

## Popular File Formats

File Format	Explanation of File Format
.txt	A text version, typically without much formatting.
.rtf	A text version, with some formatting.
.doc	A Microsoft Word document (MS Word 97-2004)
.docx	A Microsoft Word document (MS Word 2007)
.pdf	Portable Document Format. Uses Adobe Reader to Open. Can also be read by other PDF Readers.
.kes or KESI	Kurzweil 3000 proprietary format.
.wma	Windows Media Audio. Can be played with Windows Media Player.
.mp3	A compressed audio format. Can be played on the computer, burned to CD or played on a portable digital audio device.
.M4a or .M4b	Apple compressed audio format. Can be played with iTunes and Apple Products.
DAISY	A Navigable Text File marked up with additional information. Can be played with DAISY Player Hardware or Software.
NIMAS	A Navigable Text File marked up with additional information (United States Only). Can be played with DAISY Player Hardware or Software. Can be rendered to other formats as well.
.brf	Braille Format.