

Step by Step Guide for Desktop Users of Blinkist

This Step-by-Step Guide contains the following sections:

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What do you need?



Desktop Device

Any desktop computer with WiFi / data (e.g. 5G, 4G) connection.

Desktop web browser



User Account

To access Blinkist, you will need your [NLB myLibrary username](#).

A. How to access and get started with Blinkist from Desktop for first-time users

Step 1

- a) Click on the links shown below in the [NLB eResources website](#).
- b) Login using your NLB myLibrary username and password if you have not done so.

1. Blinkist ← (a)

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Available at all libraries and from home.

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3. FAQ

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Using this e-resource requires you to provide an email address to create a user account with the e-resource provider; and this will be subject to the privacy policy of the e-resource provider.

(b)

Sign *in*

Scan QR using NLB Mobile app



OR

myLibrary username

[What is myLibrary username?](#)

myLibrary username

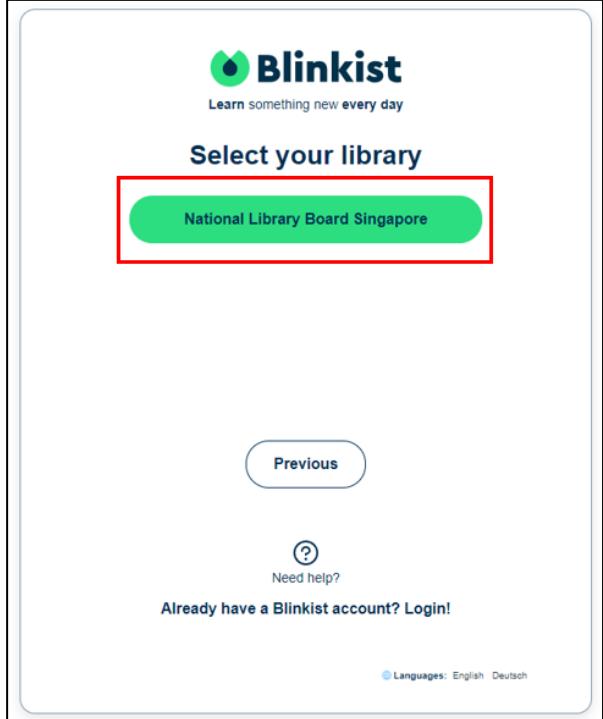
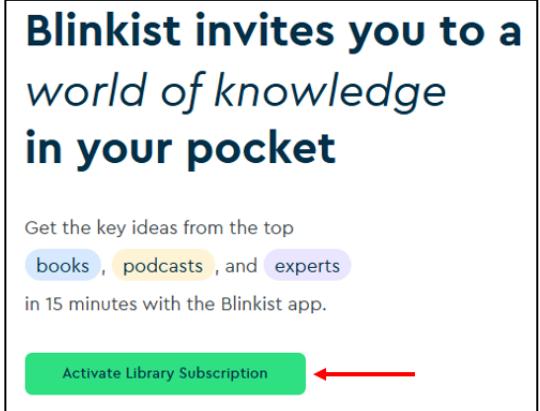
Password



CONTINUE

[Forgot your myLibrary username/Password?](#)

[Don't have a myLibrary username? Apply now!](#)

<p>Step 2 Select "National Library Board Singapore".</p> 	<p>Step 3 Select "Activate Library Subscription".</p> 
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Step 4

Key in your email address and password to create your Blinkist account.

Note: The email address does not need to be the same as the email address registered in your myLibrary username account.

Alternatively, you may also use your Google/Apple account as the login credentials for your Blinkist account.

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Sign up for Blinkist

The form consists of several input fields and buttons. At the top are two text input fields: 'Email' and 'Create password' with a 'Show' link. Below these are two large green buttons: 'Create account' and 'Sign up with SSO'. A horizontal line with the word 'or' is positioned between the account creation buttons. Below this line are three social sign-up buttons: 'Sign up with Facebook', 'Sign up with Google' (which is highlighted with a red box), and 'Continue with Apple'. A large green button 'Sign up with SSO' is located at the bottom. Red arrows point from the text instructions to the corresponding input fields and social buttons.

