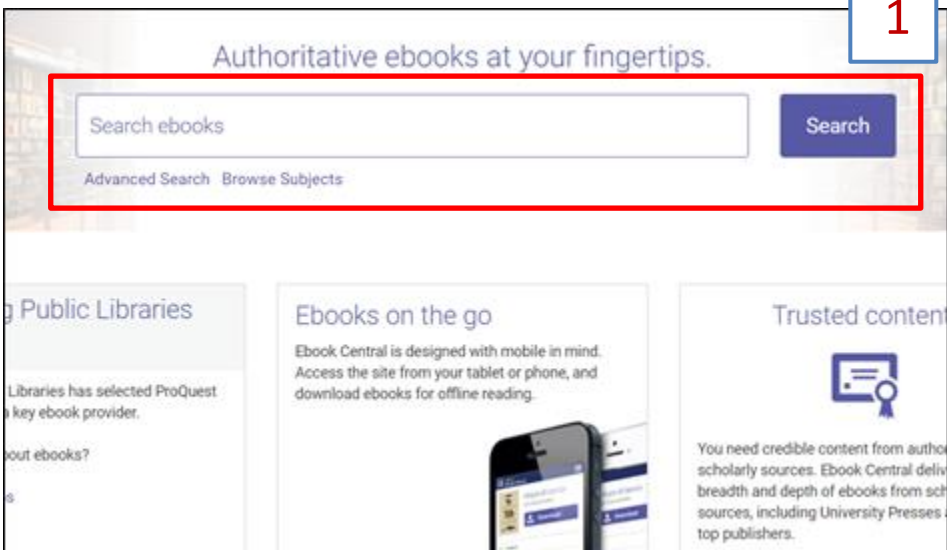
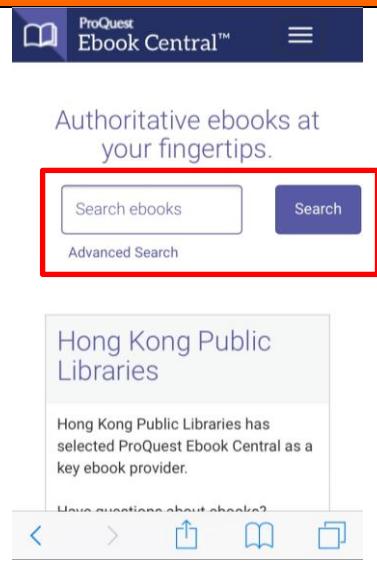


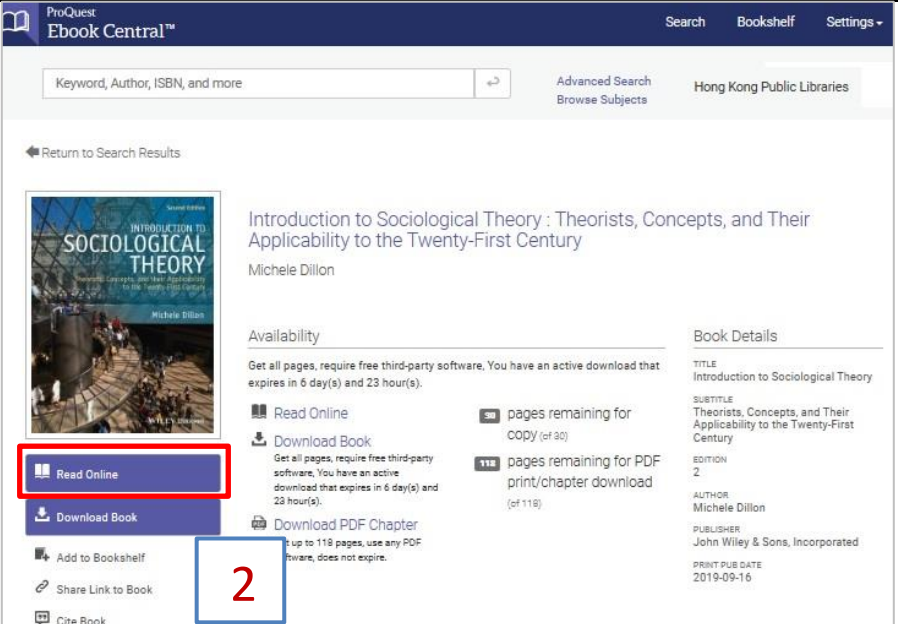
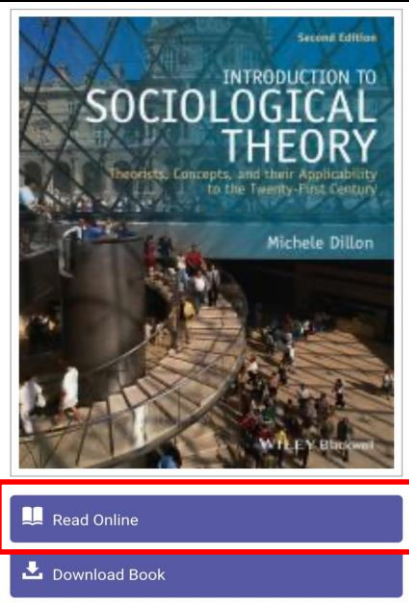
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## 1. Search an e-Book and Read Online

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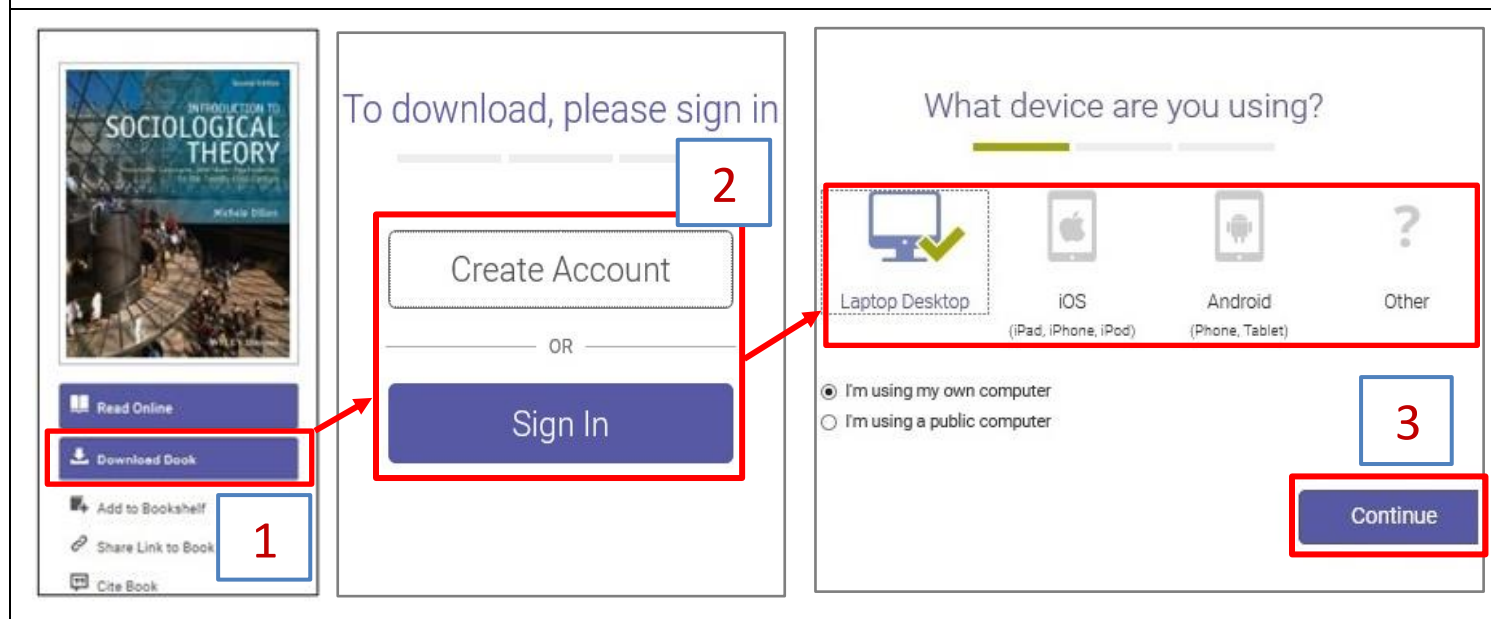
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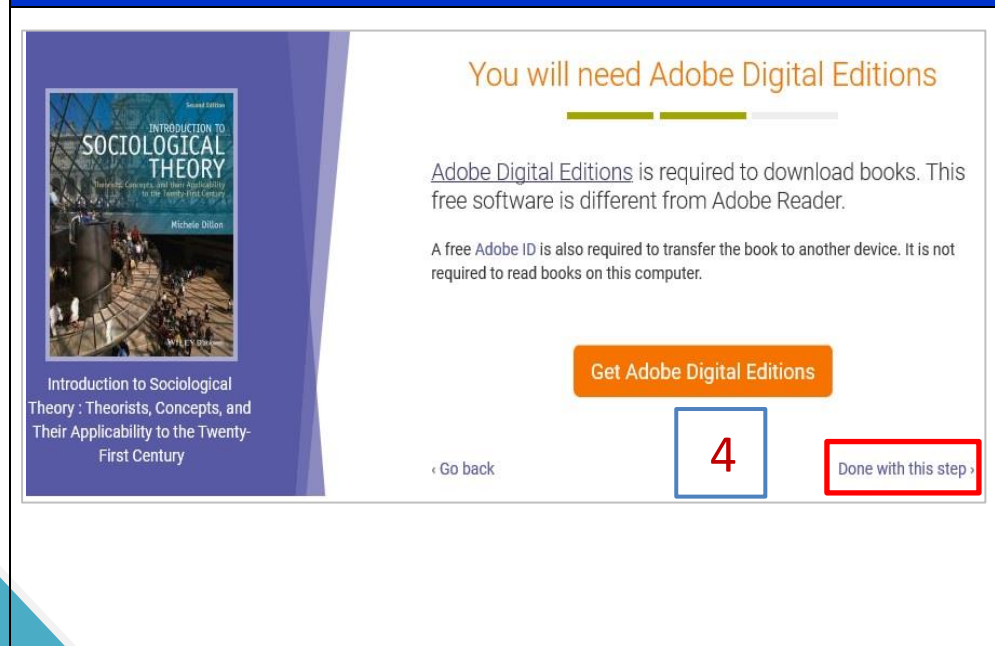
