RENEWING BORROWED TITLES

If your book doesn't have any holds on it, you will be permitted to renew it. The renewal option becomes available three days prior to the end of the loan period.

1. Go to your SHELF (the word SHELF will be visible in the bottom right corner of your app).
2. Tap the words MANAGE LOAN next to the title you wish to renew.
3. Choose RENEW LOAN and then RENEW and you are done.

FURTHER HELP

If you have questions or need to troubleshoot using the Libby app:

1. In the app tap on the Libby icon   at the top right corner of the screen.
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If you are still experiencing troubles you can:

- Email **questions@siouxcitylibrary.org** for help from Sioux City Public Library staff or…
- Call 712-255-2933 ext. 2221 or email **questions@siouxcitylibrary.org** to set up a one-on-one consultation with a librarian at the Aalfs Downtown Library.

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3. You may continue browsing by tapping the words KEEP BROWSING or tap the words OPEN BOOK to begin reading.

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1. Go to your SHELF (the word SHELF will be visible in the bottom right corner of your app).
2. Tap the words MANAGE LOAN next to the title you wish to return.
3. Choose RETURN EARLY and then RETURN and you are done.

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Libby is a free app from a company called Overdrive that allows you access to over 67,000 ebooks and 13,000 audiobooks with your full-access Sioux City Public Library card. Ebooks and audiobooks can be downloaded or streamed on your internet-connected mobile device.

GETTING STARTED

1. Download the free Libby by Overdrive app from your app store.
2. Open the app and answer YES to the question: Do you have a library card?
3. On the next page tap the option "I'll Search For a Library" and type in Sioux City.
4. Choose this option that will appear below the search box:
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   529 Pierce St, Sioux City, Iowa, USA
5. It will then ask you "Where do you use your library card?" and you will choose Sioux City Public Library.
6. You will then be prompted to type in your library card number. Type in the entire number beneath the barcode without any spaces. Then you will be asked for your PIN, which is the month and day of the card holder's birthdate – MMDD.
7. It will then show you your library card information and you can tap NEXT.

BROWSING, SEARCHING, AND PLACING HOLDS

To Browse: Tap the word LIBRARY in the bottom left corner of the app. You can then scroll down to view the featured collections or tap the word EXPLORE to view even more titles.

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