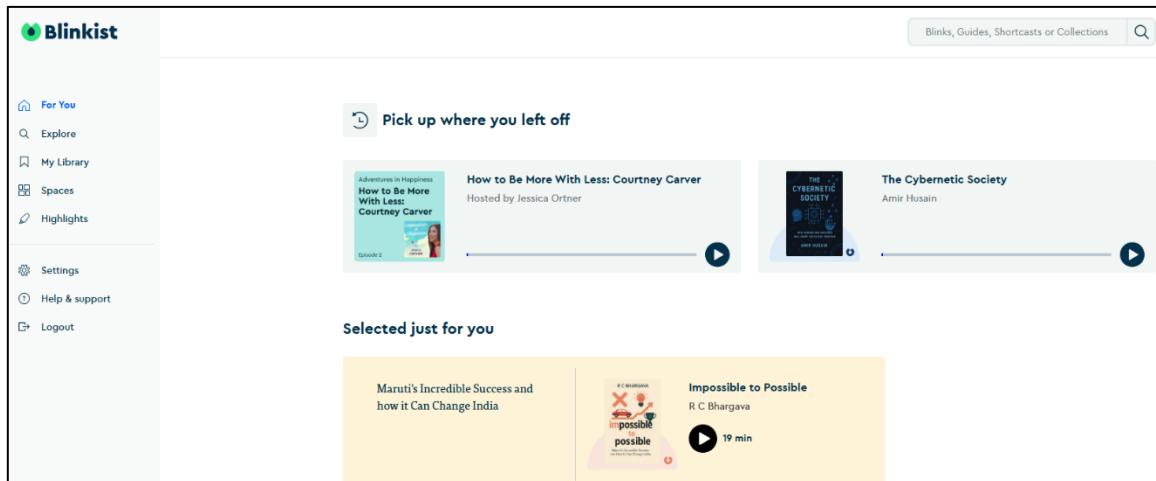
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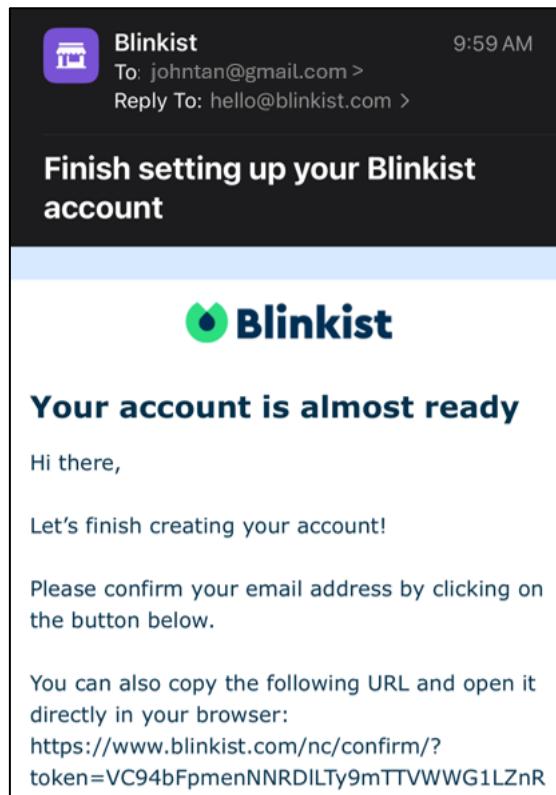
Step 5

Thereafter, you would be able to access Blinkist.



Step 6

To verify your email, check your mailbox of the email associated with the Blinkist account.



B. How to access Blinkist from Desktop for repeat users

What do you need?



Desktop Device

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Desktop web browser



User Account

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***Note:**

- Library members who are accessing Blinkist for the first time have to create a Blinkist account to access the content. Refer to Section A of this document for the step-by-step guide to set up the Blinkist account.
- A Blinkist account enables users to access Blinkist on the mobile app and its features such as downloading content for offline use, and personalisation e.g. highlighting content etc.

