



Announcing FCMS's digital library!

MackinVIA is a digital resource management system that acts as a one-access portal for eBooks and databases. Students and teachers can access these digital resources using their active directory login (same as Schoology!).

Go to <https://www.mackinvia.com/> and start typing "Fruit Cove." The school should appear. Click on our school and a login page will open.

The MackinVIA Sign In page features the MackinVIA logo at the top. Below it, the text "Sign In" and "Log in to your site's MackinVIA account" are displayed. There are three input fields: "School/Library Name" (with a placeholder "School/Library Name"), "User ID", and "Password". A blue "Log In" button is at the bottom left, and a link "Administrator?" is at the bottom right.

A dropdown menu showing a list of schools. The header is "Fruit" and the sub-header is "School/Library Name". The list includes: "Fruit Cove Middle School, JACKSONVILLE, FL" (highlighted with a pink arrow), "FRUITA 8/9 SCHOOL, FRUITA, CO", "FRUITA MIDDLE SCHOOL, FRUITA, CO", "FRUITA MONUMENT HIGH SCHOOL, FRUITA, CO", and "Fruitland Park Elementary, FRUITLAND PARK, FL".

The MackinVIA Sign In page with "Fruit Cove Middle School, JACKSONVILLE, FL (Not your location?)" selected in the "School/Library Name" field. The "Log In" button is circled in pink. Below the button, it says "Having trouble accessing MackinVIA? Please contact your teacher/librarian for login information." and "Administrator?" is a link.

A login page with the heading "Use your Active Directory login (same as Schoology)". Below it, a blue bar contains "St. Johns County School District". Underneath, it says "Log in using your Follett account". There are two input fields: "Username" (with a placeholder "Snumber") and "Password" (with a masked password ".....").

What is MackinVIA™?

MackinVIA™ is a program that makes it easy to access your school's eBooks, educational databases and other resources. One User ID and password is all you need to get started. You can use MackinVIA on any device that has Internet access. For online and offline access, there is a free MackinVIA app available for download.

How do I log into MackinVIA?

To access your school's resources, you can enter the guest login set up for the school, or you can enter your Backpack User ID and Password.

What if I can't remember my User ID and password?

If you don't remember your User ID and password, please ask your librarian or teacher for help.

What is a Backpack™?

Backpack™ accounts help you store and manage your eBooks and databases. With a Backpack, you can save your favorite eResources in one place, check out and request Mackin-hosted eResources, and store notes about eBooks and other resources.

How do I find eBooks and other resources in MackinVIA?

There are four ways you can search for eBooks or databases in MackinVIA. Use the one that works best for you.

1. Perform a keyword search
2. Browse topics on the Categories page
3. View groupings of resources created by your teachers on the Groups page
4. Filter the eResources using the Advanced Search filters

Do I have to check out eBooks to read them?

Many eBooks do not need to be checked out, meaning everyone can read them at the same time—at school, home, or anywhere you have access to the Internet. Other eBooks can only be read by a certain number of students at one time.

What if the resource does not open when I click on it?

Make sure you have pop-ups enabled in your browser. Try closing the window and then clicking on the eBook title again. If that doesn't work, please report difficulties to your librarian or teacher.

What is the MackinVIA Reader?

The MackinVIA Reader is a cross-platform application that allows you to read Mackin-hosted eBooks and Audiobooks in MackinVIA. Besides flipping pages in the Reader, you can view a linked table of contents and page thumbnails, access eBook information, bookmark pages, search through the text, write notes, cite sources, access a dictionary, zoom in/out, change the page view, pan around the page and close the eBook when you're finished.

Why do some resources such as databases open up to a different e-reader?

Most of the eBooks in MackinVIA are hosted by Mackin and open in the MackinVIA Reader. However, some resources such as online databases and videos are hosted on other platforms.

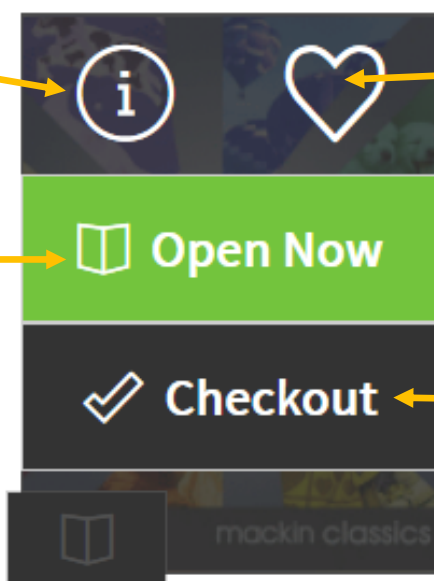
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