



Kurzweil 3000, How to Sign in with Microsoft (SSO)

www.kurzweil3000.com & Read the Web for Maricopa Community Colleges

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What is Kurzweil 3000?

Kurzweil 3000 is an assistive technology and learning literacy tool. It's recommended for students that have difficulties reading (ESL, dyslexia, etc).

It is a web-based app that can be accessed by logging into the **kurzweil3000.com** website through a web browser.

Within the website, you can upload files to the Universal Library (the "cloud"), then open those files and Kurzweil 3000 (K3000) will read them to you with specialized reading controls. Using the web app you can also annotate, take notes, brainstorm, use a built-in word processor, and dictate via speech to text, among many other things. This is all done within the website and no installation on your computer is required.

You can even use kurzweil3000.com from a mobile device, such as a smartphone or Chromebook. For example, you can upload a book to kurzweil3000.com, then access the website and open the book on your phone, and have your phone read the book aloud to you similar to listening to an audio book.

There's also a **Read the Web** browser extension that will let you read websites, including courses and tests in Canvas, Blackboard, Moodle and other Learning Management System (LMS) websites.

How do I access Kurzweil 3000?

Step 1: go to www.kurzweil3000.com

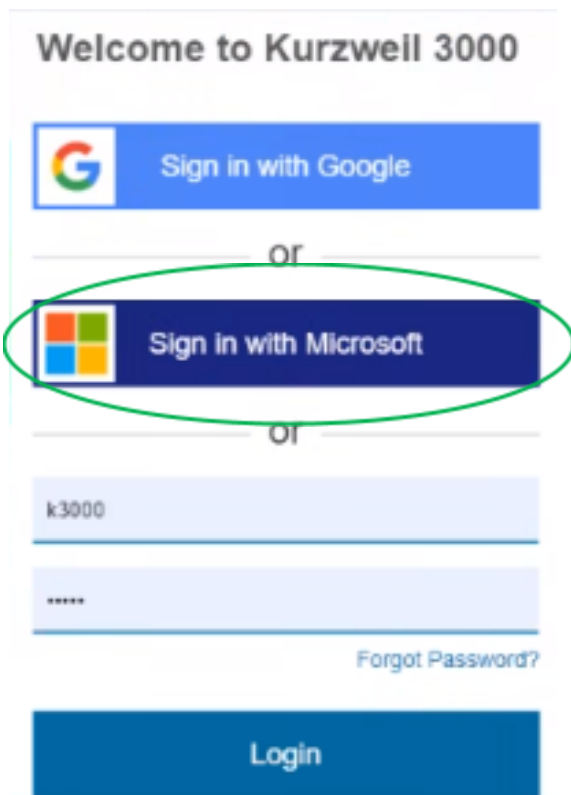
1. Open your web browser (e.g. Chrome, Edge, or Firefox)
2. In the address bar go to www.kurzweil3000.com

Notes:

- For the best experience, it's recommended to use **Chrome** or **Edge**, although other browsers are supported.
- If you're using Safari on a Mac OS computer, please see these instructions enable sound in kurzweil3000.com: <https://support.kurzweilededu.com/index.php?pg=kb.page&id=1870>

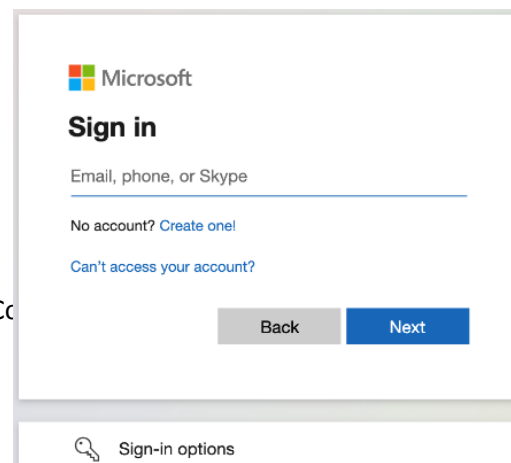
Step 2: click on the Sign in with Microsoft button

On the kurzweil3000.com website, click the **Sign in with Microsoft** button. Do **not** sign in with the other methods.



Step 3: Enter in your school credentials and complete the Microsoft authentication chute

You may see either of the two windows.



1. Use your MEID@maricopa.edu email address to log in, along with your school password.
2. If you do not see your MEID email address as option, click **Use another account**. If you're a faculty member and have a firstname.lastlast@domain.maricopa.edu or another email address, do not use that. An example of a MEID email address is in the format of ABC1234567@maricopa.edu.
3. The Microsoft authentication chute may request permission. Click **Yes** to all permissions per the below.



dhrustar@hotmail.com



Let this app access your info?

Cambium Learning, Inc.

Kurzweil 3000 needs your permission to:



Maintain access to data you have given Kurzweil 3000 access to

Allows Kurzweil 3000 to see and update the data you gave it access to, even when you are not currently using the app. This does not give Kurzweil 3000 any additional permissions.



