Set up your Extras Preferences for Axis 360

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Alexandria is closely integrated with Baker & Taylor's ebook system Axis 360. Let's look at setting up your Extras Preferences for Axis 360.
Note: The following Tip applies to both version 6 and 7 of Alexandria.

> Unknown macro: 'multiexcerpt-include-macro'

Alexandria Extras Preferences 🔍 contain the settings for Alexandria's various 3rd-party partners.

To enable Axis 360 integration*:

1. From **Tools**, open **Preferences**.
2. Under the **Management** category, click on **Extras**.
3. Select **Axis 360** from the list on the left.
4. Check the box to **Enable Axis 360**.
5. Fill in the Vendor URL (e.g. axis360.site.baker-taylor.com) for easy access in Circulation.
6. Enter your **Axis Code**.
7. **Save** the preference.

*Note Axis 360 is a paid add-on. Contact our Sales Team to learn more.

What is this 'Axis Code'?

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