



PLAYAWAY

audio books

Bundaberg Regional Library Service now holds a collection of new audio books called Playaways.

You are able to listen to a story, learn a language, or get advice on how to live your life to the fullest with our mix of adult, junior and youth fiction and non-fiction titles. No more changing tapes or CDs, the books are pre-loaded on these digital audio players.

Only a **AAA battery** and a standard set of **headphones** are required to operate the devices.

Currently Playaways are held only in the Bundaberg branch. If they prove popular and durable we may expand the collection to include a larger number of titles, and provide stock to 'live' in other branches.

Borrowers who normally visit other library branches are still able to borrow Playaways. Simply ask a staff member or use the online catalogue to reserve the title/s you are interested in. They will then be sent to the branch you nominated for collection.

To search for Playaways on the catalogue, go to the **Advanced** search screen. Under the **Collection** heading choose *Playaway Adult*, *Playaway Junior*, or *Playaway Youth*. Then click on **OK** to search.

Important Info

- **3 per card** borrowing limit
- **Battery covers** must be returned intact, or the unit will not operate properly.
- Playaways are expensive. Lost or damaged Playaways must be paid for. Each Playaway costs **in excess of \$100**.

Tips

- For best results use a known brand-name battery rather than a no-name battery.
- **One** AAA battery should last for the whole story – according to the manufacturer. However, longer stories may require more than one battery.

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