

An introduction to ebooks

ebook	A digital version of a print book.
interactivity	The addition of simple exercise types (drag and drop, multiple-choice, etc) with feedback on learner's input.
ereader	A black and white device with an e-ink screen designed for reading text only.
tablet	A mobile touchscreen computer designed to browse the Internet, play games, listen to music, watch videos, etc.
IWB	Interactive Whiteboard – a digital whiteboard that projects a computer screen and can be controlled with a pen or finger.
app	A computer program designed to run on a smartphone or tablet.
HTML	'HyperText Markup Language' – the coding language used to create web pages.
Mobi	A non-interactive text-based ebook file format owned by Amazon.
ePub	A non-proprietary file format for ebooks.
Kindle	Amazon's Kindle is the world's most popular ereader. The Kindle Fire is Amazon's tablet. Kindle format is Amazon's new interactive file format.
iBook	Apple's proprietary interactive ebook format.