## Allow Firefox to play Koha sounds:

The new version of Firefox has a setting to keep those websites that automatically play sounds (usually ads) from annoying you. Unfortunately that also blocks the Koha sounds. To unblock the Koha sounds:

- 1. Click on the "hamburger" icon at the top right of the Firefox window.
- 2. Choose **Options** from the drop down menu. This will open a new tab.
- 3. Select **Privacy & Security** from the menu on the left side.
- 4. Scroll down until you find the Permissions area.
- 5. Decide which option you want:
  - a. Unblock all websites which is quicker but allows any site to play noises. See step 6.
  - b. Do a couple of additional steps and unblock just for the Koha/Bibliovation related sites and leave the other sites blocked. See step 7.

## 6. Unblock sounds for all websites:

a. In the Permissions area, uncheck the option **Block websites from automatically playing sound**.

🔆 General	Permissions	
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	☑ Block websites from automatically playing sound	Exceptions
	✓ <u>B</u> lock pop-up windows	Exceptions
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b. Close the Options tab and reload your Firefox page.

## 7. Unblock sounds just for Koha and Bibliovation websites:

a. In the Permissions area, find the option Block websites from automatically playing sound and click on the **Exceptions** button after it.

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- b. Copy each of the addresses below into the Address of the website box and click Allow.
  (Only copy the part after "address: "as you'll need to do each address separately.)
  - i. Koha address: https://scls-staff.kohalibrary.com
  - ii. Koha Sandbox address: https://scls-staff.sandbox.kohalibrary.com/
  - iii. Bibliovation Sandbox address: https://lakscls-sandbox.bibliovation.com/

Exceptions - Autoplay					
You can specify which websites are always or never allowed to autoplay media with sound. Type the address of the site you want to manage and then click Block or Allow. Address of website					
https://scls-staff.sandbox.kohalibrary.com/					
	<u>B</u> lock	Allow			
Website	Status	*			
https://scls-staff.kohalibrary.com	Allow				
	<u>C</u> ancel	Save Changes			

- c. When all addresses have been entered, click on **Save changes**. This will close the Exceptions box.
- d. Close the Options tab and reload your Firefox page.