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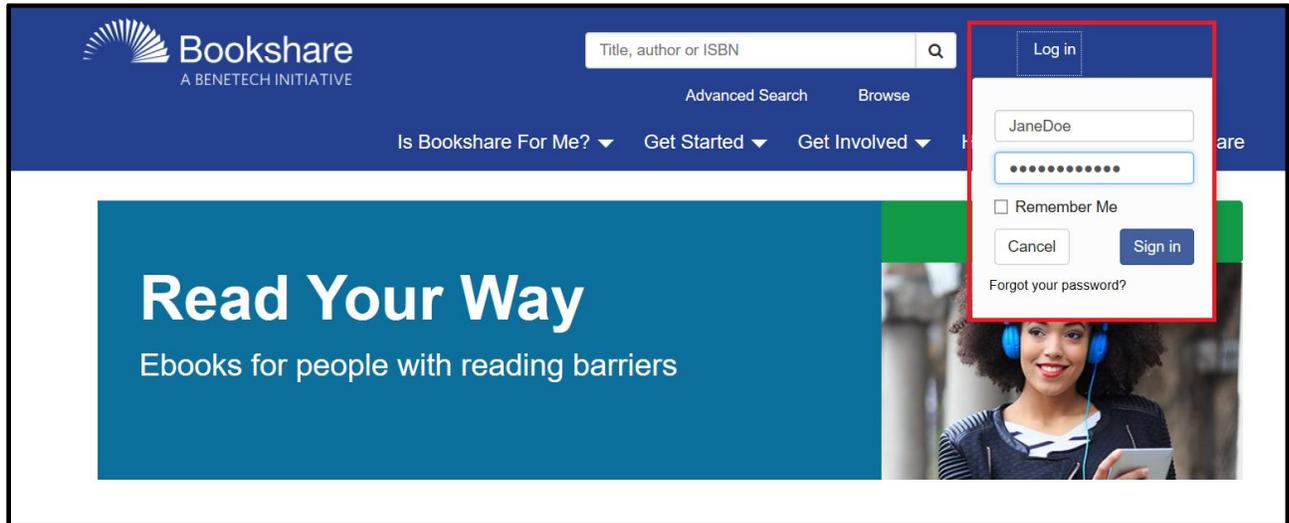
How Students Access Books



How to Find and Read Assigned Books

Once a teacher assigns a book, students can read the book directly in an Internet browser on a computer, with a compatible app on a tablet or smartphone or on many assistive technology devices. The “[Reading Tool](#)” wizard can help you determine what tools will work best with your device.

- 1) Log into [Bookshare](#) with the username and password created by your teacher.



- 2) Books that have been assigned to you will be under the “Assigned Books” link. Books that have been assigned on a Reading List are found under the “Reading List” link. Ask your teacher if you are not sure where to find your book.

Title	Author	Action
 Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire	Rowling, J. K.	Read Now DAISY Text Only <input type="button" value="Download"/>
 The Adventures of Tom Sawyer	Twain, Mark • Maniquis, Robert	Read Now DAISY Text Only <input type="button" value="Download"/>

- 3) If you want to read the book on your computer, find the book and select the “Read Now” button to open in Bookshare Web Reader. *Note: Web Reader is compatible with Google Chrome version 33+, Safari version 6.1+ and Chromebooks version 14+*

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- 4) Next, Bookshare packages the book and prepares it for reading in the browser. Depending on the size of the book, it may take 30-60 seconds. The book will then be ready to be viewed – and heard – in the Bookshare Web Reader.

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How I Came to Life

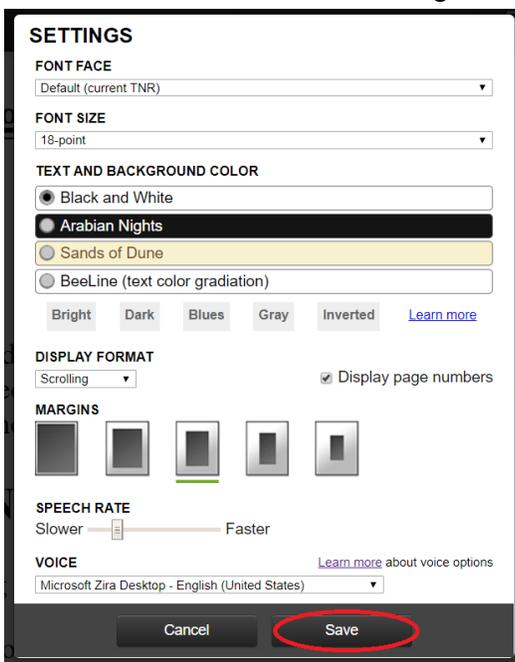
I like when Mom tells this story because it makes me laugh so much. It’s not funny in the way a joke is funny, but when Mom tells it, Via and I just start cracking up.

