bookvault

Print on demand and sell direct with Payhip

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We get it! As an author it's important to make as much money as possible selling your book as it enables you to spend time doing what you love, writing more!

The publishing scene has undergone a revolution, gone are the days of needing a big publishing house to get your book out there and available, printing 1000's of copies waiting for orders in a warehouse.

With print on demand and other tools, you're able to do just that, get your book available worldwide and earn more for every sale when you sell direct. Own your customer and take your author career into your own hands!

How does Bookvault work?

Printing your book on demand is simple, you can simply store your book in our digital warehouse, providing us the files and specification. Once everything's been approved, your book is ready to be printed and dispatched in some cases as little as 24 hours.

We believe you should be in control of your content and how it's produced, so with Bookvaults state of the art production facility, you can choose from 7 different bindings, 5 interior stocks and milions of custom size combinations.

That means no matter what your book is, whether it be a landscape full colour Children's book, a creamy mono novel or even a special edition hardback, and we will only print that, once you have sold it!

Why sell direct with Bookvault?

Create and sell special editions of your book, from wiro-bound to a hardback with foil blocking, available to ship worldwide

Easy to use system with easy installations for apps and plugins

Deal with your customers directly, meaning you can retarget customers through email lists, and better understand their purchasing habits, retain more profits by eliminating the large cut taken by retailers

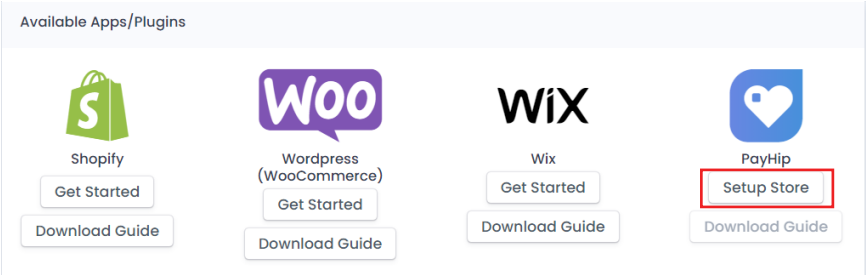
What is Payhip?

Payhip is an all-in-one e-commerce solution that strives to offer simplicity and a user-friendly interface that allows embedding onto pre-existing sites. Payhip has been a fan favourite amongst indie authors for a while now due to its range of benefits and ease of use.

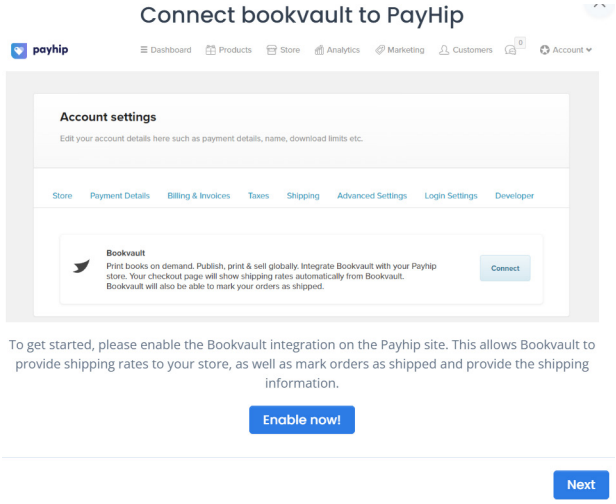
Payhip will automate your sales and production hand in hand with Bookvault, taking care of prodcution.

Payhip will give you all the necessary tools to maximise your sales, with reporting insights that will help enhance your conversions and the ability to offer discounts and promotions to push sales. Payhip offers free analytics in-app that track your sales data, highlighting your conversion rate and geographical visits to your site, helping you optimise your sales approach.

1. Once signed in to the Bookvault portal, navigate to ‘Apps’ on the left tab, once you are on this screen, select ‘setup store’ beneath the Payhip option.

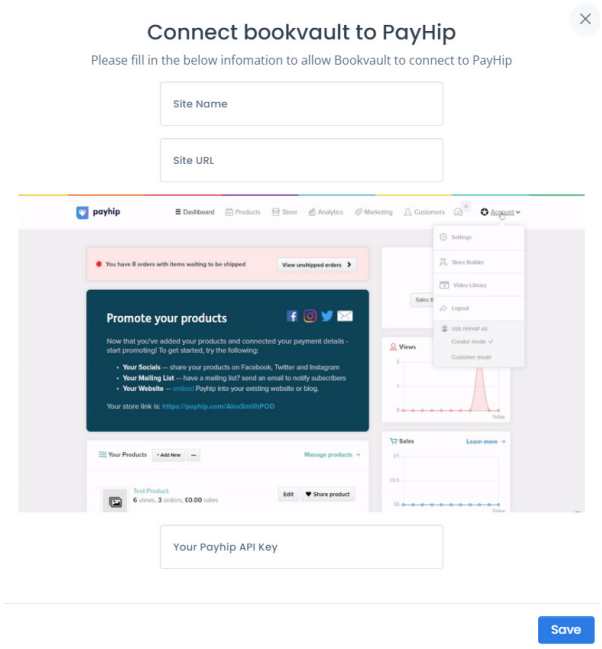


2. This will then open up a dialogue requesting you grant access to the Bookvault app to your store. Simply click the button and press connect.

