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Designed with you in mind.

As a Texas educator, you have a lot on your plate. You don't need a cumbersome platform tying up your time and frustrating your students. Enter Savvas Realize®—the most versatile LMS on the market, designed with you in mind. With **one login**, you can access everything you need — from standards-aligned content and customizable assignments to **rich student data** and powerful **class planning tools.** Shared learning playlists make collaborating with other educators a breeze. And a streamlined dashboard — with quick links and visual displays inspired by our teacher users — provides students, teachers, and district administrators alike, an **easy-to-navigate**, game-changing platform so that learning can happen anytime, anywhere.

Realize key features:

- Scores travel with students if they transfer to a new class within the school or district, making it easier to pick up where they left off.
- Interactive digital content, videos, animations, games, and adaptive resources make learning experiences engaging and personalized.
- Seamless integrations with more than two dozen major edtech applications offer plug-and-play interoperability with top classroom tools.

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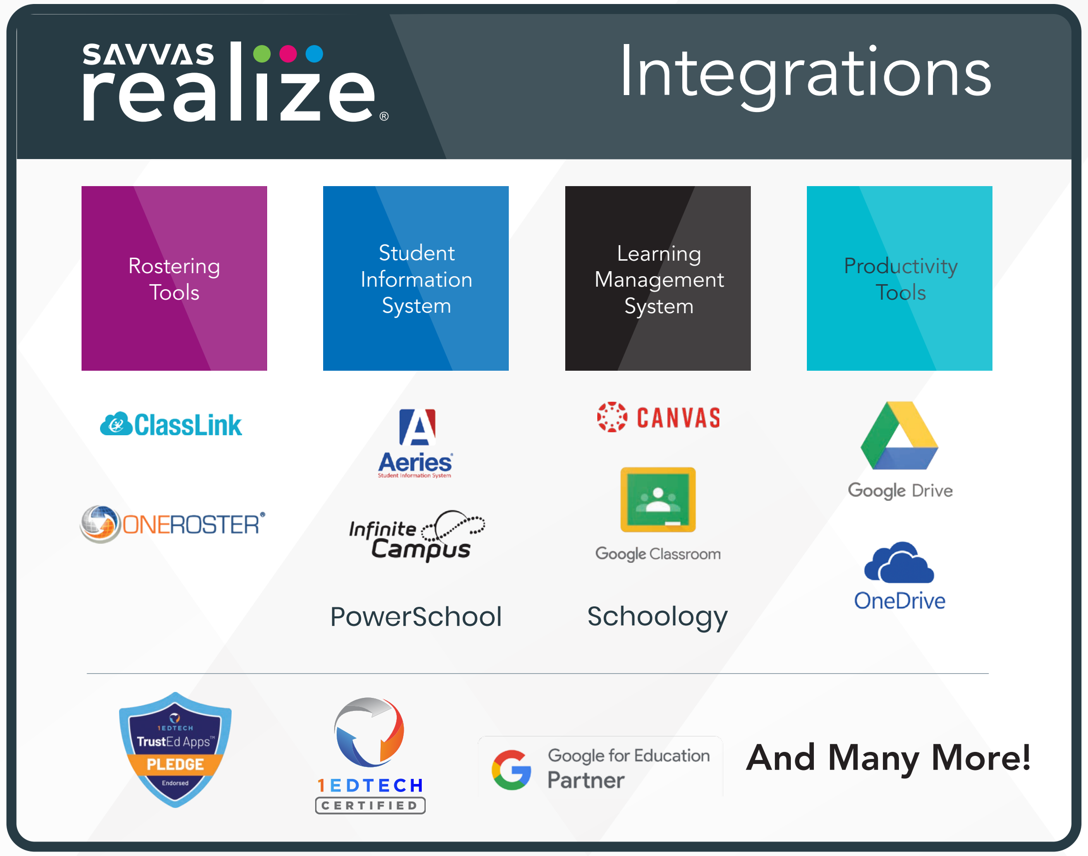


1 Register for online access

Scan the QR or visit **Learning.Savvas.com/Experience-Now** to submit your information.

Your username and password will be provided immediately.

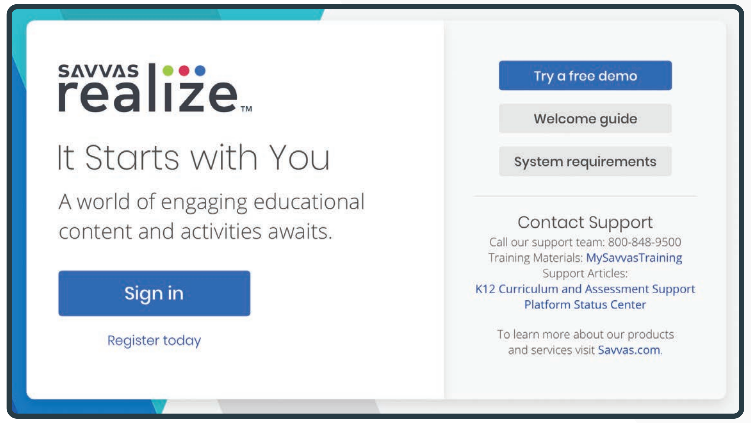
Get Access to Realize

2 Sign in to the demo account

Go to **SavvasRealize.com** and select **Sign In**.

Log in with the username and password provided in Step 1.

This account is for review purposes only and will expire. Password is case-sensitive.



Teacher Home Page

Think of the Savvas Realize® home page as your control center, where you can access assignments, assessments, and interactive student and teacher editions for one or all of your programs.

Getting Started with Realize

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Navigate Anywhere

From any page, you can use the top menu to return to this **Home** screen; **Browse** all of your programs; access assignments, rosters, and data for your **Classes**; and create custom content in **My Library**.

At-a-Glance Info

Once you have at least one class, a class card will show you key details about recent **assignments**, as well as direct access to that class's **Data** and other important information.

If you have three or fewer Realize classes, your class cards will be rectangles; if you have four or more, your class cards will be squares.

Google Classroom

An icon clearly identifies classes that have been imported from Google® Classroom.

