

DIGITAL Texas Navigation Guide **GRADES K-2**

Designed for the 2024 Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) and based on the 5E instructional model, STEMscopes Texas transforms and reenergizes science classrooms through hands-on, research-based strategies and literacy-integrated experiences. Our K-2 Scopes and resources are designed to engage and motivate young learners, set the groundwork for optimal growth and proficiency in future grades, and foster a lifelong passion for science.



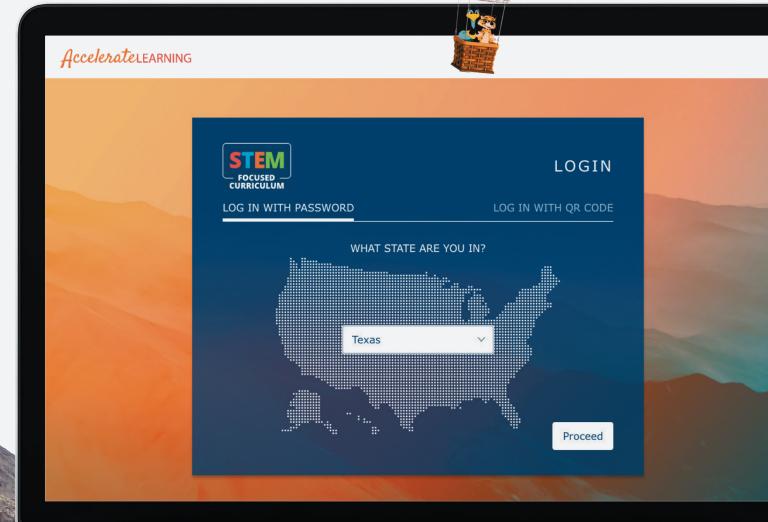
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Follow the prompts to access the digital platform. Go to info.acceleratelearning.com/texas-adoption for your district's login credentials.





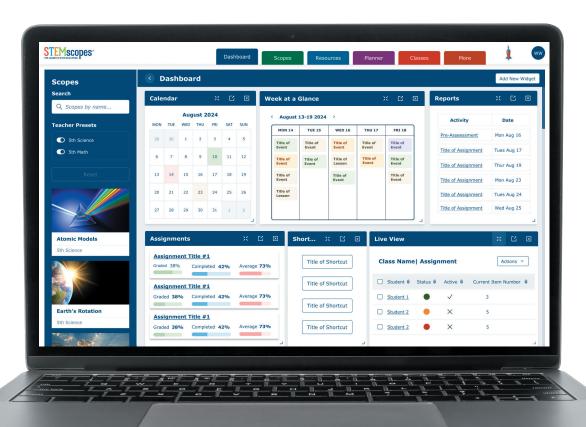


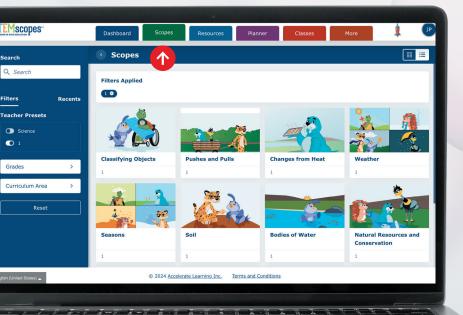


Dashboard Navigation

Welcome to your user dashboard!

Easily access all STEMscopes Science Texas content by using the tabs at the top of the screen. **Start with the Scopes Tab!**



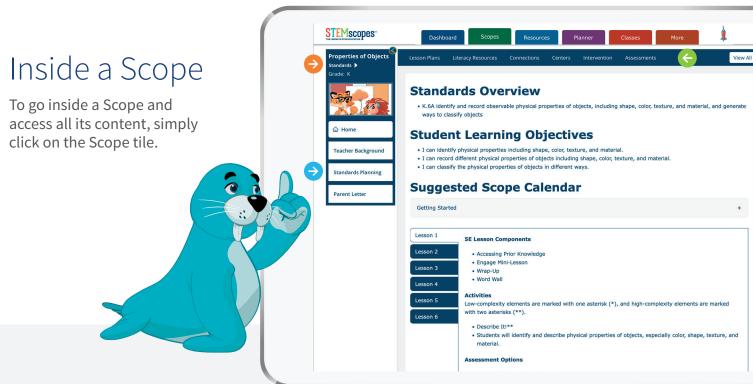


Scopes

A Scope is a collection of lessons that are designed to present content through different learning experiences.

Use the filters in the column on the left to:

- Filter Scopes by grade
- Access Scopes that you recently viewed



Scope Overview

The Scope Overview (featured above right) provides educators with needed lesson essentials. Here, you can easily access a Standards Overview, Student Learning Objectives, Suggested Scope Calendar, and spiraling opportunities with other Scopes.

