

# Tips for Adobe Digital Editions, E-books and the Nook

## How to de-authorize Adobe Digital Editions (ADE)?

Control – Shift – D Hold the Control & Shift keys then tap the D key

## How do I de-activate a device?

In ADE with the reader attached (and showing up in ADE),  
Control – Shift - E, and the deactivation dialog should show up.

## Why do I need to authorize my computer with my Adobe ID?

Some digital publications that you purchase online or check out from a library may contain digital rights management (DRM) protection that restricts the items from being shared with others. In the past, this could limit the ability to read your items on additional computers owned by you. It could even prevent you from moving your items when you bought a new computer.

Digital Editions helps ensure that your eBooks and other digital publications are not "locked" on one computer — they are assigned to you through your Adobe ID. Digital Editions also adds support for the next generation of mobile devices.

## Can eBooks that I have already borrowed from a library be transferred to another computer?

Digital Editions detects borrowed eBooks and displays them in the Borrowed bookshelf. However, if you borrowed an eBook with Acrobat or Reader, you cannot transfer that book to another computer.

You must return the library item and then borrow the item again using the current version of Digital Editions

## Nook Freezes

Most freezes are the result of user error, and the most frequent user error that causes freezes is giving the Nook too many commands at once. You need to give the device time to respond; the response is usually reasonably fast, but not immediate. Piling up "back" "forward" "on/off" in too fast a succession can make it freeze.

## USB device not recognized

When I plug my nook's USB into my pc a warning pops up saying that USB device not recognized.  
Turn off Nook, count to 10 and restart.

## How to disconnect a Nook from the PC

The proper way to eject a Nook in Windows 7 is from to eject the Nook from the drive icon.  
For Windows XP use the 'Safely Remove Hardware' icon in the system tray.

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