Find Content

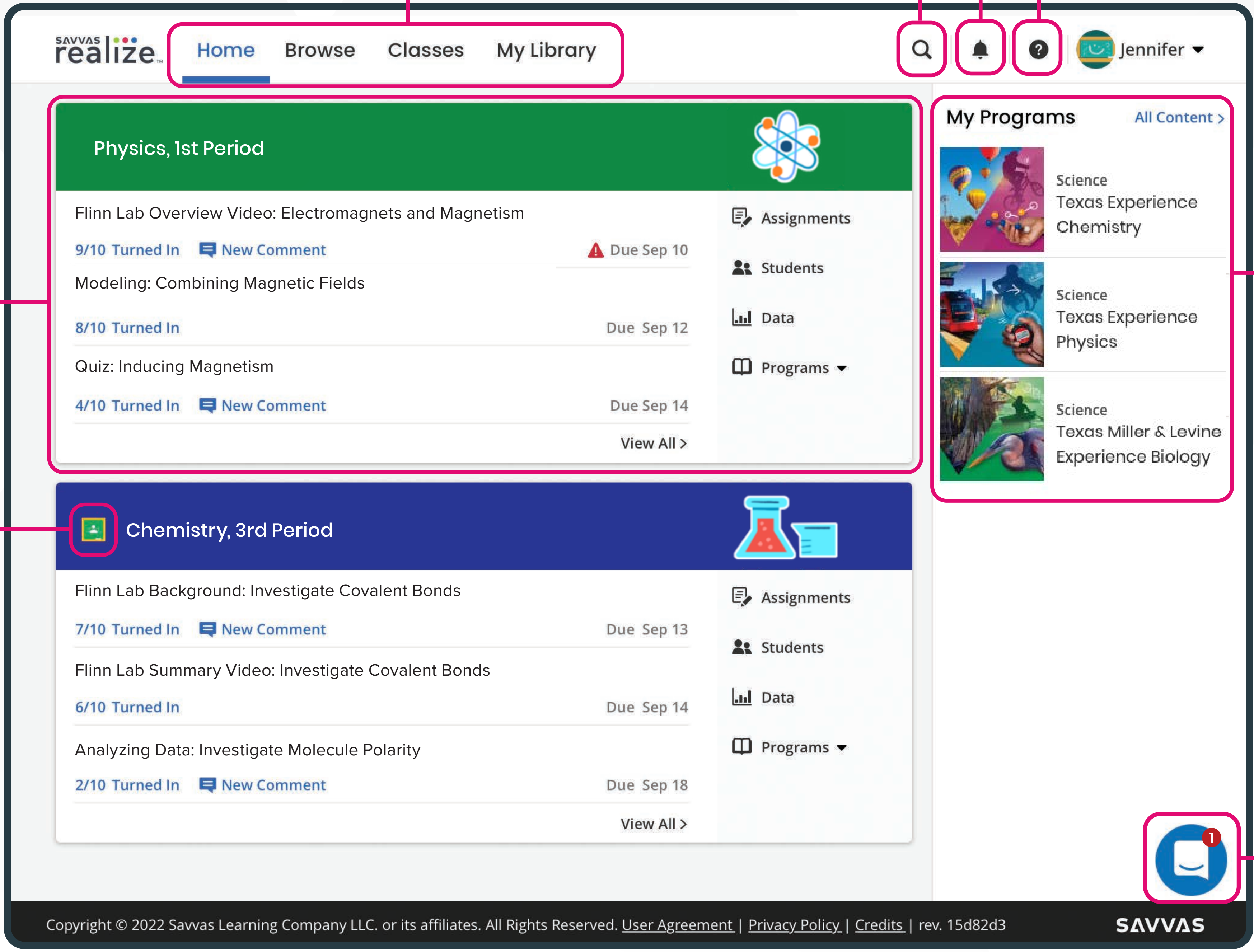
Search for curricular content by keyword.

Important Alerts

Look for notifications, like when custom content has been shared with you by an administrator or fellow teacher.

Get Help

Search for help navigating Realize; find on-demand and live learning opportunities; connect with our Customer Care Center for technical support; and contact a program specialist for curricular support.



Access Content

Click on any title in **My Programs** to see the Table of Contents and access resources for that program.

Stay Up-to-Date

Be sure to read any message you see – it's how we share updates on new features, tips for using Realize, and other helpful information.