Read your profile

Kurzweil 3000 will be able to read your profile.

Accepting these permissions means that you allow this app to use your data as specified in their [terms of service](#) and [privacy statement](#). You can change these permissions at <https://microsoft.com/consent>. [Show details](#)

No

Yes

4. You may receive a **Duo** request. Check your phone. If you received a Duo request, you will not be able to log in until you've authorized it.
5. If you complete the chute but receive an error similar to the below pictured, check to make sure you're using your correct MEID@maricopa.edu username/password and have authorized any Duo requests sent to your phone. If you still have problems, **contact your school/site manager**.

Welcome to Kurzweil 3000

Your email address needs to be a school email address that has been authorized for access to Kurzweil 3000 via Microsoft. Please contact your teacher or school administrator for help getting this configured.

6. If you signed in successfully, it will automatically log you into kurzweil3000.com with an account tied to your school. You will see a kurzweil3000.com landing page similar to the below. For additional guidance on how to use kurzweil3000.com, skip to the **Step 7: Getting Started** section.

Kurzweil 3000 Sean Baskerville (sbaskerville1) [Log Out](#)

Universal Library My Account ▾ Help Dark Mode

Universal Library

Google Drive OneDrive Bookshare Computer Upload

[Log Out of Drive](#) [Log Out of OneDrive](#) [Log Out of Bookshare](#)

/ Library Home / Sean Baskerville (sbaskerville1) / private

Filter folders by name Write Copy Move Delete Rename

- Sean Baskerville (sbaskerville1)
 - private
 - public
 - recently_opened_local_files
- MicrosoftAuth TestAccount (Microsoft)
- classic_literature
- help_files
- nonfiction_bookbag
- samples
- templates

This folder contains no files.

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Step 4, only applies to old K3000 users: Are you missing files from your old account?

If you had an old Kurzweil 3000 account, prior to Microsoft SSO, there's a small chance that you may be missing files in your Universal Library when you log in.

If you believe you're missing files, please email your **IT administrator Jason Pociask** at jason.pociask@domail.maricopa.edu requesting to restore your missing files. If those old files were not deleted by you or another person, Jason should be able to restore those files to your new SSO account.

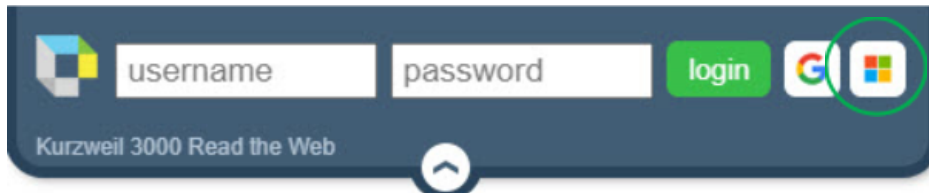
In the email, include your old username and the approximate name of the files or content you're missing from your Universal Library.

Step 5, only applies to faculty: Do you want upgraded access to Kurzweil 3000?

The first time you sign in with Microsoft per the above method, a K3000 account will automatically be provisioned to you and tied to your school account.

Due to security issues, this account will initially be created with student-level access. If you need teacher-level access to kurzweil3000.com to administrate students, distribute files to others, run reports, etc. please **contact your school/site manager**.

Step 6, optional: Read the Web, also use Sign in with Microsoft button



To log into Read the Web, you will need to use the **Sign in with Microsoft** button circled in green above. This will take you through a Microsoft chute similar to what was outlined in **Step 3** above.

Read the Web is a web browser extension that you can install into Chrome, Firefox or Edge.

It is a great tool that will help struggling readers read websites with specialized reading controls and literacy tools. This includes Learning Management System (LMS) websites, such as Blackboard, Canvas, Moodle, etc.

So if a student needs help reading his/her course or test in any of these websites, he/she can use Read the Web as a reading assistant.

To use Read the Web, you must first install it into your web browser. You can use the below links:

Chrome: <https://chrome.google.com/webstore/detail/read-the-web-30/hdgegmlancchhhkkddoiedklgocffm>

Firefox: https://www.kurzweiledu.com/news-resources/software-updates/misc-updates_v20.html

Edge: <https://microsoftedge.microsoft.com/addons/detail/read-the-web/kofgpmehdapadiondblkpkejimjogdo>

Here's a video that details how to install and use Read the

Web: <https://support.kurzweiledu.com/videos/Read%20the%20Web%202021/Read%20the%20Web%202021.html>

