How to Download e-Books and Audiobooks to an iPad Using the MARINet OverDrive Collection *(Overdrive App/Adobe Method)*

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Go to the App Store and search for Overdrive Media Console.

Touch the **Free** button next to the Overdrive icon and then touch it again when it changes to **Install**.

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Touch the ≡ button in the top left.

Touch **Settings** in the left column that opens up.

Now touch the **Authorize with Adobe ID** button.

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