Scope Resources

Teachers can start by reading the Teacher Background to review and understand the level of science content knowledge needed for the Scope. It also prepares teachers to use the appropriate academic vocabulary when teaching a particular science concept. The Standards Planning section identifies the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills for science and the RTCs and SEPs addressed in the Scope.

Navigation Bar

Utilize the blue bar at the top of the Scopes Overview page to easily navigate to activities and resources inside the Scope.

- Lesson Plans View a list of the lessons inside the Scope, as well as detailed plans for each lesson, including facilitation points, Word Wall activities with Wallace the Wordy Walrus, and differentiation support strategies.
- Literacy Resources Access resources that can be used in literacy blocks, guided reading blocks, or at any other time designated for reading during the day. Also easily access Vocabulary resources in one spot for planning and preparation.
- Connections Engineering Connection and Math Connection provide multiple opportunities for students to create meaningful experiences with the new science content.

- Centers Activities centered in Literacy, Math,
 Writing, Science, Technology, and Science Art provide
 engaging, collaborative ways for students to practice
 and apply their learning. Perfect for centers or
 workstations!
- Intervention Housing unique opportunities to support all learners, Intervention supplies materials designed to support small-group instruction for students needing additional practice with science content and concepts.
- Assessments Evaluate student progress and mastery through different assessment types using Claim-Evidence-Reasoning and writing prompts.
- View All Change your view preference with one click!

Resources

To access teacher resources, click on the blue Resources tab at the top of the page.

Resources include:

- **Texas Resources** Educators can access resources on Standards Alignment, home-school connections with a Parent Letter, Research, and Navigation Videos in this tab.
- STEMscopes Framework Teachers can learn more about the 5E+IA Instructional Model that empowers both educators and students through the use of researchbased best practices and strategies.
- Planning with STEMscopes Teachers can prepare in little time using resources like Suggested Scope Order.
- Instructional Supports Students engage in authentic problem-solving with tools that help address scientific and engineering practices and recurring themes throughout the content.

- Learner Supports Teachers can differentiate for all learners in the classroom with resources like our Tiered Intervention and Language Support Strategies.
- Literacy Resources Teachers can support students' reading comprehension and academic vocabulary with this collection of literacy tools.
- Assessments Coming Soon! We can't wait to share our assessment bank, which will reflect assessment blueprints from the state. These will include Beginning of the Year and End of the Year Assessments, as well as released STAAR questions.

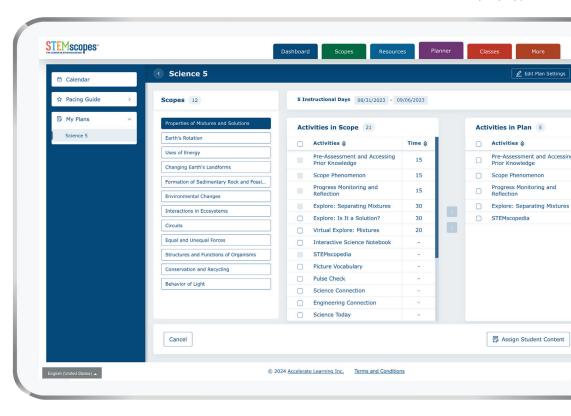
Easily jump to different resource pages within a section by using the drop-down on the top right-hand side of your screen.

Planner

The Planner tab houses interactive planning resources.

Resources include:

- Calendars
- Pacing Guides
- My Plans

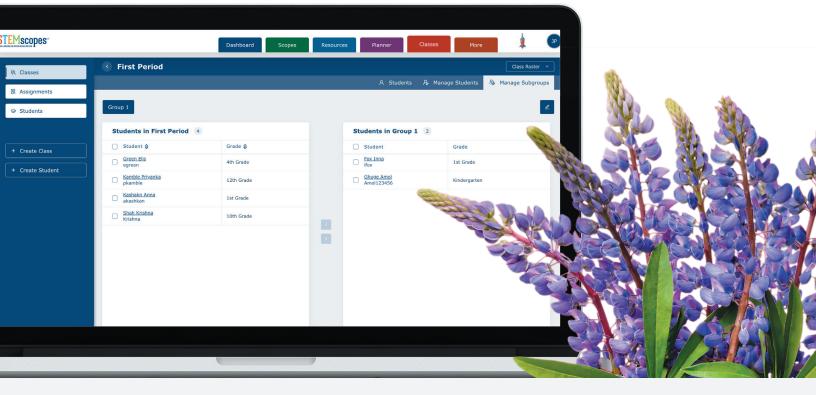


Classes

Create and access your Classes, Assignments, and Students.

Additional features in this tab include:

- Impersonate Student Log in as any student to view their platform and assignments.
- Manage Subgroups Create and manage student subgroups to easily differentiate and add assignments by groups.





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