

GLOBAL studysync®

A Comprehensive ELA Curriculum
for Grades 6-12



WELCOME TO STUDYSYNC GLOBAL

Hybrid. Online. In-person. Built for teachers everywhere, StudySync’s new Global ELA is the only curriculum designed for International Middle and High Schools. The same award-winning and standards-aligned content, flexible delivery, and curricular rigor of our US edition is now globalized, rebuilt, and supported for you and your students. Join 2 million StudySync teachers and students moving learning forward every day, everywhere.

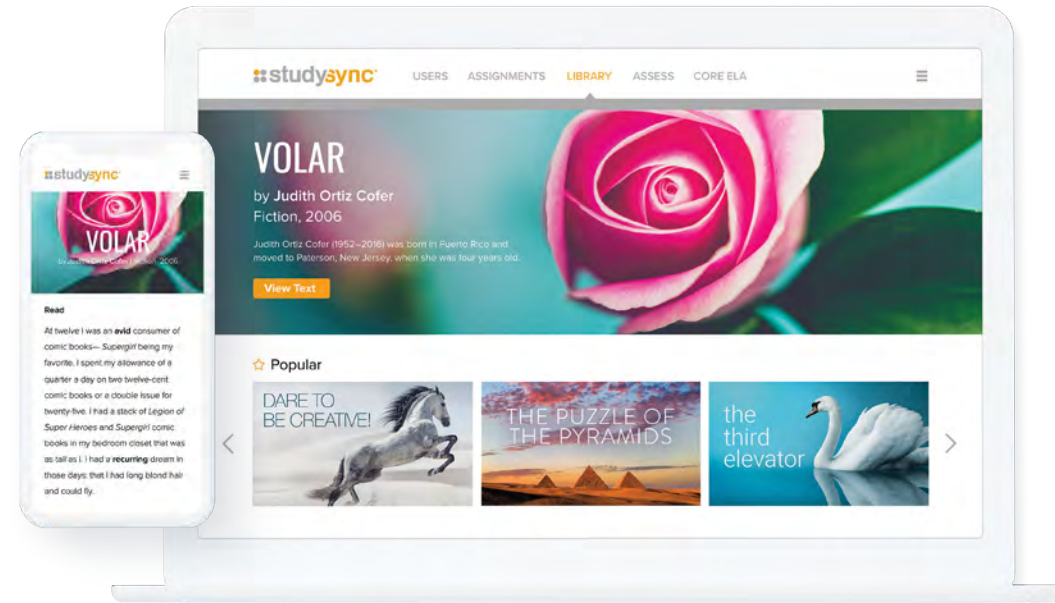
While leveraging technology and media to engage and inspire students in their academic pursuits, StudySync provides ELA educators with an easy-to-use platform to deliver adaptable, interactive, and equitable learning solutions, ready and tested for remote learning. In times of uncertainty, you can rely on StudySync for a strong curriculum both on- and off-line.

Built for Teachers, Everywhere.

- ✓ **Plan with confidence.** StudySync’s click ‘n play platform gives you the lesson sequence to drive student progress with additional options to tailor instruction for individual student needs.
- ✓ **Captivate with media.** Award-winning, peer-to-peer multimedia drives instruction to help students visualize and learn concepts from each other.
- ✓ **Open windows to the world.** Original and curated content promotes the idea of global citizenship as students gain perspective from a diversity of voices and essential themes and questions that value the place from which they view the world.



PROGRAM COMPONENTS



Comprehensive Student and Teacher Digital Experience



Print Student Edition

Print Teacher Edition

PROVEN RESULTS

Proven results make StudySync the fastest growing ELA programs in the United States with over 2.5 million users.