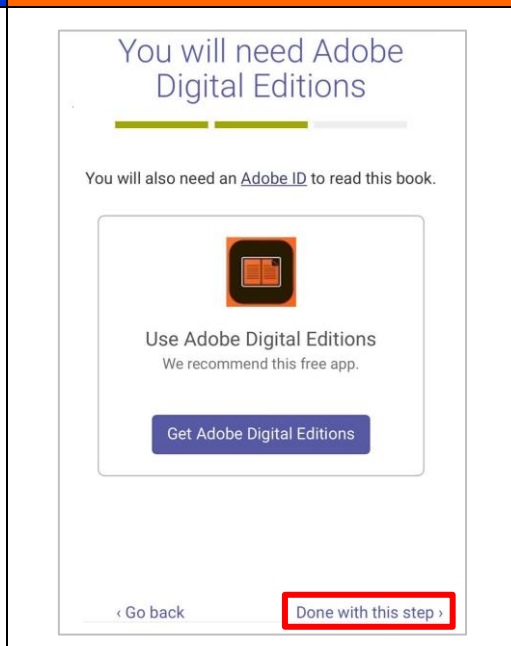


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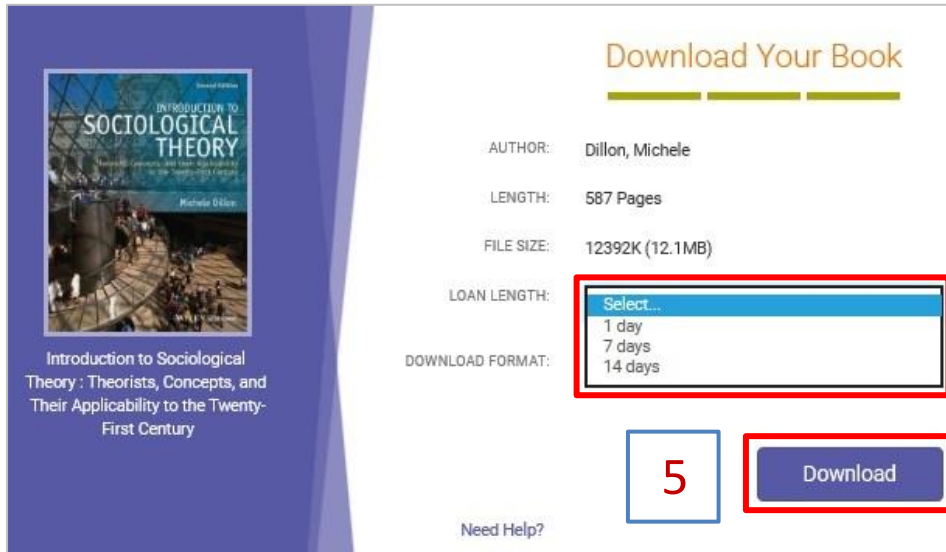
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 <p>The screenshot shows a screen titled 'You will need Adobe Digital Editions'. It explains that Adobe Digital Editions is required to download books and that it is different from Adobe Reader. It also mentions that a free Adobe ID is required to transfer the book to another