

Title: I need a book right away....No time to get to the library. Can you help?

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Laptop computer	At some point in your research, you may find yourself in a tight timeframe, where you really need a book but don't have time to either come into the library or to wait for something on interlibrary loan. This is where something called an electronic book will suit your needs to a T.
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Catalog results page	<p>The search brings up 5 results.</p> <p>Three of them feature the designation, online. This means the entire book is here in digital format, at your fingertips. No need to search for it in the stacks, check it out, or deal with overdue fines.</p> <p>Whether you select the title or the online content button, you'll be taken to the full record.</p>
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