Remote Learning Success

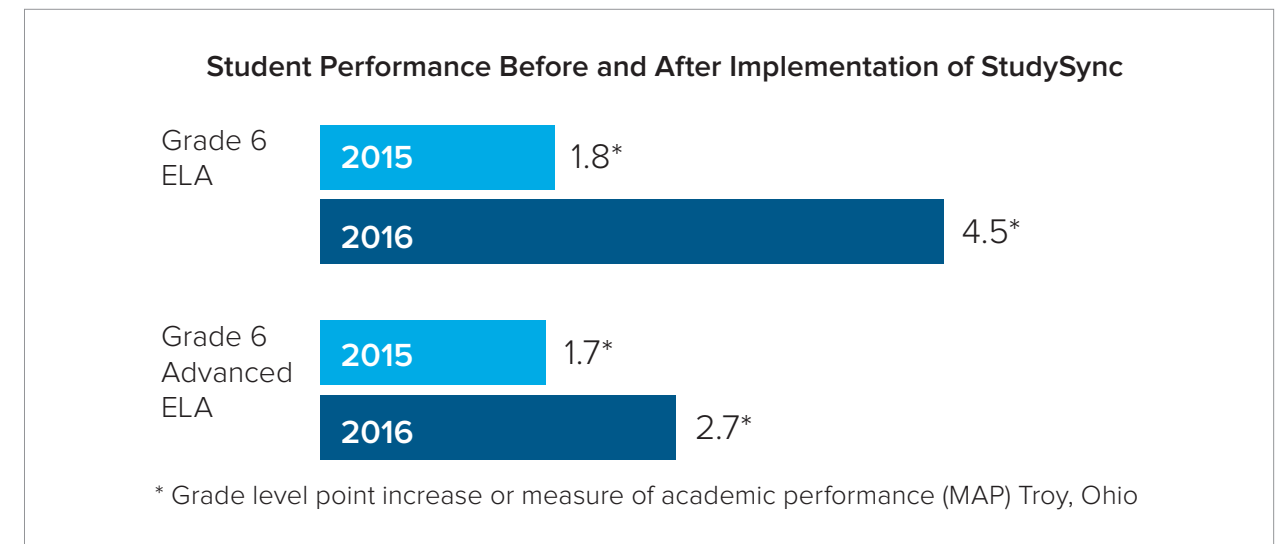
“THE TRANSITION TO REMOTE LEARNING, IT WAS A BEAUTIFUL THING. THEY’RE JUST DOING WHAT WE WERE ALREADY DOING IN THE CLASSROOM.”

—DURHAM PUBLIC SCHOOLS, NC

Student Engagement Success

“GRADE 6 GENERAL ELA STUDENTS GREW AN AVERAGE OF 1.8 IN 2015 COMPARED TO AN AVERAGE OF 4.5 IN 2016 WITH STUDYSYNC.”

—TROY INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL, OHIO



Teacher Engagement Success

“I WAS 18 YEARS INTO TEACHING WHEN I STARTED STUDYSYNC...I WENT FROM A BLACK AND WHITE WORLD TO COLOR. I GOT EXCITED AGAIN ABOUT TEACHING, AND I FELT CONFIDENT IN MY ABILITY TO MEET THE NEEDS OF MY STUDENTS.”

—ROBERT C. FISLER SCHOOL, FULLERTON SCHOOL DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA

Peer-to-Peer Success

“AUTHENTIC CONVERSATIONS AND ANONYMOUS PEER FEEDBACK HELPED ALL STUDENTS IN THIS HIGH SCHOOL. TEST SCORES IMPROVED A FULL 10 PERCENT OVER THE PREVIOUS UNIT. THE ONLY MAJOR INSTRUCTIONAL VARIABLE WAS STUDYSYNC.”

—GENEVA HIGH SCHOOL, ILLINOIS

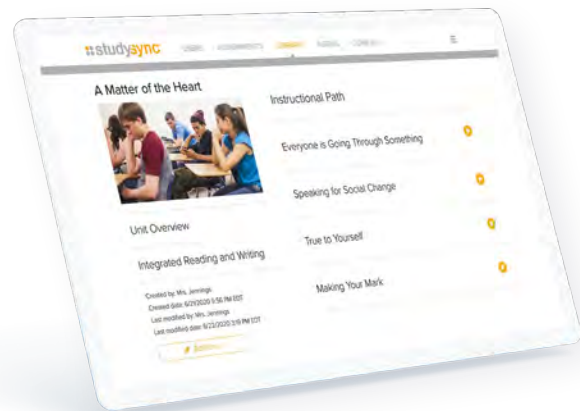
PLAN WITH CONFIDENCE

StudySync’s click ‘n play platform and Core Curriculum give you the lesson sequence to drive student progress with additional options to tailor instruction for individual student needs.



