

Getting started with Sora



You can access Sora:

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By direct link: <https://soraapp.com/library/masslibma>

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To Set Up Sora

1. Go to <https://soraapp.com/library/masslibma> on a Chromebook or computer, or if you're using another smart device install the Sora App.



2. Select "Rupert A. Nock Middle School" from the drop-down menu.

Sign into your school



Select your school



3. Click the green button!

Sign in using Rupert A Nock
Middle School

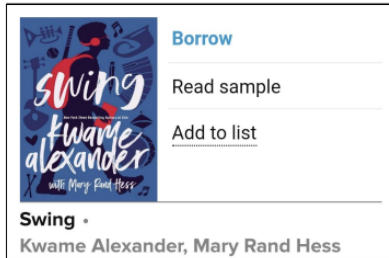
4. Enter your school email address or select your school Google account. This will bring you to your G-Suite login page where you can login with your username and password.

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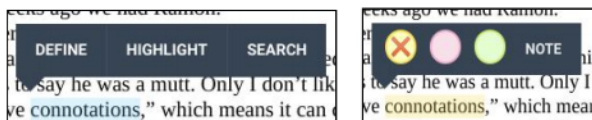
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