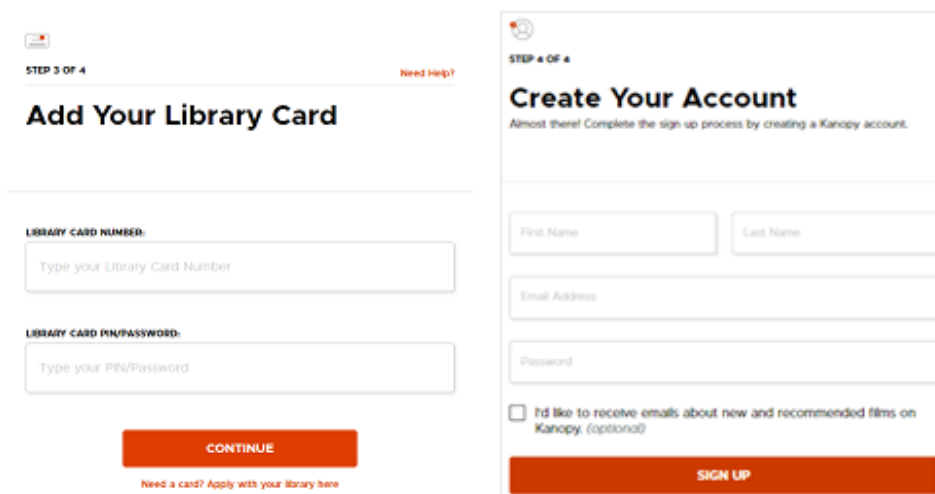# Getting Started with Kanopy

Interested in independent, international, classic, or documentary films? You're in luck.

Get out your library card and sign up for Kanopy, an on-demand video streaming service for libraries.

With Kanopy, you can stream over 30,000 films from hundreds of popular producers such as The Criterion Collection, The Great Courses, and PBS, as well as thousands of independent filmmakers - on every topic imaginable.

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Create a Kanopy account by entering your first and last name, your email address, and a password, then select "Sign up." You choose the password for your Kanopy account. This password should not be the same as your library card password.

After creating your account, you'll receive a verification email in your inbox. Click on the link in this email to verify your email address.

Start watching videos!

Are you a visual learner? Check out this tutorial, Kanopy – Streaming Cinematic Masterpieces through the Phoenix Public Library Academy.

If you run out of tickets there are also six credit-free collections you can watch. They are Favorites, Easy Watching. Episodic Series, British Cinema, World Cinema, and Diversity .

For more information, go to Kanopy's help page. There you will find information about how Kanopy tickets work, managing your Kanopy account - including resetting your password, and how to get started on your iOS, Android, Roku, or smart TV .

For more information, visit phoenixpubliclibrary.org or call 602-262-4636 (for TTY dial 7-1-1).