Lesson Plans

Detailed lesson plans give explicit instruction to support easy implementation.



Unit Creator

Build the units you want using the Digital Library – with hundreds of texts, skill lessons, and writing prompts, as well as inquiry-driven blasts.



Fully integrated with Google Classroom!

Choose Your Delivery

With content that can be accessed seamlessly across print, digital, and a student mobile app, StudySync’s flexible delivery options allow teachers and districts to choose what works best for them and their students.



StudySync’s options allow for a wide range of instructional delivery models, including both online and offline instructional models.

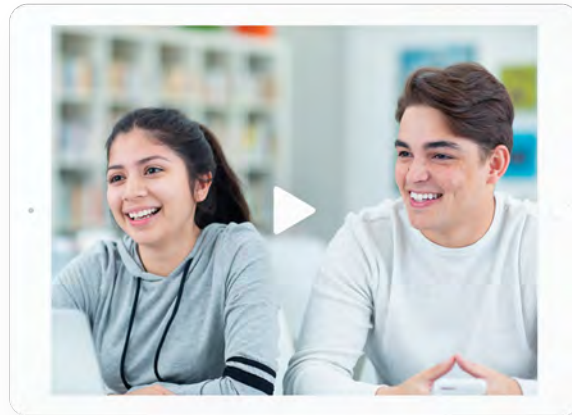
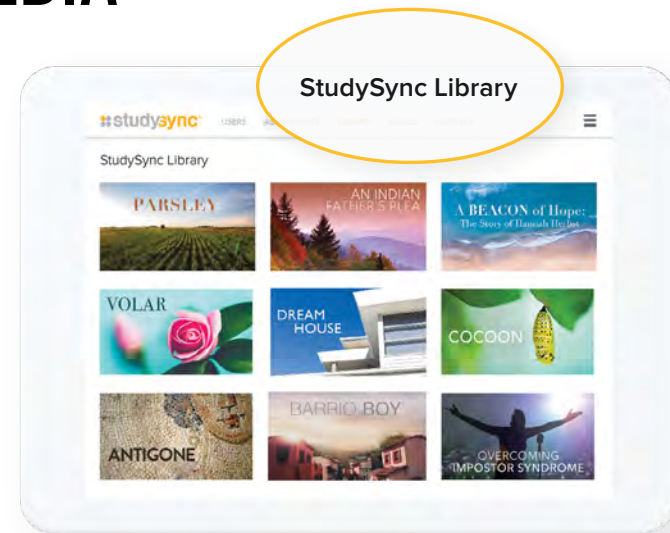
Flexible Classroom Format

With grouping suggestions in every lesson plan, teachers can decide how to format their classroom for different lesson activities, while staying true to their teaching style.

ACTIVITY	WHOLE GROUP	PAIRS OR SMALL GROUPS	ON THEIR OWN
Complete Vocabulary Chart			✓
Close Read and Annotate		✓	✓
Writer’s Notebook			✓
Watch and Discuss StudySyncTV®	✓		
Collaborative Conversation		✓	
Write	✓		✓
Peer Review and Reflect			✓
Beyond the Book	✓		

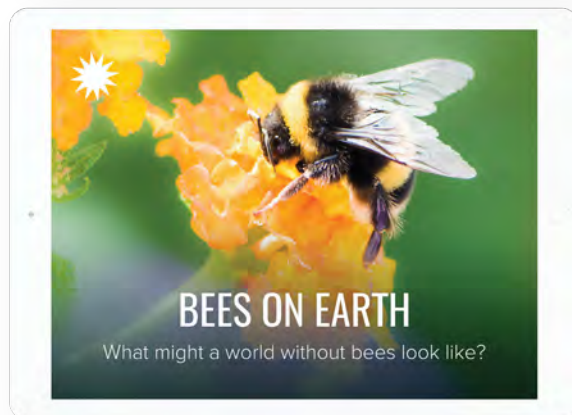
CAPTIVATE WITH MEDIA

Our continuously growing library includes short stories, poems, excerpts and full-length texts of novels, dramas, essays, speeches, and primary source documents, with media to bring the texts alive.