Program Dashboard

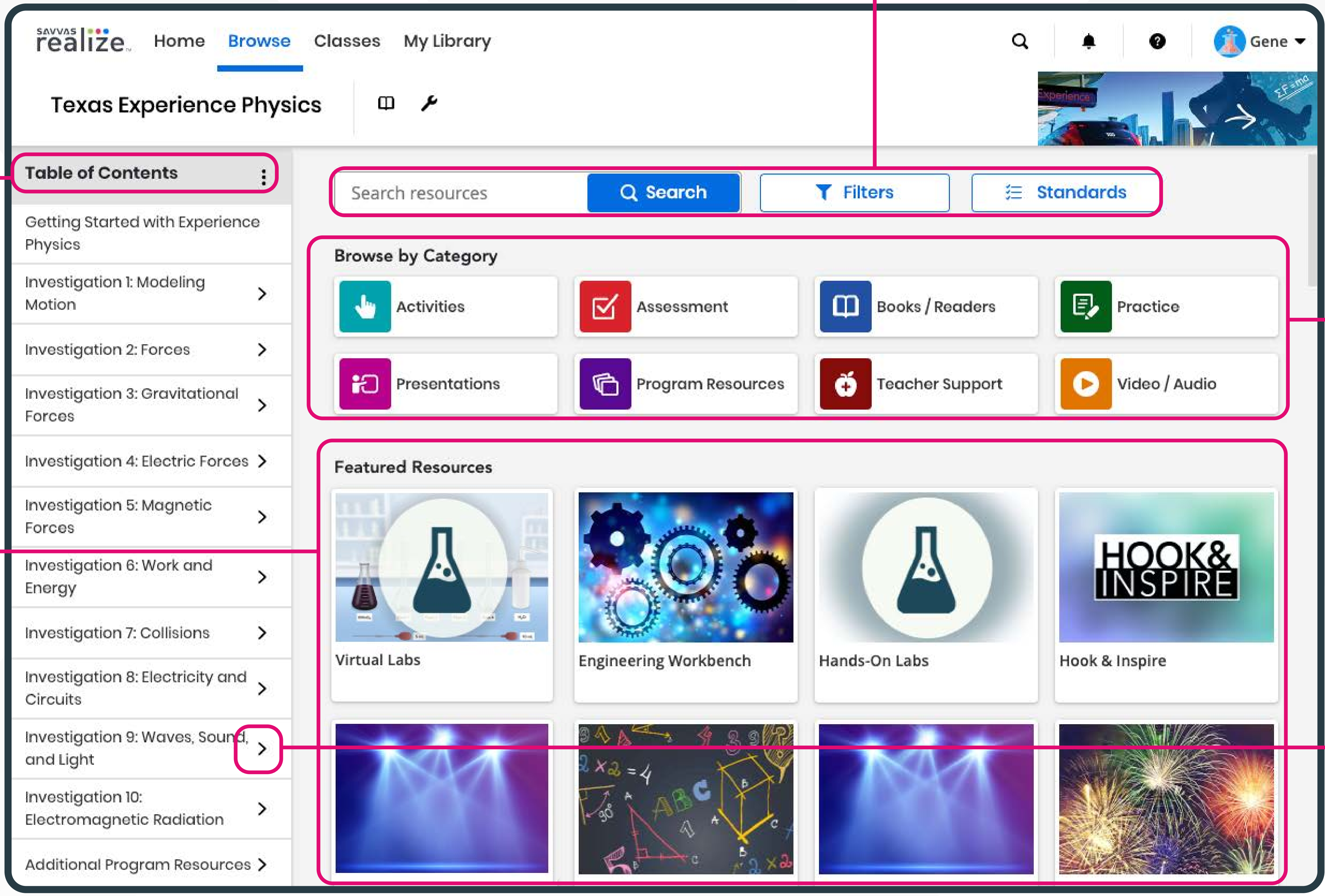
Once you've selected the program you want to explore, you can find award-winning Savvas content in several ways.

Find What You Want

Dynamic **search** allows you to find and filter TEKS-based content.

Browse Content

The **Table of Contents** aligns directly with your Savvas textbook. You can also view helpful "Getting Started" documents and videos.



Instructional Categories

View available resources by content type and choose an instructional category that aligns with your lesson.

Featured Resources

Our authors and curriculum experts have selected the most important materials to highlight in **Featured Resources***. You can find Texas custom content, labs, Hook & Inspire, and other materials here.

**Varies by program.*

More Great Content Ahead

When you see a caret in the Table of Contents, make sure to click for more.

Investigation Resources

Support for the Investigation is organized in the Table of Contents on the left.

Tools

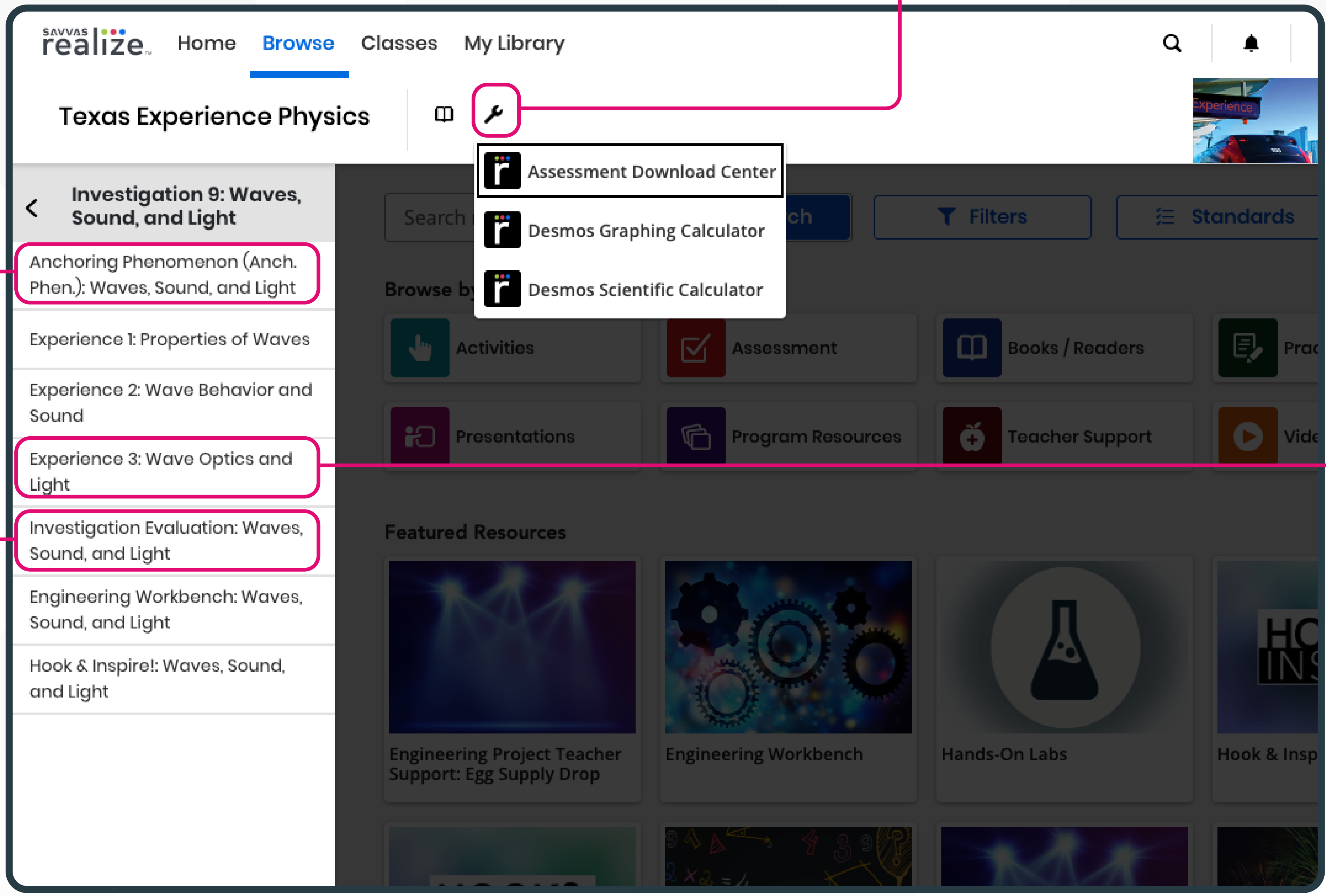
Easily access *ExamView*® **Download Center** and **Desmos**® **calculators.**

