

Kindle Fire Apps 101*



NOTE: Applications (“Apps”) can be downloaded to the device itself, or you can download them to the **Amazon Cloud Drive** using your Amazon account. You can store up to 5GB for free on the Cloud. Anything saved to the Cloud can be transferred to other devices or re-downloaded on to your Kindle Fire. This can be helpful if you *purchase* apps and have more than one device.

Searching the Internet

Tap the **Silk** icon to access the internet.



Tap the address bar at the top. You can type either a specific web address (i.e., www.whitehallpubliclibrary.org) or simply keyword (i.e., 2018 Olympics) what you would like to search for on the internet.

Using the pinch gesture will zoom in and out of a webpage.



Sending Emails

The **Email** app can be used to send and receive emails from your email address.



Taking Photos

Depending on the version of your Kindle Fire....

Some Kindle Fires do not have a camera.

Some Kindle Fires have only a forward-facing (selfie-style) camera.

Some Kindle Fires have both a forward-facing and a backward-facing camera.



Tap the **Camera** icon to take pictures and videos.

The **flip camera** icon will switch between the front and rear-facing cameras.

Use pinch gesture to zoom in and out when taking a photo (see graphic above).

Sharing Photos

Find your Photos and screenshots in the Photos app on the home screen:



To share a photo with someone else or to send it to your email, **select the photo** you wish to share. Then tap the **share** button. You will have the option to send the picture either by email or a social media account.

*Note – this is only a selection of the helpful applications that comes pre-installed on the Kindle Fire.

Need further assistance? Call the library 412-882-6622, or send email to simonl@einetwork.net