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(b)

Sign in

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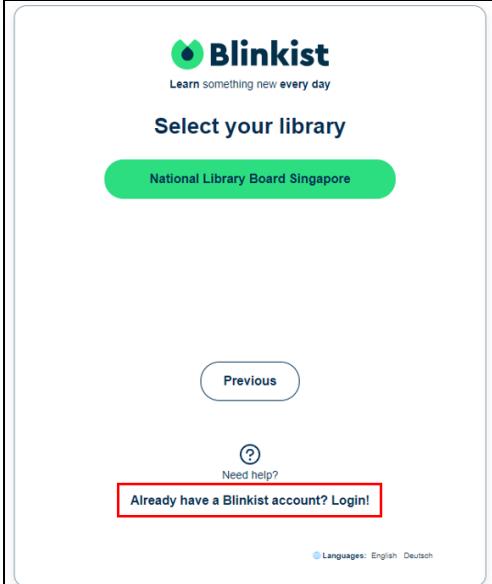
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[What is myLibrary username?](#)

myLibrary username

Password 

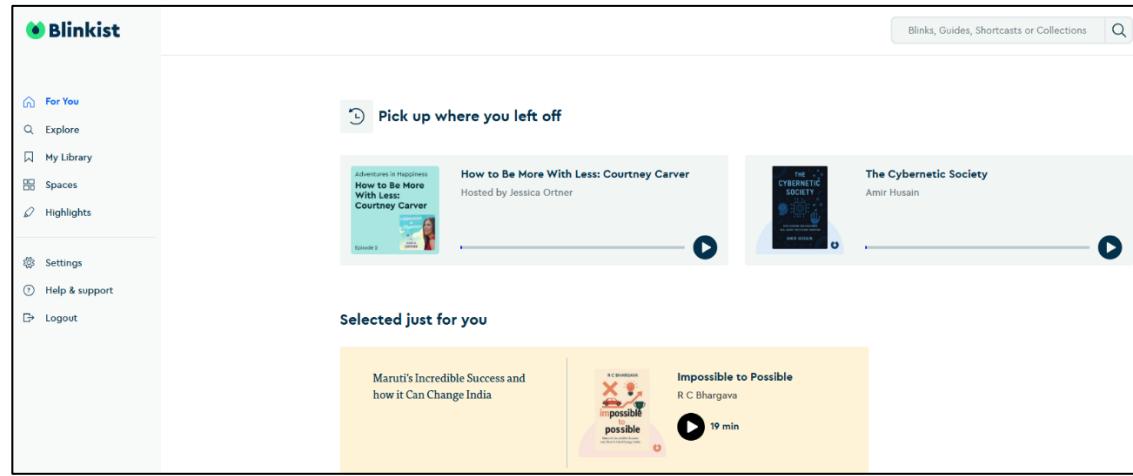
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[Forgot your myLibrary username/Password?](#)
[Don't have a myLibrary username? Apply now!](#)

<p>Step 2 Select "Already have a Blinkist account? Login!"</p>	<p>Step 3 Key in your Blinkist account's email address and password.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alternatively, you may also use your Google/Apple account to login to Blinkist platform. Refer to Step 4 from <u>Section A</u> above.
 <p>Already have a Blinkist account? Login!</p>	<h2>Log in to Blinkist</h2> <p>Email</p> <p>Password</p> <p>Log in with email</p> <p>OR</p> <p> Log in  Log in</p> <p> Continue with Apple</p> <p>Log in with SSO</p> <p>You don't have an account? Forgot your password?</p>

Step 4

Thereafter, you would be able to access Blinkist.



C. Reset Blinkist account password

Step 1

If you have forgotten your Blinkist account password or would like to reset the password, navigate to the NLB eResources website and select "Blinkist".

