

TIMELINE

Digital Library Enhancements (2016–17)

Foundational Enhancements

- Improved Search Speed
- Introduction to User Goal-Setting and Tracking
- New Resource Type: Playlists

Improved Collaboration Features

- Personal Favorites Collections
- Goal-Setting and Tracking
- State Forums
- User Notifications

November 2016

December 2016

January 2017

May 2017

July 2017

Improved Access

- User Self-Registration Feature Launched

Management Updates

- User Account Management
- Improved Navigation
- Simplified and Personalized Help

Tagging and Search

- New Search Interface
- Assessment Target Tagging

Management Updates Summary

Release Date: May 13, 2017

User Account Management

- **Simplified Account Setup:** Popular fields in the login wizard are pre-selected, and unnecessary fields are no longer required.
- **Badging:** Icons associated with user types will assist with community-building and communication.



Educators utilize resources in the Digital Library, and rate their effectiveness.



State Network Educators (SNEs) contribute and review resources, and act as ambassadors for the Digital Library.



State Leadership Team (SLT) Members are leaders who post resources, and inform the design of the Digital Library.

Improved Navigation

- **Hyperlinked Tags:** On resource pages, all tags are now hyperlinked, allowing users to quickly find resources with the same tag at any time.
- **Improved “Related Resources” Tab:** On resource pages, the “Related Resources” tab now displays more resources that have the same subject and grade-level focus.

Simplified and Personalized Help

- **Improved Help Topics:** Users will now see help topics that are tailored to their user type.