



Cataloging and processing instructions for the digital talking book player

As part of the partnership between GLASS and PINES, your library will receive a digital talking book player to have on hand in case an enrolled GLASS patron needs to quickly replace a broken player. GLASS patrons receive free use of these specialized players and are not charged replacement fees or fines for them. While you will add the item to your library's holdings, it will not be locally processed and you will use the barcode on the player in the item record. The player is still the property of the US government. For more information on the partnership, see <http://pines.georgialibraries.org/glass>.

Bibliographic Record:

The first library to catalog the player will add the OCLC record #754955927 for model DA-1 (advanced model) to the PINES catalog. Once the record is in the PINES database, the title control number will be ocn754955927.

Adding a volume and copy/item record:

While PINES does not normally require specific call numbers and other local processing, the digital player is different.

When adding the call number and item information, use the following attributes:

- **Call number:** Talking book player
- **Barcode:** Use the barcode provided on the player. Your scanners may not be coded to properly read the serial barcode on the player so please type in the number. The barcode should be in the form 0106356 (DA1 is the model number).
- **Age-based hold protection:** unset
- **Circulate:** yes
- **Hold:** no
- **OPAC visible:** no
- **Circ modifier:** talking book (so that no fines are charged the patron)
- **Circ as type:** unset
- **Price:** 0.00
- There are no statcats.

Processing:

Do not place any local property stamps or labels on the player or the box. You may indicate on the exterior of the box that it contains the Digital Talking Book Player.

Replacement:

When an enrolled GLASS patron comes in for a replacement, circ staff will check this item out to the patron. Regular reports are sent to GLASS so that they can remove the item from the patron record in PINES and indicate in GLASS documentation that the patron has the new machine. They will then send your library a new machine. Once you receive the new player, merely replace the barcode in the item record. If it is still attached to the patron record, before you replace the barcode, please contact GLASS at: 1-800-248-6701 | 404-657-1452 Fax: 404-657-1459.