

## Questions to ask when choosing an eReader:



### How much do you want to pay?

Amazon Kindle (\$79)  
Amazon Kindle Fire tablets (\$99 and up)  
Amazon Kindle Paperwhite (\$119)  
Barnes & Noble Nook GlowLight (\$119)  
Barnes & Noble Nook tablets (\$179 and up)  
Kindle Voyage (\$199)  
Android tablets - Samsung Galaxy Tab, Google Nexus, ect. (\$199 and up)  
Apple iPad Mini (\$299 and up)  
Apple iPad (\$399 and up)  
Microsoft Surface (\$449 and up)



### Do you want to do more than just read?

(Check your email, go on the Internet, watch movies?)

*Just read eBooks:*

Kindle, Kindle Paperwhite, Kindle Voyage  
Nook GlowLight

*Read eBooks, view email, access the Internet, watch movies, listen to music, play games, use apps:*

Tablets – Android, Fire, iPad, Nook, Surface



### Do you want to borrow eBooks from the library?

Easier borrowing (You can borrow right from the device using OverDrive app)

Tablets – Android, Fire, iPad, Nook, Surface

Harder borrowing (You will need a computer to borrow)

Kindle, Kindle Paperwhite, Kindle Voyage, Nook GlowLight



### How big do you need the screen?

(Magnify the text, view magazines)

Kindle, Kindle Paperwhite - 6 inches

Nook GlowLight - 6 inches

Kindle Fire tablet – 6 - 8.9 inches

Nook tablet - 7 inches

iPad, Android tablets – 7 - 10 inches



### How long will the battery last until it needs to be recharged?

(Will you recharge the device every night?)

Black and white readers– 1-3 weeks if you keep the wireless off

Tablets – 8-11 hours



## How heavy is the device?

(Will you be holding the reader for a long time?)

*Lighter*

Kindle Voyager – 6.3 ounces

Kindle – 6.7 ounces

Nook Glowlight - 7 ounces

Kindle Paperwhite - 7.3 ounces

*Heavier*

Nook tablet - 14.1 ounces

Kindle Fire - 14.6 ounces

Apple iPad - 1.33 to 1.46 pounds



## Do you want to listen to books?

(Audiobooks? Text to speech feature for your ebook?)

*Plays Audiobooks:*

Tablets – Android, Fire, iPad, Nook, Surface

*Kindle Fire allows for text to speech conversion (with publisher permission)*

*Kindle Fire and tablets with Kindle app allow you to toggle between Audible and a purchased Kindle book.*



## Where will you be reading and for how long at a time?

(Will you be reading in direct sunlight outside? Will you be reading for several hours at a time? Do you want to read magazines? Picture books?)

*e-ink readers (easier on the eyes and in direct sunlight):*

Kindle, Kindle Paperwhite, Kindle Voyager, Nook GlowLight

*Color readers/tablets (like a computer screen, better for pictures):*

Tablets – Android, Fire, iPad, Nook, Surface



## Wi-Fi or 3G?

(Do you have easy access to wireless Internet?)

Wi-Fi – You will need wireless Internet access.

3G – You can access the Internet most places in the United States.