

How to search for an eBook

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In this short video, I will talk you through 'how to search for an eBook' using the library catalogue.

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In this example, you know the exact title and author of the book you're looking for.

Begin by entering words from the title and putting the author's last name in the single search box.

I will look for 'Community Pharmacy Handbook' written by Waterfield, then click on search.

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The search result for this title includes a link that tells you, we provide multiple versions of this book. Click on this link.

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If we provide an eBook, the online link access will appear in the search results. To view the eBook click this link.

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That opens the book, and you have the choice of entering a specific page number by clicking at the top and entering the page you wish to read. Or alternatively, you can scroll down the table of contents and click on a particular title that you want to read instead.

You can also download a limited number of individual chapters once you've finished reading. It's important to sign out of the eBook before closing down the window.

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