Original multimedia and authentic native speakers for improving listening and speaking skills.

- ✓ **StudySyncTV:** Peer models for collaborative discussions
- ✓ **SkillsTV:** Peer-to-peer instruction on complex concepts and skills.
- ✓ **Concept Definition Videos:** Peer-to-peer instruction on English Language Arts concepts.



“THE STUDENTS IN THE VIDEOS WERE HAVING EXTREMELY INTELLIGENT CONVERSATIONS ABOUT LITERATURE, AND I WAS INTRIGUED. I REALIZED THERE WAS ONE COMPANY BEHIND ALL OF THE VIDEOS, AND IT WAS STUDYSYNC.”

–KATE H., ENGLISH TEACHER, GENEVA HIGH SCHOOL, ILLINOIS

Digital Tools Promote Higher-Level Thinking Skills

- ✓ Peer-to-peer facilitated instruction and modeling help students grasp complex skills and concepts
- ✓ Video interactions model authentic English-speaking tempo and scenarios
- ✓ Social and Emotional Learning strategies are displayed and modeled not only for tone and intonation, but for regulation within a group discussion environment



“I LOVE THE LIBRARY. IT PROVIDES THE VOICES THAT I NEED TO CREATE A BALANCED APPROACH IN WHICH EVERYONE’S VOICE IS HEARD AND RESPECTED. STUDYSYNC PROVIDES THE RELEVANT LITERATURE THAT I NEED.”

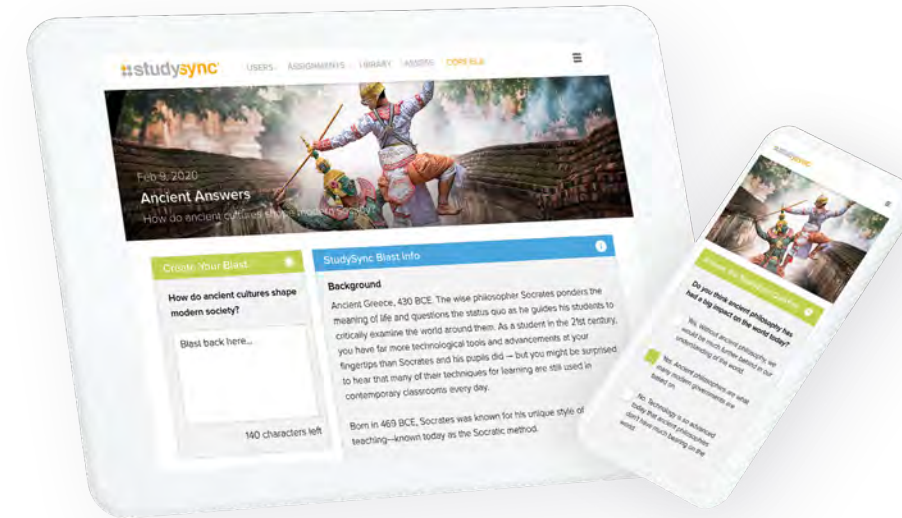
–VENNIETA G., CHAVEZ MIDDLE SCHOOL, LYNWOOD UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA

OPEN WINDOWS TO THE WORLD



Global Inquiry

Blasts are short, high-interest read/write assignments that include topics relevant to students in a familiar, social media format. A new Blast is published every school day.



Blast articles are available at **three** different Lexile levels to ensure all students have access to meaningful discourse about contemporary issues and events.