So when I was in my mom’s stomach, no one had any idea I would come out looking the way I look. Mom had had Via four years before, and that had been such a “walk in the park” (Mom’s expression) that there was no reason to run any special tests. About two months before I was born, the doctors realized there was something wrong with my face, but they didn’t think it was going to be bad. They told Mom and Dad I had a cleft palate and some other stuff going on. They called it “small anomalies.”

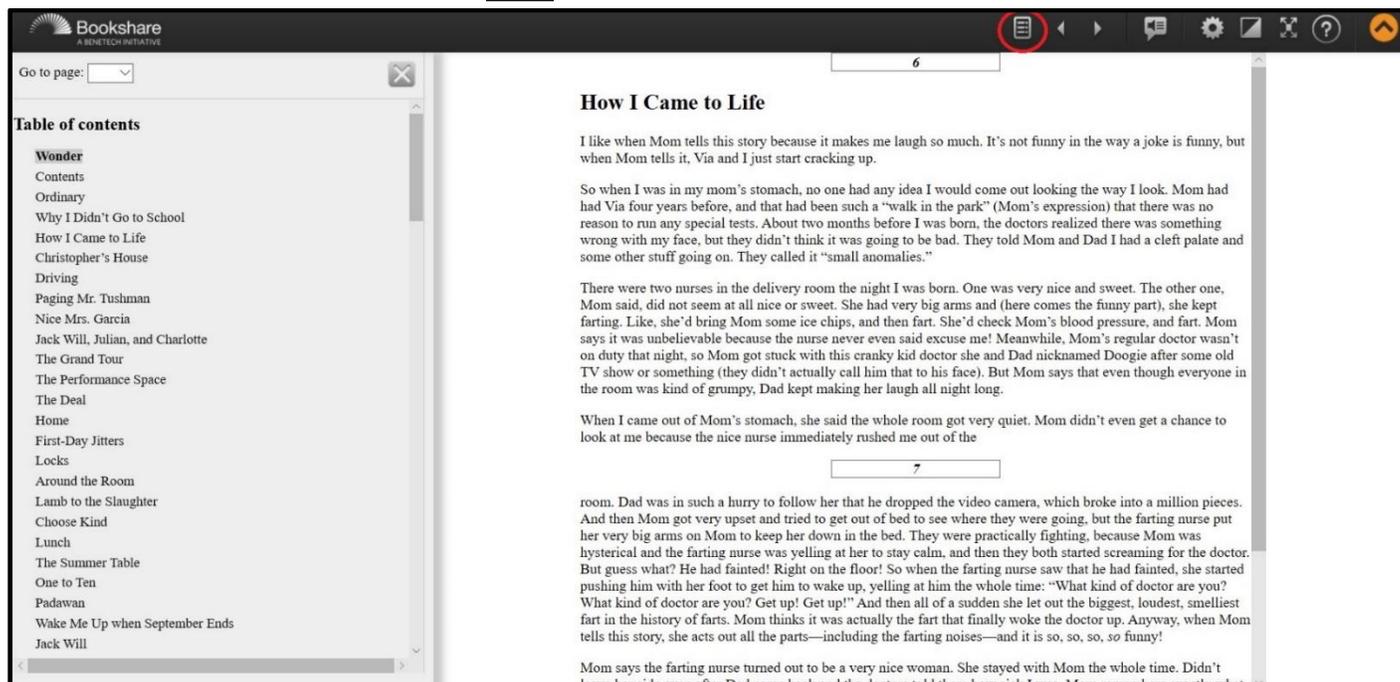
There were two nurses in the delivery room the night I was born. One was very nice and sweet. The other one, Mom said, did not seem at all nice or sweet. She had very big eyes and (have you ever the funniest part) she kept frowning. Like, she’d

- 5) To hear the book read aloud, select “Play.”

- 6) Use the settings button  to change the font size, text and background color combination and voice and rate of speech if desired. Select “Save” after making changes.



- 7) Use the Table of Contents icon  to select where you want to start reading.



- 8) If you want to read a book on a mobile device or other assistive technology device, review the instructions for each device in the [Reading Tools Wizard](#). Please note that when using tools other than Bookshare Web Reader—where you see both your assigned books and Reading List books—you will have to search for the title in the device.