Anchoring Phenomenon

Exploration begins with a phenomenon video and class demonstration that introduces and unifies the upcoming chemistry concepts. As students complete Experiences and Investigations, they synthesize their understanding of the concepts behind the phenomena.

Investigation Assessments

Online or editable print tests assess mastery of concepts presented in the Investigation.



Choose an Experience

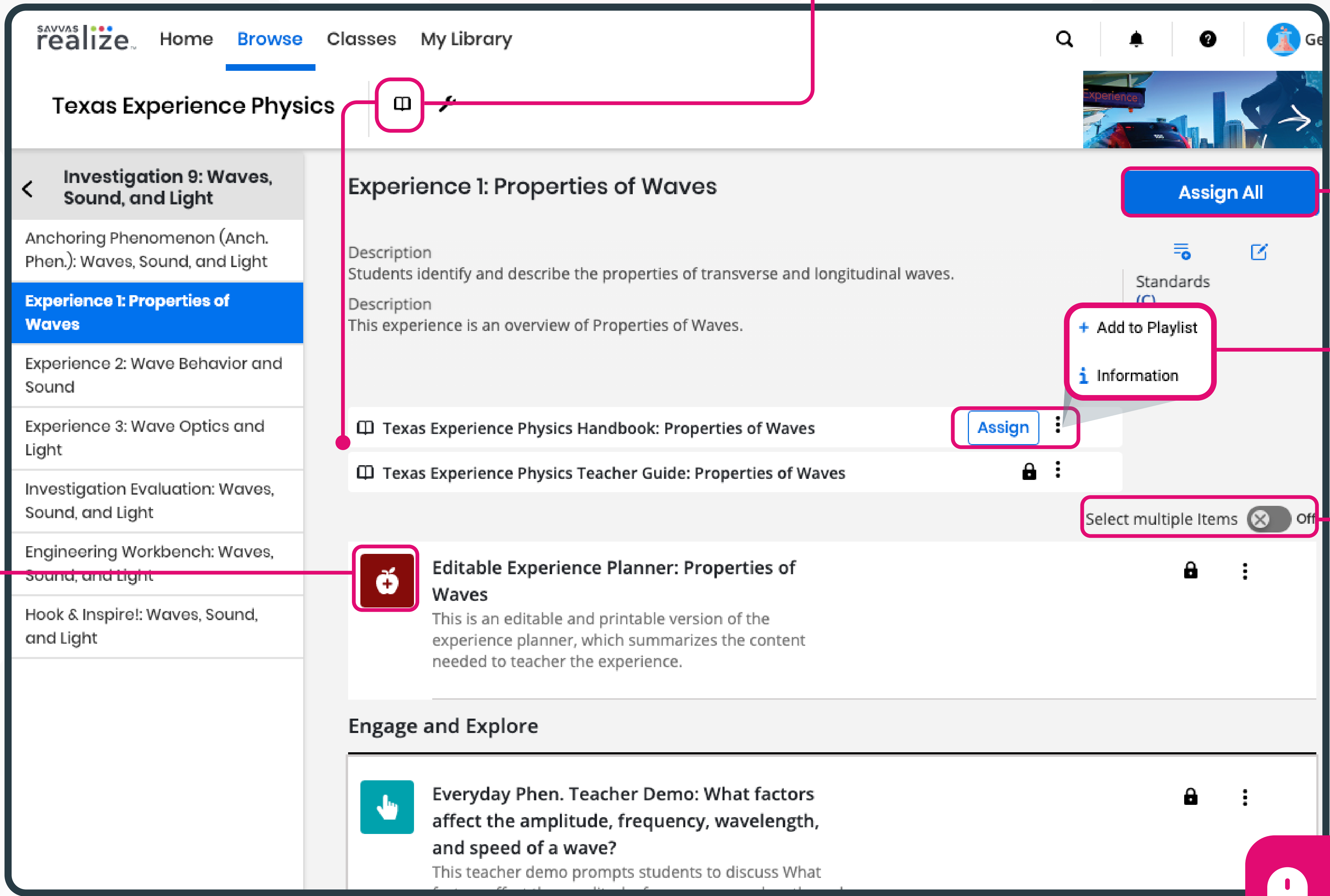
Dig deeper by choosing an Experience from the Table of Contents. Continue to the next page to keep exploring.

Experience Dashboard

Lessons are organized for the way you teach. Choose an Experience to see all of the engaging interactive content for teaching and learning. Once you've found the perfect lesson, activity, or assessment, assigning is easy.

eTexts

Easily access all of the program texts online.



Editable 5E Lesson Plan

Summarizes the content needed to teach the experience. The online lesson mirrors the same learning model in print — engage, explore, explain, elaborate, and evaluate.

Options for Assigning Content

Assign All allows you to assign every instructional resource at once.

