search by title or use the category feature to find new magazines
- Manage your collection — From your personal account, checkout magazines and read them instantly on a PC or Mac computer, or access content from a portable media device. Note: viewing options may differ based on the device and/or publisher
- No limit permanent check out — Check out as many issues as you want and keep them in your account as long as you wish

GET STARTED

Create an account:

Step 1: Navigate to the webpage www.rbdigital.com/fingerlakesny from a web browser on a desktop, laptop, iPad, iPod, Android phone or Kindle HD/HDX.

Step 2: Click on **Create New Account**.

Step 3: Enter required information, a password (at least 7 characters, letters and numbers) and click on the **Create Account** button.

Step 4: At the **Log In** box, enter your library account credentials, your library card number and PIN.

Step 5: Click on the **Continue** button to view, search, and checkout magazines.

SEARCH & SELECT

Find magazines alphabetically, and by keyword, genre, and language:

Step 6: Click on a magazine cover, a window with magazine details opens.

Step 7: Click on the **Checkout** button and a **Success! pop-up window** opens. After **Checkout**, magazines are added to **My Collection**.

Step 8: Choose **Keep Browsing**, **Start Reading** or get the free Zinio app to download to a mobile device.

STREAM IN YOUR BROWSER OR DOWNLOAD TO A PORTABLE DEVICE

Choose to read *online* in the browser from the **Success!** pop-up window:

Step 9a: In the **Success!** window, click on the **Start Reading: Stream Now on PC, Mac & Mobile** button.

Or from **My Collection**:

Step 9b: Click on the magazine cover.

Choose to read *offline* from the **Success!** pop-up window:

Step 9b: In the **Success!** window, click on your device from the links **GET THE NEW APP to read offline: iPad | iPhone | Android | Kindle HD/HDX**.

Step 10: Download the **Zinio for Libraries** app.

Step 11: Click on the app icon and then on the **Login** button.

Step 12: Click on **United States, New York, and Finger Lakes Library System**.

Step 13: Enter your Zinio account email and password and click on **Submit**.

Step 14: View titles in **My Collection** by date, title, and downloads.

Step 15: Click on title to download (if it hasn't been already) and read.

Enjoy your Zinio reading experience!