Global Citizenship Themes

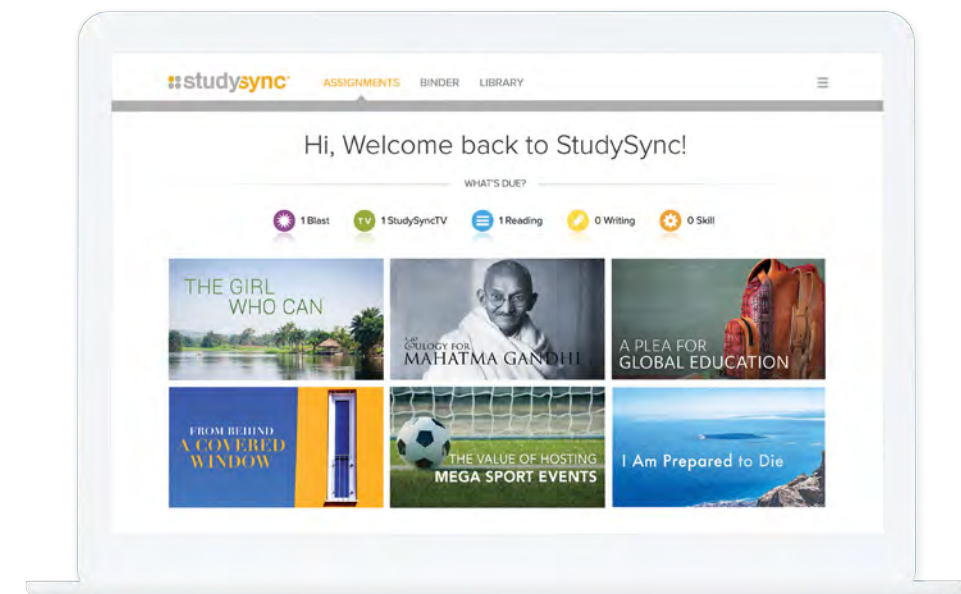
Wherever we are we can connect to the world through technology and literature.

Designed to provide students with a learning experience that helps them approach language arts through their eyes. Original content, developed specifically for the needs of teachers and students studying outside of the US, provides a balanced perspective around essential themes and questions.

- ✓ In Unit previews, student voices contemplate universal questions.
- ✓ Through Global Citizen and Localized Blasts, students read and interact on both globally and locally relevant topics that impact their lives.
- ✓ With a curated collection of texts, students engage beyond the standard canon to hear voices from different places, student voices, and contemporary authors.

Global Perspectives

A blend of traditional and contemporary authors, commissioned works by young writers, and globally sourced content provides a learning experience that reaches beyond a traditional curriculum.



IB RESOURCES

StudySync Global is a quality choice for IB teachers who seek to promote global citizenship while developing knowledge and understanding of language and literature with an intercultural focus.

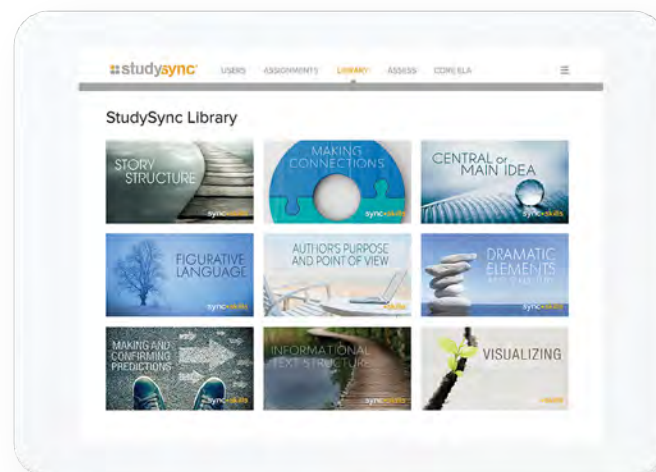
Our robust digital library and Unit Creator ensure that IB teachers have enough resources to create rigorous and academically challenging units for their program of study.