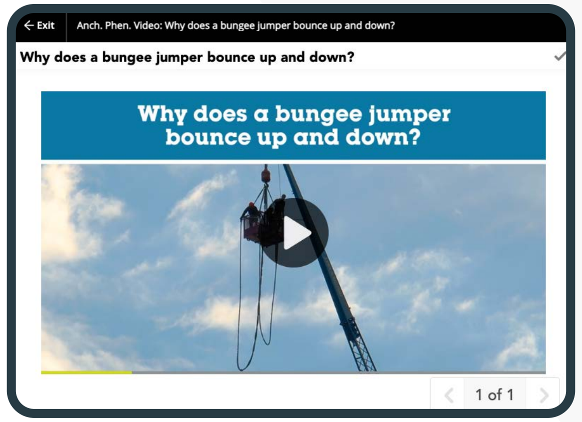
Assign content directly to individual students, small groups, or an entire class. Or **add to a playlist** as part of a larger lesson.

Select multiple items toggle allows you to quickly build your assignments with fewer clicks.

Scroll to see all resources.

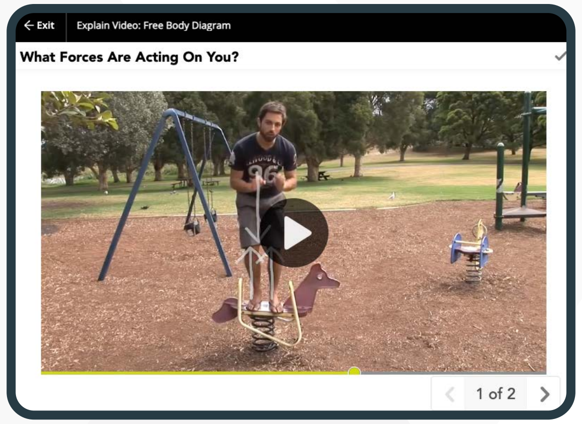
Highlighted Resources

As you review the program on Savvas Realize®, make sure you check out these engaging instructional resources and more.



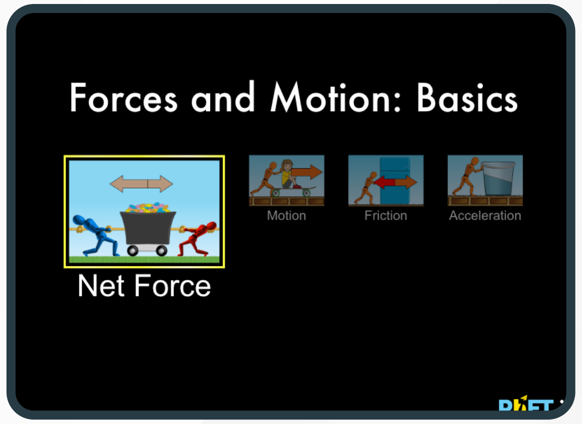
Anchoring Phenomena Videos

Spark student engagement and ground concepts in the real-world.



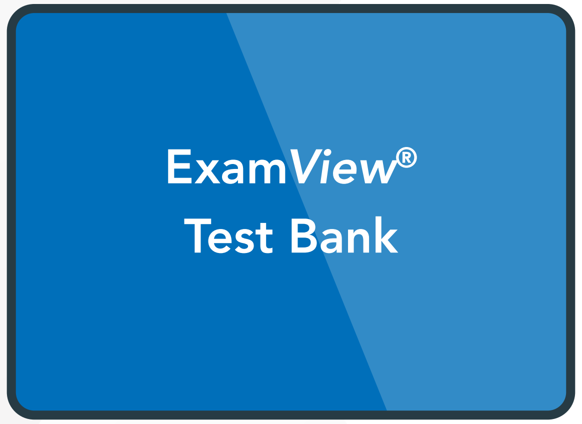
Explain Videos

Videos that explain core concepts and improve student understanding.



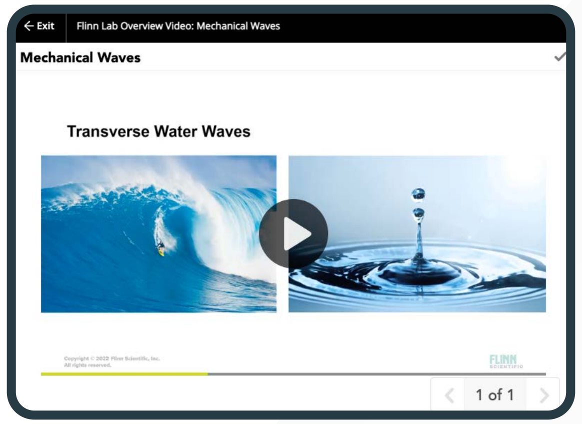
PhET Simulations

Engage students in an intuitive, game-like learning environment.



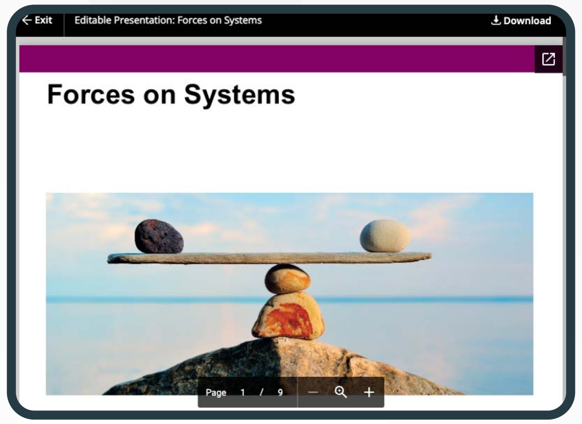
ExamView®

Quickly build and adapt tests for different levels of learners. Download from the Savvas Realize platform.



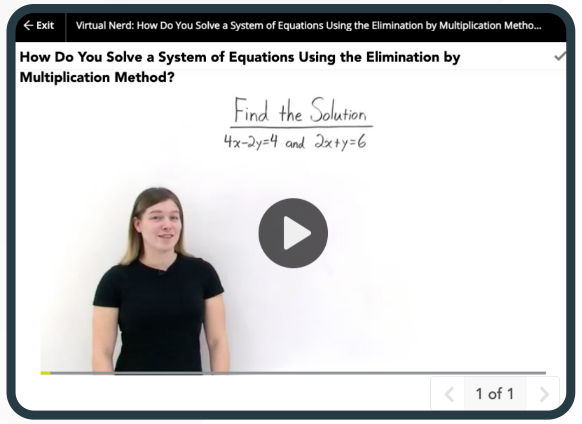
Flinn Lab Videos

Engaging overview and summary videos support the labs and connect to phenomena.



