

KANSAS INFINITEC Digital Text Professional Learning Community



Timeline and PLC Activities:

- Nov. 1st
Deadline for sign up
- Nov. 15th, 3:30-4:30
*1st Learning Session:
What is Digital Text?*
- Nov. 29th, 3:30-4:30
*2nd Learning Session:
Digital Sources & SETT
feature match*
- Jan. 10th, 3:30-4:30
*3rd Learning Session:
Digital Text-
to-Speech
Tools & SETT*
- January 31st, 3:30-4:30
Wrap-up & Discussion

Participants

**Must have a device
(laptop/computer/tablet)*

**Must have a local or state
library card*

**Must participate in all PLC
activities scheduled*

Description:

Do you ever feel like you attend a training, but then never find the time to implement it with your students? The focus of these trainings will be for participants to LEARN, then DO, building confidence to USE what they've learned. Sessions are planned to increase the comfort level while delving into different aspects of Digital Text. The target audience will be for beginners or those with very limited experience with digital text.

The 1st learning session will provide an overview of what Digital Text is and describe its guidelines, familiarizing participants with why students may need DT to increase/reach their potential to learn. A few audible DT sites for varying age levels will be demonstrated.

The 2nd learning session provides an overview of several digital text sources, and guides participants through the SETT framework feature match to help them identify which source is best for their students.

The 3rd learning session provides an overview of digital text-to-speech tools, identifying what platform is needed for each tool, again using the SETT feature match framework, identifying which will work best for each student,

The final session will wrap up what each participant has tried, sharing with each other in order to learn what worked best, sharing pros and cons of their experience, and answering lingering questions.

OUTCOMES:

- **List 3 reasons Digital Text is necessary for students**
- **Assess the impact of tool use on student performance**
- **Discuss the impact of DT with other PLC members**

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Register at:

<https://www.ksdetasn.org/events/AtreuA>