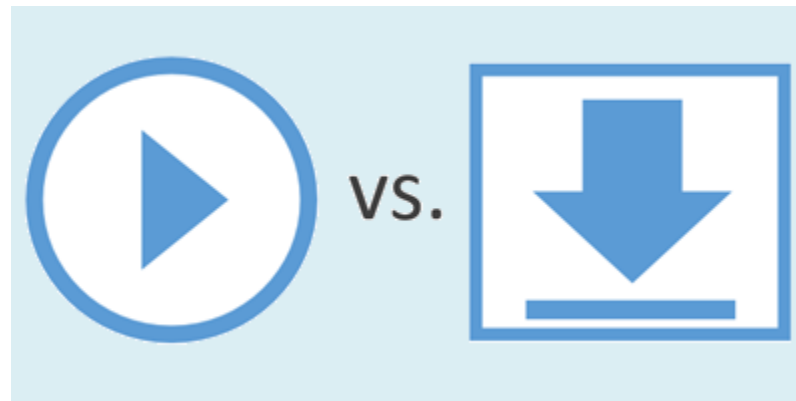




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**Download vs. Streaming:
What do your resources do?**



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Alberta Research Portal	Yes	No		Research No app available.
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Lynda.com	Yes	Yes	Patron exclusive	Research & Learning Lynda.com app available for iOS and Android devices, and Smart TVs.
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RBdigital Magazines	Yes	Yes	Patron exclusive	eMagazines RBdigital app available for iOS & Android.
Read Alberta eBooks	No	Yes	Patron exclusive	eBooks Bluefire, Bookari and Aldiko apps available for iOS & Android.
Transparent Languages	Yes	Yes	Patron exclusive	Language Learning Transparent Languages app available for iOS & Android.
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