Editable Presentation Slides

Download and edit presentations to meet the individual needs of your classes.



Virtual Nerd® Math Tutorials

Provides approachable mathematics explanations delivered by peer-instructors.

Hook & Inspire

Variety of interactive resources and activities and information on STEM careers to enrich learning.

My Library, Realize Reader, and Interactive PDFs

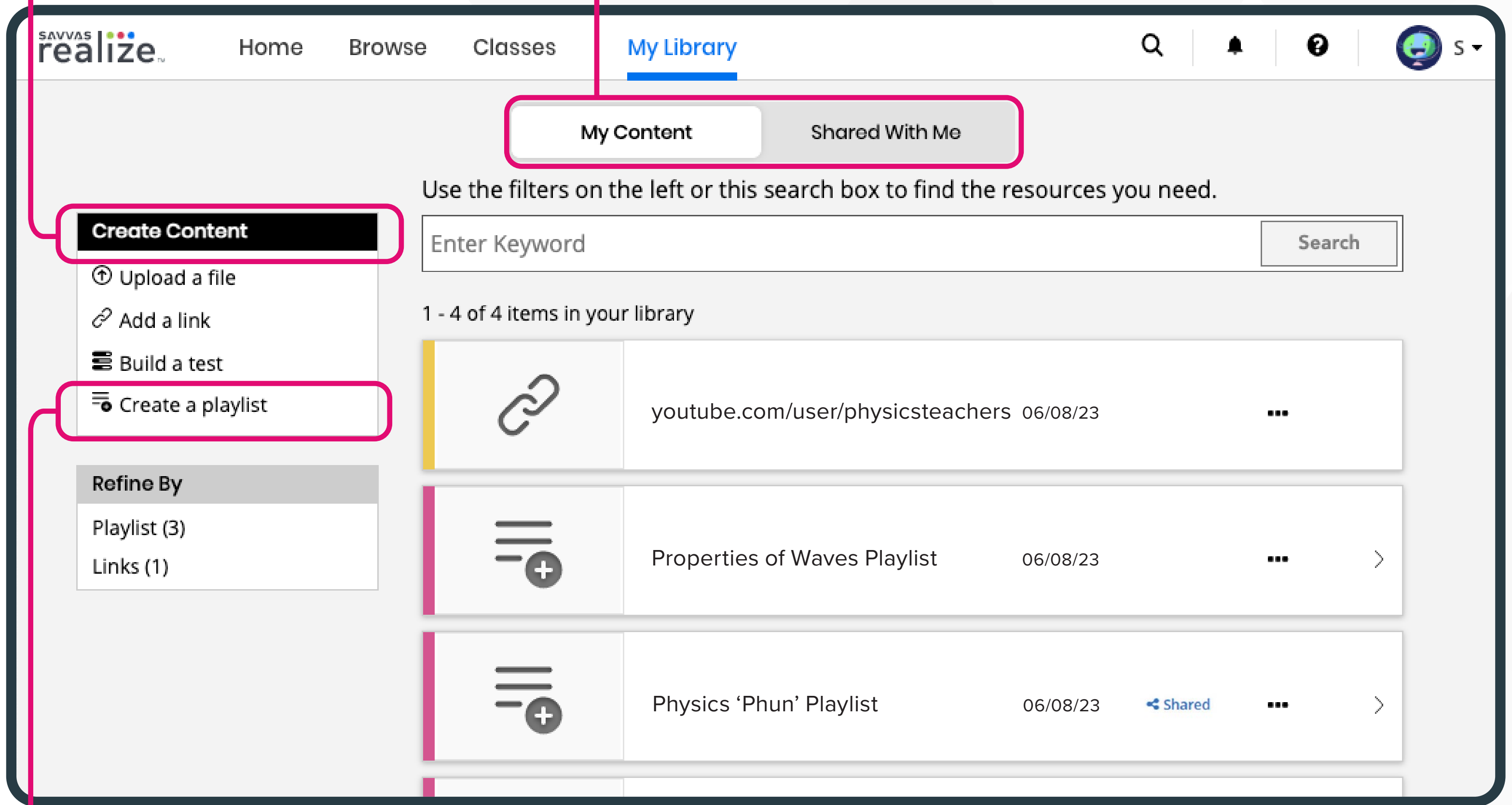
Savvas Realize® offers a variety of tools to make planning for and teaching your classes easier and more efficient.

Customize Your Content

Upload your own files, add links, and build tests under the **Create Content** menu.

Your Personal Portfolio

Under **My Content** you will see all of the custom content you create. **Shared With Me** houses playlists shared with you by teachers and assessments shared with you by administrators.



Lesson Playlists

Create lesson playlists with content from across programs and/or your own custom content. Then, share it with teachers in your school or district.

Playlist Sharing

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No Internet? No Problem.

With Realize Reader™ you and your students can access Savvas eTexts—and take notes, highlight, save bookmarks, and respond to prompts—whether you're online or offline.

For offline access, visit **reader.savvasrealize.com** and follow the directions.

