Zinio Digital Magazine Service

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Another exciting benefit of your library card is free access to an extensive collection of digital magazines through the STLS (Southern Tier Library System). There are publications on virtually any topic from cooking to entertainment, travel to business, with something suitable for every age reader. There is no limit to the number of magazines you can take out. Magazines will remain in your account until you delete them.

How do I begin checking out magazines through Zinio?

Simply visit the Wayland Free Library website at gunlockelibrary.org. (If you prefer doing a Google search for the library, be sure you have selected the New York library. There is another library in Massachusetts with the same name!)

The Zinio Digital Magazine button is on the right side of our website about halfway down the page.

You may search the magazine collection without signing in but you must log in and checkout the magazine in order to read it.

How do I get an account to "checkout" digital magazines?

Zinio is another benefit you receive at no charge simply by having a Wayland Free Library card. The first time you checkout a magazine you will need to "Create An Account." Simply enter your library card number. This is the 13-digit number that appears on the back of your library card under the barcode. A form will pop up that must be completed and includes your name and email address. You will be prompted to create a username and password.

After you have successfully created your account, simply login with your username and password.

I am logged in. How do I "Checkout" a magazine?

Zinio digital magazines may be read on many devices and may be read online or offline. To read a magazine online or by "streaming," simply click the Checkout button. You will then be give two options: Keep Browsing (This allows you to put the magazine into your

collection to read later and puts you back into the app to continue browsing for more materials.) or Start Reading (This option opens the periodical and allows you to begin reading through PC, Mac, or mobile devices.).

Another way to enjoy Zinio Digital Magazines is by downloading the mobile app. Zinio for Libraries app for iPads and iPhones is available through the iTunes store. The Android app is available through the Google Store and Zinio for Libraries is also available free the Amazon App store for use on Kindle HD/HDX. Use of the app allows you to download magazines and read the publications offline.

How do I read magazines I have loaded into my collection?

To view and read magazines in your collection, click on the down arrow to the right of the Welcome message on the top of your screen. The second choice on the dropdown is "My Magazine Collection." This selection allows you to view any magazines you have previously borrowed and have not deleted. Simply choose the open book icon to read/stream your magazine or if you are no longer interested in this magazine, choosing the trash can icon will delete the magazine from your collection.

Okay. I am in the magazine. Not what do I do?

By using the left and right arrows displayed on the sides of the pages, you may flip through the pages of the magazine. Icons on the left side of the display allow you to view the table of contents, skip (or flip) to a specific page, bookmark a page, change the view to full screen, view text only, zoom in or out, and print.

For help with this service or other technology questions, please visit our Tech Trainer Wednesdays from 4:00 to 7:00 pm. Appointments are not required.