Library

- ✓ Hundreds of texts with various genres, structures, and themes
- ✓ Hundreds of skill lessons that include instruction for key concepts, related concepts, and more
- ✓ Writing prompt library that promotes critical and creative thinking
- ✓ Inquiry-driven assignments focused on global and localized events and issues

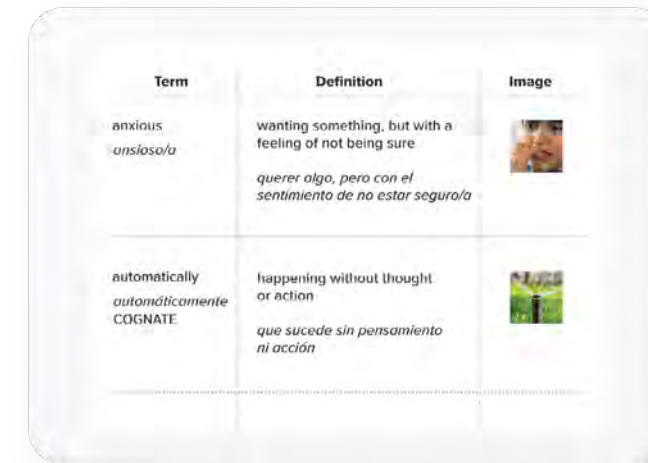
Unit Creator

- ✓ Create IB units of study easily with StudySync’s dynamic search filter. Search for texts by author, theme, as well as related global context. Design your unit in your preferred sequence and customize any StudySync lesson to fit your students’ needs.

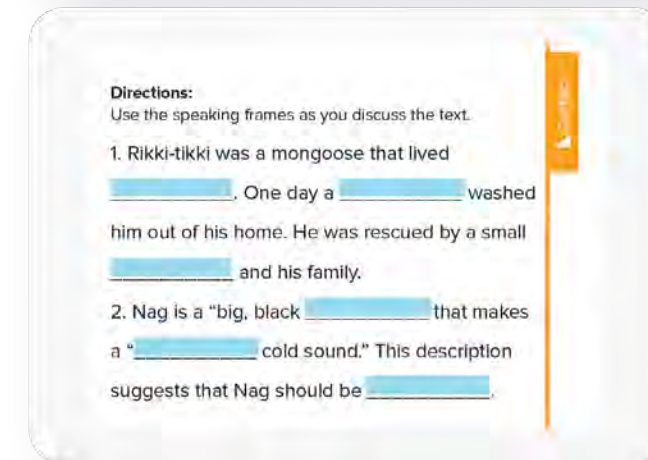


ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER SUPPORT

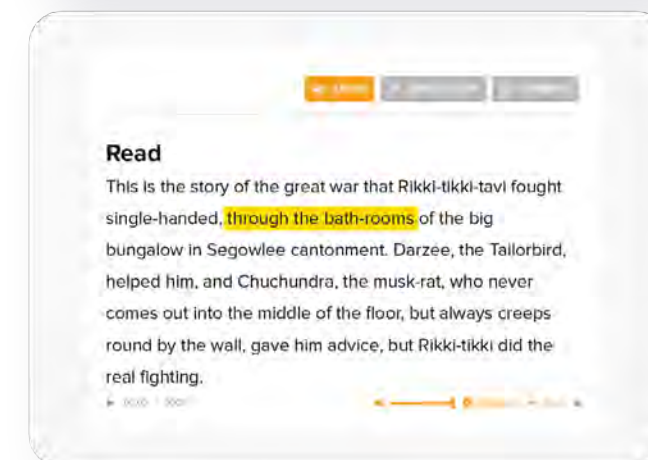
For English Language Learners, StudySync includes both integrated and designated supports. Each lesson includes scaffolded support for four levels of English Language Learners. These targeted scaffolds **automatically appear** with every digital assignment and are specifically tailored to each activity.