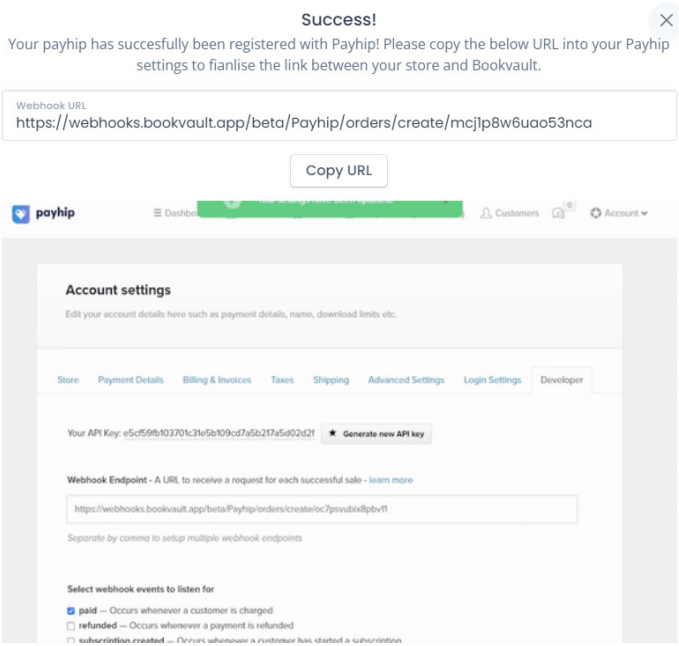


3. Once this has been allowed, you can then enter your store details, enter the following details:
Site Name: Your way of identifying your store on our platform.
Site URL: The URL of your store.
API Key: This can be found here: https://payhip.com/settings/developer

Once this has been added, click save.

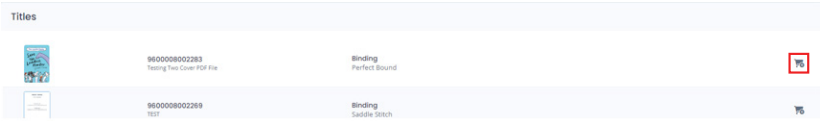


4. Once it has been added, it will then present you with your webhook address. Click the copy button, and add it to the following page under the webhook endpoint: https://payhip.com/settings/developer

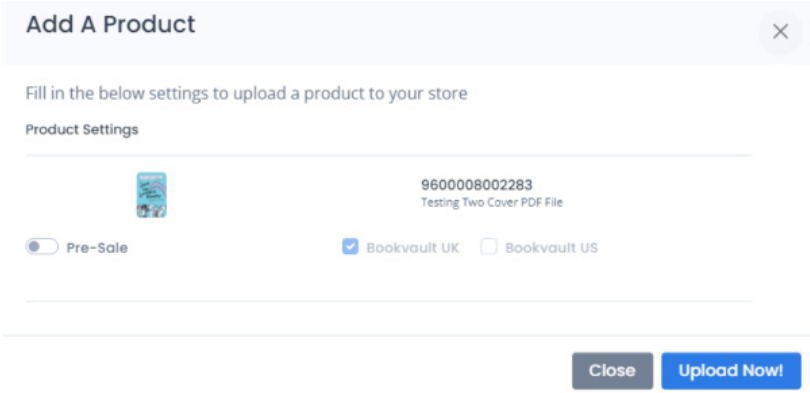


If you already have a URL in this box, add a comma to the end and then paste the Bookvault URL in there after it. Also make sure the 'Paid' webhook is checked. Then click save at the bottom of the page.

5. To select products you wish to sell, again on the Bookvault apps page, select your store from the dropdown list. Find the products you wish to sell and press the button on the far right (shopping cart with a plus)

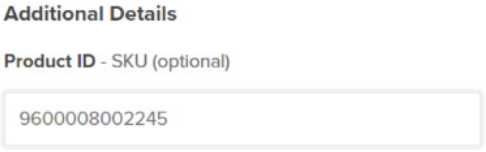
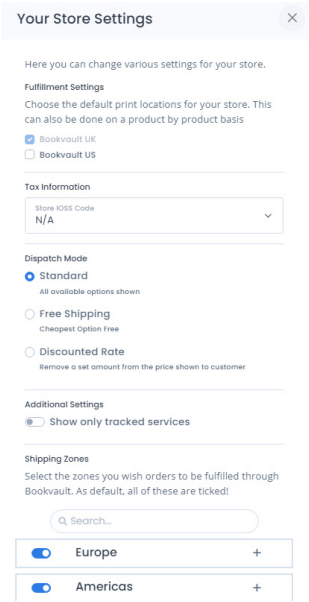


6. This will then present you with a box, where you choose where you wish for it to be printed, and define if it's a pre-sale and when it will be released.



7. Once you're happy, click the Upload Now button, and once added, you'll be presented with the SKU to paste into PayHip.

8. Copy this using the button and navigate to the product page you have on PayHip for this product. In the SKU field, paste the ISBN in and the product will be available for sale through Bookvault.



9. If you wish to change any settings for product availability or shipping costs, this can again be done on the Bookvault app page, under the App Settings.