Accessing eTexts Offline

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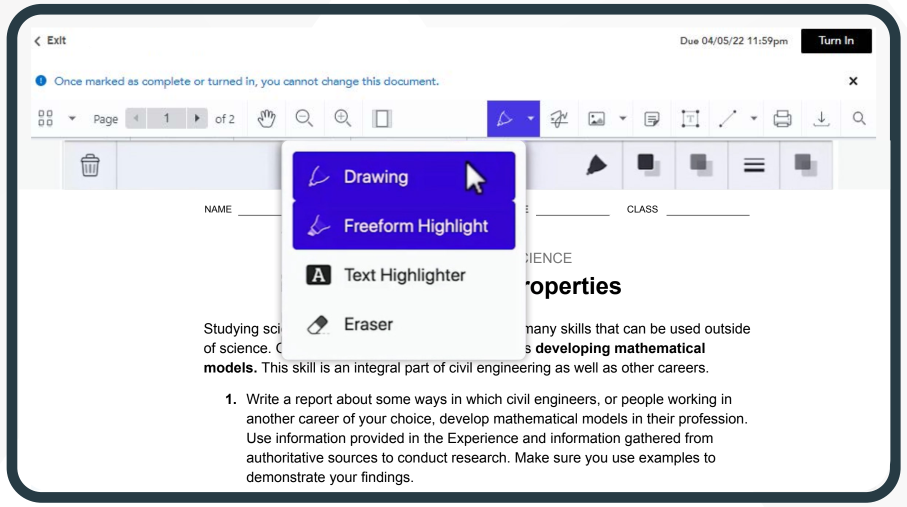

Interactive PDFs

Realize automatically turns any PDF into an interactive assignment – whether it's a PDF you uploaded or one that is included in your Savvas program. Students can review, mark up, and interact with PDFs, and teachers can provide feedback.

Interactive PDFs

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Assignments

Savvas Realize® makes reviewing and scoring student work easy. You can view your class assignments directly from your Dashboard's class card, or by selecting from a list of classes under the "Classes" tab.

Make Data-Driven Decisions

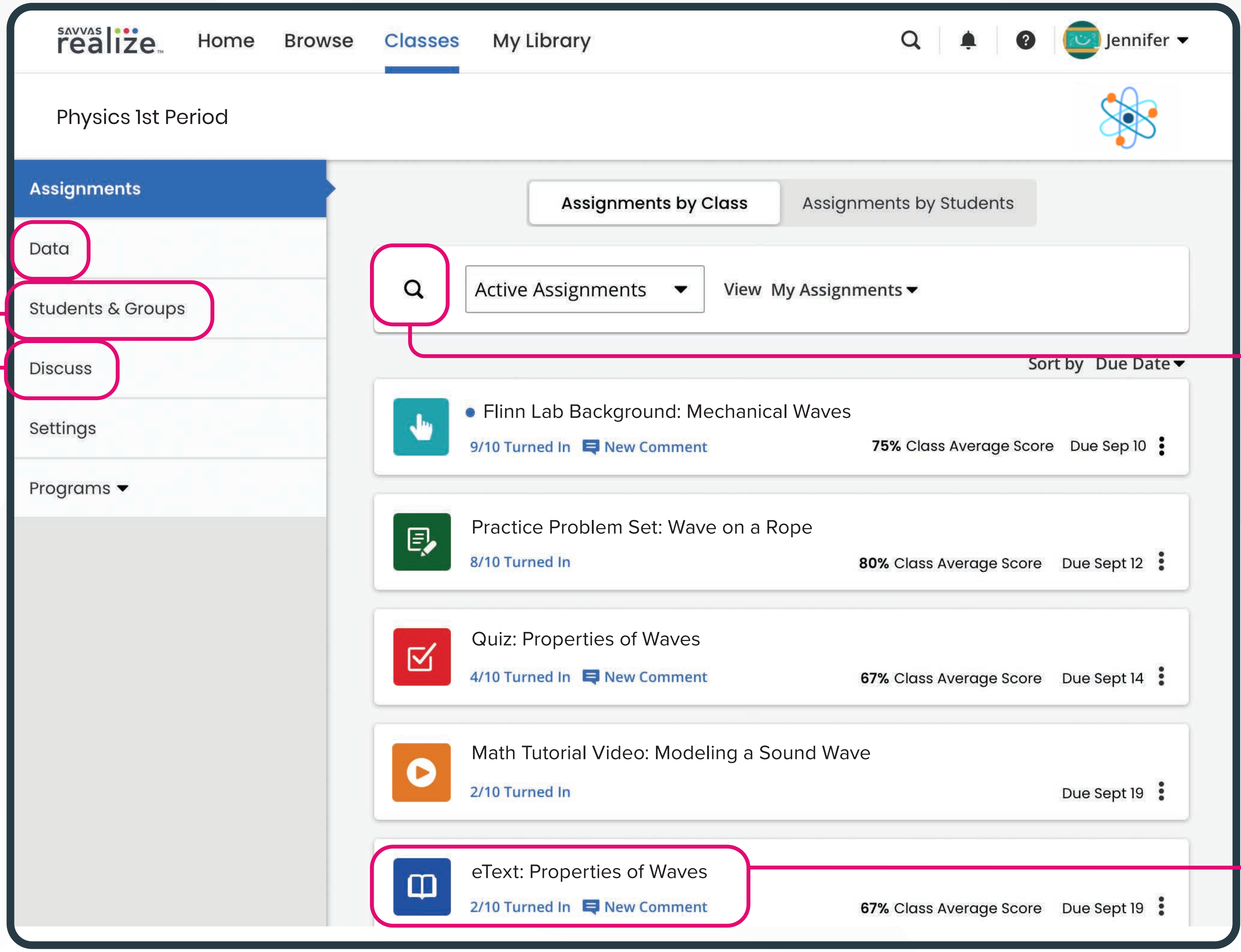
Access detailed **data** reports for auto-scored assignments.

Target Your Instruction

See assignment progress and average score for each student in your class. Use the information to create and manage small **groups** and assign content just to them.

Start a Discussion

Create a **prompt** or manage active discussions to keep your class engaged.



Find What You Need

Search for assignments by title keywords for quick access to specific assignments.

Dive Deeper

Click on any title to see assignment details for each student and review completed work.