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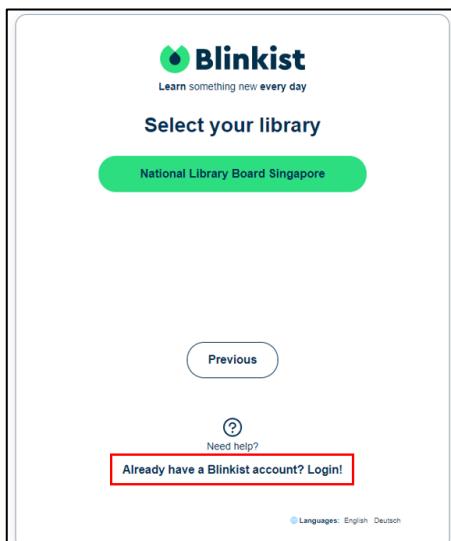
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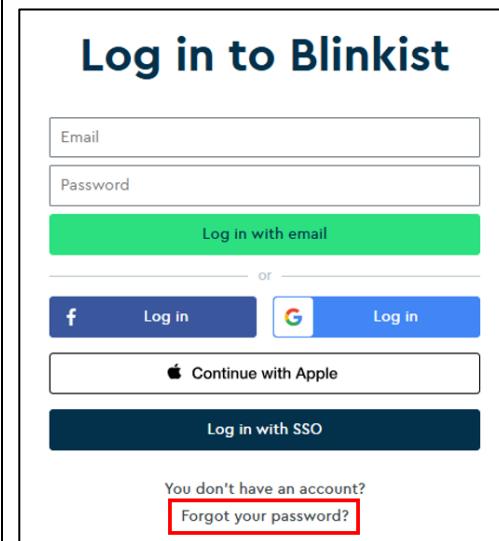
Step 2

Select "Already have a Blinkist account? Login!"



Step 3

Select "Forgot your password?"



Step 4

Key in the email address that was used to create your Blinkist account and follow the steps to reset your password.

Note: If you have forgotten the email address that was used to create your Blinkist account, please contact support at support@help.libraryideas.com for assistance.

Step 5

After clicking the "Reset password" button, the following message will pop-up on the screen.

Forgot your password?

No problem—it happens to everyone!

Email

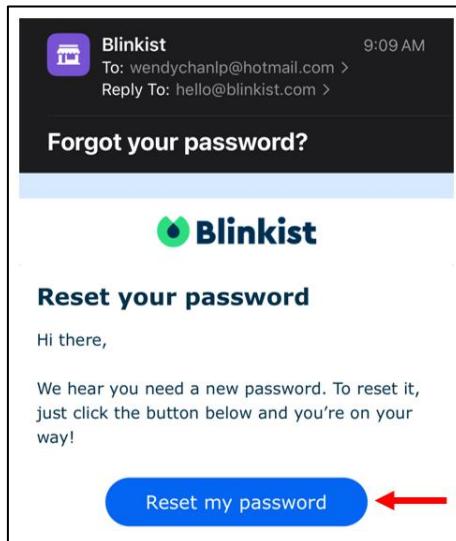
Enter your email

Reset password

Almost done! If you've got a Blinkist account, we've sent an email to the address connected to it. Please also check your spam folder to be sure you don't miss it.

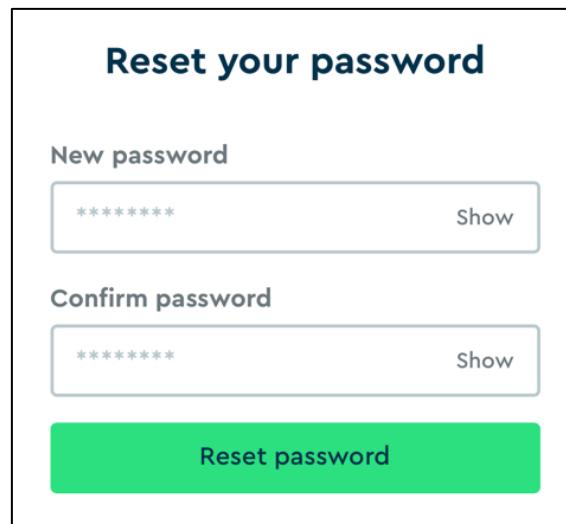
Step 6

Check your email account associated with the Blinkist account and reset your password. Click "Reset Password" in the email.



Step 7

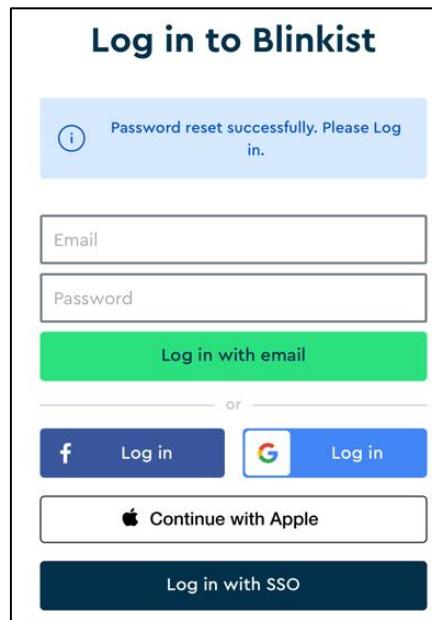
You will be redirected to Blinkist webpage to enter your new password.



