

## STRATEGIES BY DEVICE

# Different Ways to Access the Learning Ally Audiobook Solution



Depending on the technology environment at your school, your students will be able to access the Learning Ally Audiobook Solution in different ways. Use these guidelines to determine the best way to implement Learning Ally on your devices.

Be sure to add the [Learning Ally Audiobook app](#), to all of your devices.

## School-Issued Devices

**With 1:1 devices**, all students in the school will have individual school-issued devices so using the Learning Ally Audiobook Solution should be standard practice, allowing reading to happen anytime, anywhere.

**If the device is issued only while in school**, give permission to the students to use the Learning Ally Audiobook Solution in all classes, even though other students might not be able to. Have a conversation with general education teachers to ensure they understand the student will be using the solution to read in their classroom.

**If the device is issued for both school and home use**, make sure to inform the parents that the Learning Ally Audiobooks App is installed on their school-issued device and that their child can access it to read at home. Share the Parent Information Package ([English](#) | [Spanish](#)).

## Shared Devices During School

If you have limited access to devices, consider one of the following **instructional options** for your school:

**Literacy Station/Reader's Workshop:** Set up Learning Ally Audiobook Solution access on a single device as a station rotation. A splitter with multiple headphones works ideal in this situation. If you don't have access to a splitter, play the audiobook aloud.

**Whole Class Instruction:** Project the reading app on a smartboard for the entire class. This is a perfectly acceptable use for the Learning Ally Audiobook Solution as long as the eligible students are getting the access they need.

**Shared Use of a Single Device:** The Learning Ally Audiobooks App has the ability to switch users on the same device. Students can log in to their own bookshelf and log out allowing the next student to log in. Reading progress, bookmarks and customization will not be lost when the next student logs in.

## Personal Devices

**BYOD policies** allow students to bring personal devices to school for educational purposes. Students using the Learning Ally Audiobook Solution should install the Learning Ally Audiobooks App on their personal device for both at school and home use.

No matter your technology, always encourage students to add Learning Ally Audiobooks App on their own personal device. This will encourage use both inside and outside of the classroom. If students do not have their own personal device, speak with parents about accessing a shared device at home.

### TIP:

*Get more devices through applying for [grants](#), [Donors Choose/Go Fund Me](#) or participate in Learning Ally's reading programs for a chance to win.*