Visual Glossary



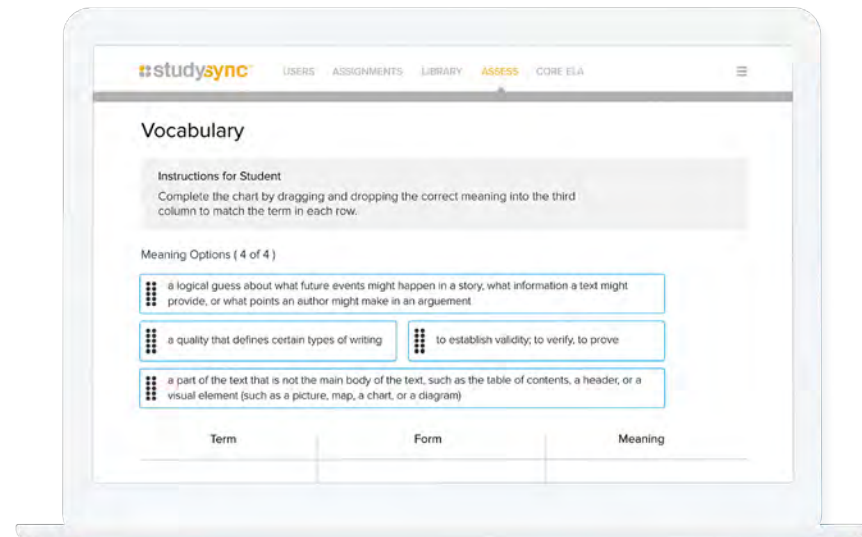
Speaking and Sentence Frames



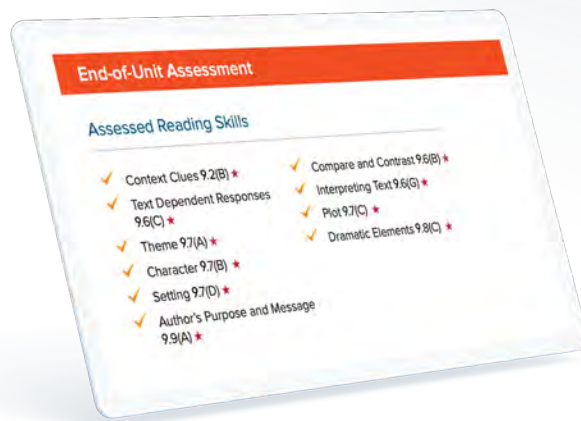
Audio with Variable Speed and Text Highlight

ASSESSMENT

StudySync provides a data-driven assessment suite that helps you gauge progress and inform instruction as students prepare for high-stakes testing.



Formative Assessment



End-of-Unit Assessment

STUDENT	82%	90	80%	98%
Able, Everett	82%	90	80%	98%
Alfonsi, Gianna	88%	75%	88%	68%
Barrantes, Sofia	81%	85%	100%	85%
Battan, Oscar	100%	90%	89%	90%
Bordelon, Patrick	77%	72%	85%	70%
Imbergano, Anthony	92%	84%	91%	86%
Lawson, Joy	82%	55%	71%	52%

Gradebook

“I HAVE SEEN HUGE GROWTH POINTS. PRIOR TO STUDYSYNC, MY STUDENTS WOULD USUALLY SCORE BETWEEN APPROACHING AND MEETING THE STANDARDS. AFTER A YEAR OF USING STUDYSYNC, MY STUDENTS ARE NOW FALLING MORE IN THE HIGHLY PROFICIENT CATEGORY ON THEIR POST-TESTS.”

—TREVA J., ARIZONA MASTER TEACHER AND NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFIED TEACHER, MARICOPA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, ARIZONA

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



Dr. Catlin Tucker

A leading voice in remote and distance-learning, **Dr. Catlin Tucker** demonstrates strategies in StudySync to show how different setups can help promote learning. We share her podcasts as well as recorded webinars and other tips and tricks on a regular basis.



Help Center

Available 24/7, the StudySync Help Center is in the platform full of frequently asked questions.



Teaching Lab

Teaching Lab videos model how educators can instruct in a variety of settings and technology.

Aislinn Cunningham

Approaching a decade in education, **Aislinn Cunningham** has been a teacher, instructional coach, and district curriculum leader. As Director of Professional Learning at StudySync, Aislinn has helped craft StudySync's equitable approach to teaching and learning, infusing culturally responsive teaching, social and emotional learning, and inclusivity into StudySync's curriculum and professional development resources.



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