A screenshot of a 'Reset your password' form. The title 'Reset your password' is at the top. Below it are two input fields: 'New password' and 'Confirm password', both with masked text and 'Show' buttons. At the bottom is a large green 'Reset password' button.

Step 8

- After clicking "Reset Password", you will be redirected to login to your Blinkist account using your new password.
- You will then be able to access Blinkist after logging in.



A screenshot of a 'Log in to Blinkist' form. It features a message 'Password reset successfully. Please Log in.' with an info icon. Below are input fields for 'Email' and 'Password', and a green 'Log in with email' button. A horizontal line with 'or' is followed by social login buttons for Facebook ('Log in'), Google ('Log in'), and Apple ('Continue with Apple'). At the bottom is a dark blue 'Log in with SSO' button.

D. Change email address associated with Blinkist account

Step 1

If you would like to change the email address associated with your Blinkist account, follow the steps in **Section B** above to login to your Blinkist account.

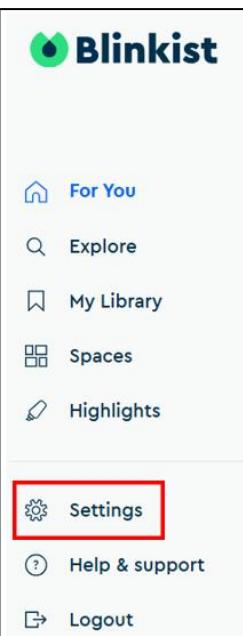
Step 2

Select "Setting" on the left panel of the screen.

Step 3

In the "Settings" page, under "Account", scroll down to "Login variants".

Select "Change email address".



Login variants

Email: johntan@gmail.com
[Change email address](#)

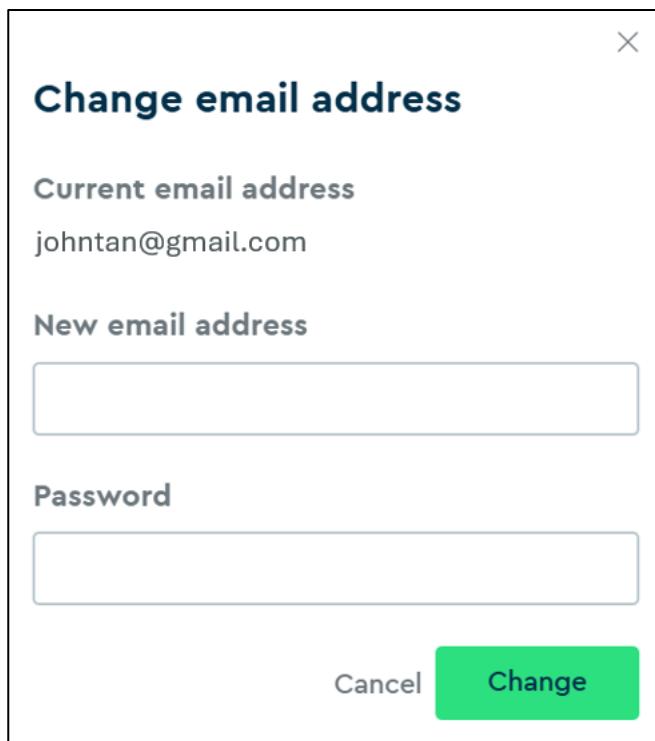
Password: *****
[Change password](#)

Step 4

Key in your new email address and your Blinkist account password to replace the current email address associated with your Blinkist account.

Complete the email verification process using the code sent to your new email address.

Note: The new email address must not be registered with another Blinkist account.



The image shows a modal dialog box titled "Change email address". It contains three input fields: "Current email address" with the value "johntan@gmail.com", "New email address" (empty), and "Password" (empty). At the bottom are "Cancel" and "Change" buttons, with "Change" being green.

Change email address	
Current email address	johntan@gmail.com
New email address	<input type="text"/>
Password	<input type="password"/>
Cancel	Change