device. There are two buttons: 'Get Adobe Digital Editions' (labeled '4') and 'Done with this step' (highlighted with a red box). A 'Go back' link is at the bottom left.</p>	 <p>The screenshot shows a screen titled 'You will need Adobe Digital Editions'. It states that an Adobe ID is also needed to read the book. It features an icon of a tablet and a button labeled 'Use Adobe Digital Editions We recommend this free app.' Below this is a 'Get Adobe Digital Editions' button. At the bottom, there are 'Go back' and 'Done with this step' (highlighted with a red box) links.</p>

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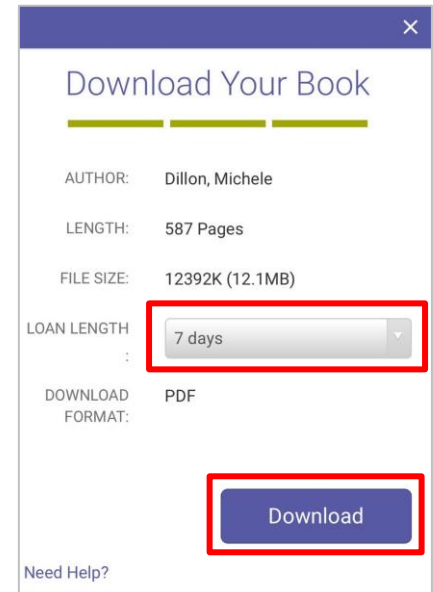
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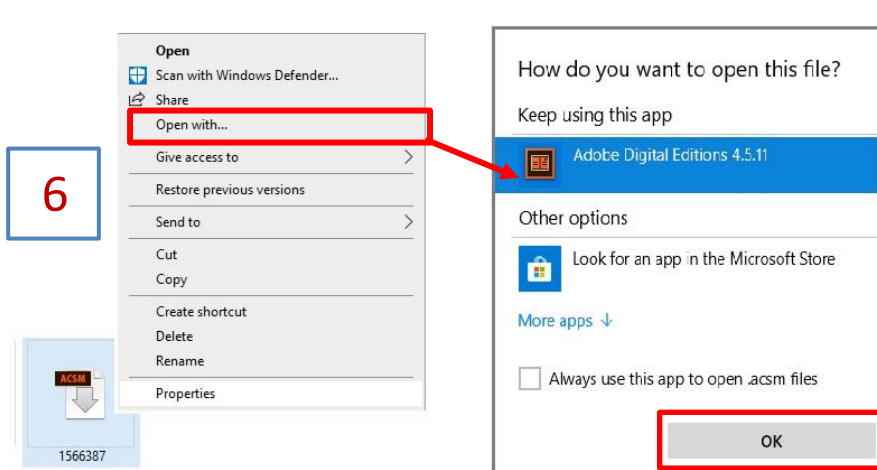
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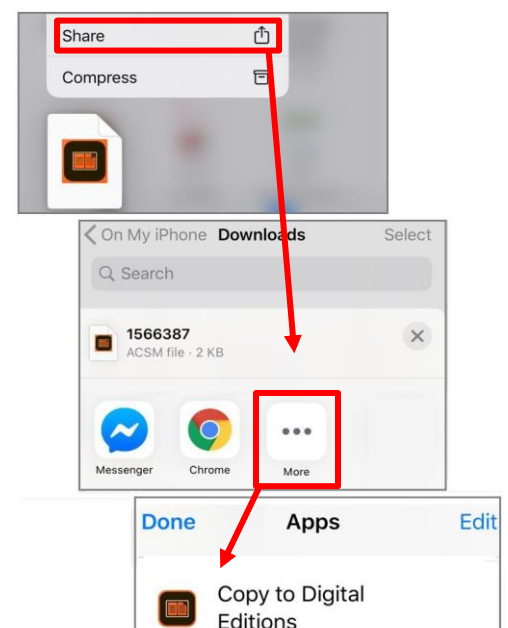
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