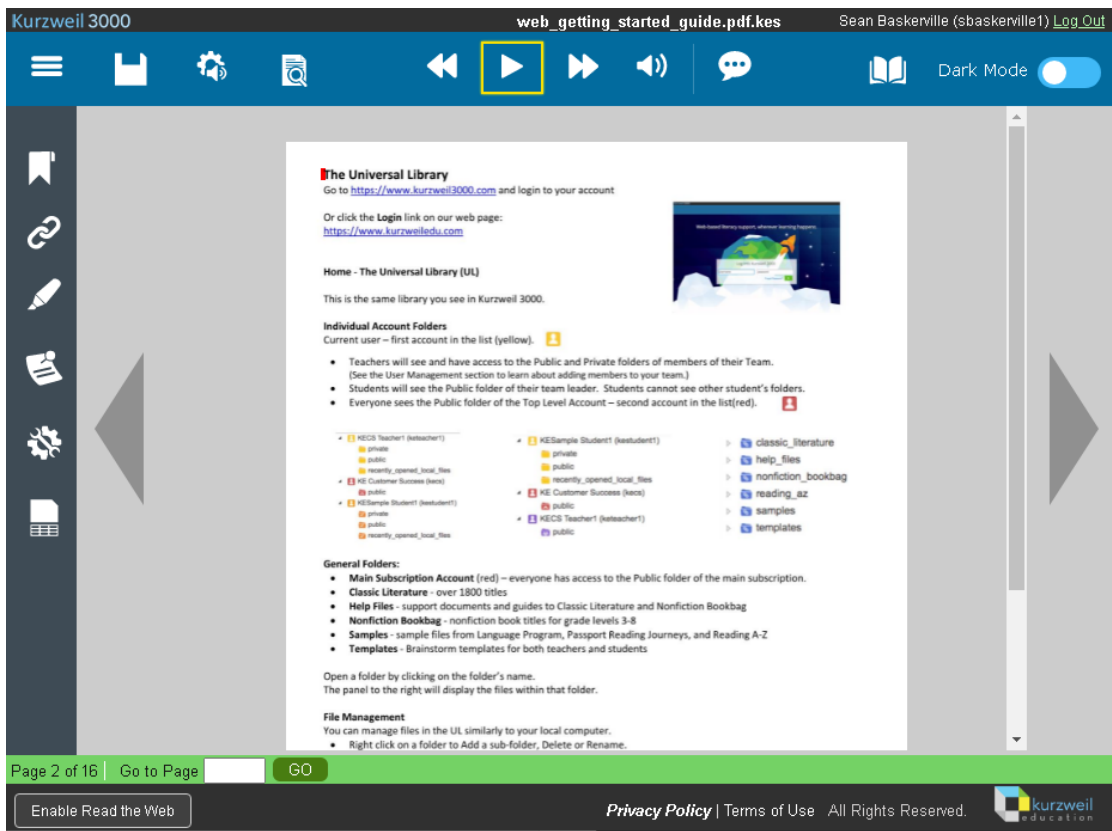
Step 7: Getting Started

Now that you've logged into kurzweil3000.com and have an account, you can upload files to the website. Once uploaded, you can click on the files in your Universal Library to open them in the Kurzweil 3000 web app for reading, annotation, etc.

1. Refer to the picture below and items circled in green on where to click.
2. Click on your **Universal Library**.
3. Expand your user name folder, and then click into your **private** folder.
4. You'll notice that the orange **Upload** button to the right is no longer grayed out. Click Upload to upload a file.
5. Let the file finish uploading (you'll see a percentage % indicator at the top left). Once it's uploaded, you'll see it in your Universal Library to click on.

6. Click on the file (e.g. in the picture below, the file is named **web_getting_started_guide.pdf.kes**) to open it in our web app.

The screenshot displays the Kurzweil 3000 Universal Library interface. At the top, the user is logged in as Sean Baskerville (sbaskerville1). The main navigation bar includes 'Universal Library', 'My Account', 'Help', and 'Dark Mode'. Below this, there are buttons for 'Google Drive', 'OneDrive', 'Bookshare', 'Computer', and 'Upload'. The 'Upload' button is highlighted with a green circle. The breadcrumb path is '/ Library Home / Sean Baskerville (sbaskerville1) / private'. The left sidebar shows a list of folders, with 'Sean Baskerville (sbaskerville1)' and its sub-folder 'private' highlighted with green circles. The main content area shows a list of files, with 'web_getting_started_guide.pdf.kes' selected and highlighted in blue. At the bottom, there is a footer with 'Enable Read the Web', 'Privacy Policy | Terms of Use | All Rights Reserved.', and the Kurzweil Education logo.



Step 8: Downloadable Guides and Videos

Below you'll find guides and videos for Kurzweil 3000 and its different components.

You can download the PDFs and upload them to kurzweil3000.com as described above as a test, and for help reading.

[Kurzweil 3000 for Web Browsers \(kurzweil3000.com\)](https://www.kurzweil3000.com)

[Read the Web](#)

[Kurzweil Academy \(videos\)](#)

[Kurzweil YouTube](#)

[Kurzweil 3000 for Windows](#) (optional installed Windows desktop application)

[Kurzweil 3000 for Macintosh](#) (optional installed Windows desktop application)