Get to know CONTENT ACCESS LEVELS

Content access levels let you control which **types of users** can view **certain titles** in your digital collection.

It's designed to let you manage access to titles based on each title's **age-appropriateness**.

What happens to determine which books students see?

How do students see books in Sora?

Sora identifies students' grade and access levels via their **login**.

OverDrive will set your **default** grade bands (you can choose up to 3).

Our recommended alignment:

K-5......................Juvenile users
6-8................Young Adult users
9-12..............Staff/Adult users

How are the access levels applied?

1. Set levels when you **purchase**. (*Pro-tip:* create carts by grade band!)
2. Use the pre-set **publisher-defined audience levels**.
3. Adjust levels **a la carte** (in search results or *Admin > Content Access Levels*).

So, which students see which books?

*Content access levels restrict reading **above** levels, not below, so:*

- Readers with Adult access see **all** books.
- Readers with Young Adult access see **Young Adult and Juvenile** books.
- Readers with Juvenile access will see **Juvenile** books only.

You can adjust individual content access levels after purchase!

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