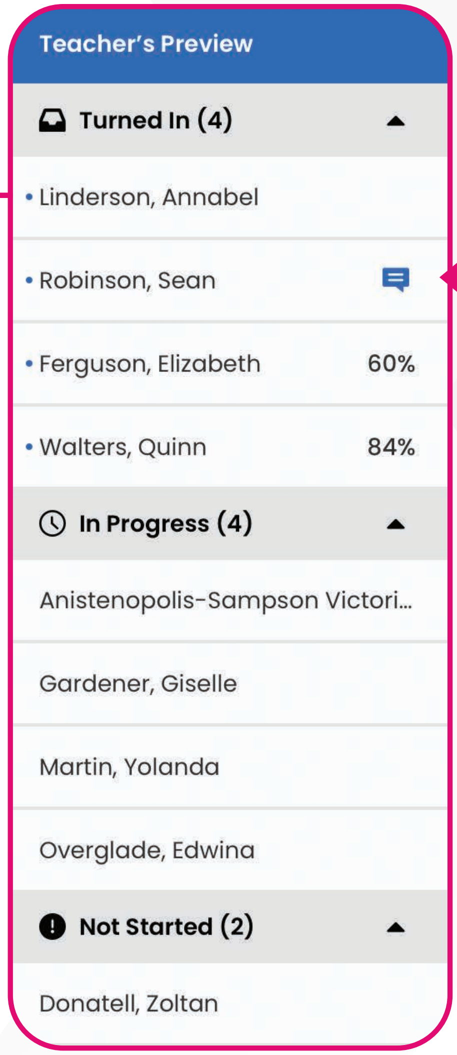
Scoring

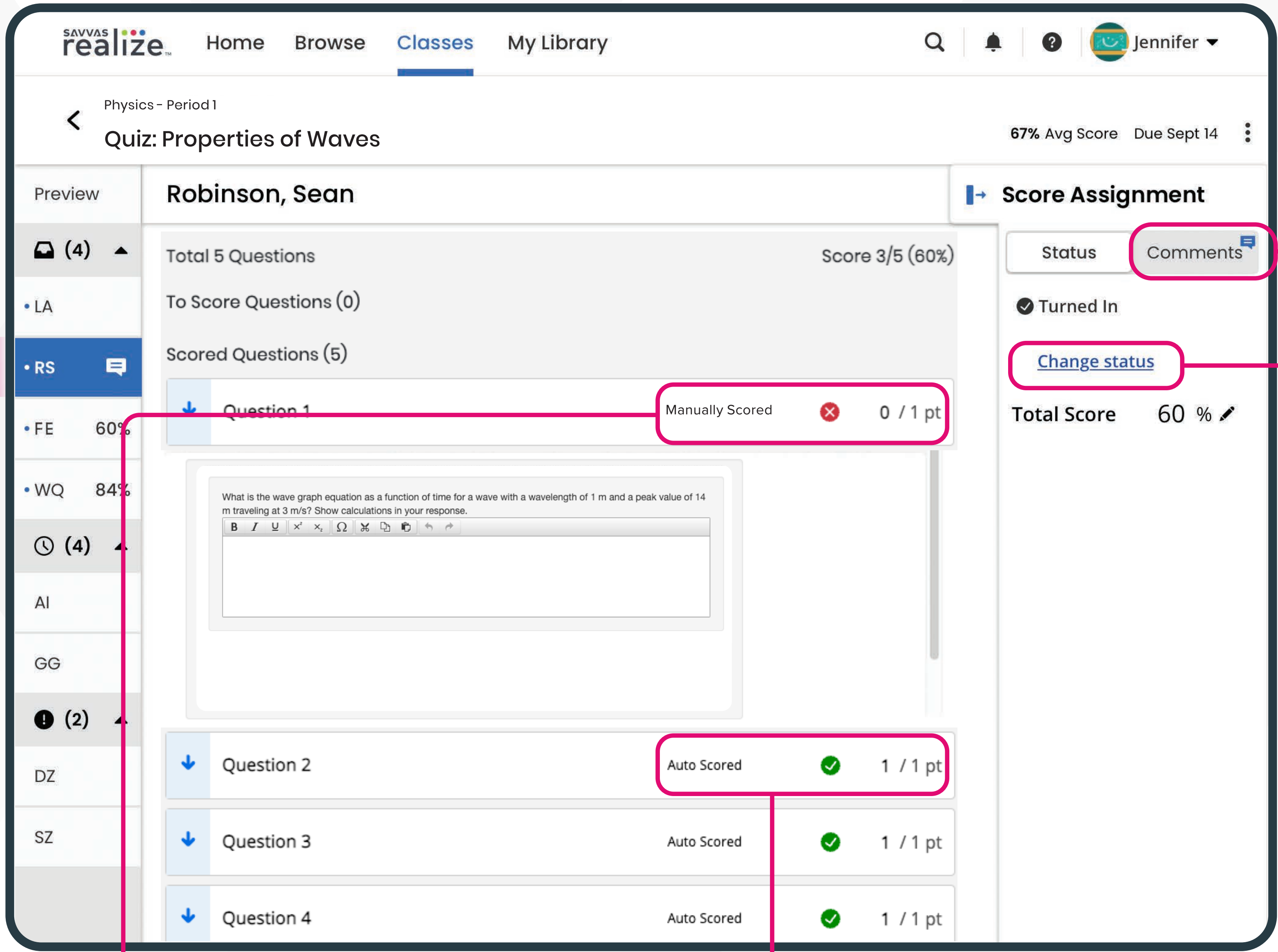
With a dynamic layout, your scoring page optimizes to the task at hand – it expands the information you need and shrinks the stuff you don't.

Scores travel with students if they transfer to a new class within the school or district, making it easier to pick up where they left off.

Teacher's Preview

See a full list of students, organized by their progress on the assignment.





Provide Feedback

Read and respond to student comments or leave your own feedback.

Return Assignments for Redo

If a student accidentally submits an assignment early or forgets to submit a completed one, you can **Change Status** to return the assignment or submit it for the student.

Manually Score Items

Open-response questions can be manually scored by selecting the item from the list.

Review Auto-Scored Responses

Savvas Realize® will automatically score multiple-choice items, but you can click on **auto-scored** items to see the submitted answers.

Student Home Page

Both the Savvas Realize® student and teacher interfaces are designed to mimic one another, so you and your students can navigate in parallel.

Realize for Students and Parents

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Navigate Anywhere

Menu options on the Home Page allow your student to **Browse** their digital content, access all of their Realize **Classes**, and view their **Grades**. These menu options are available from every Realize page.

Find Content

To search for content in Savvas Realize, click the magnifying glass icon at the top right of any page.

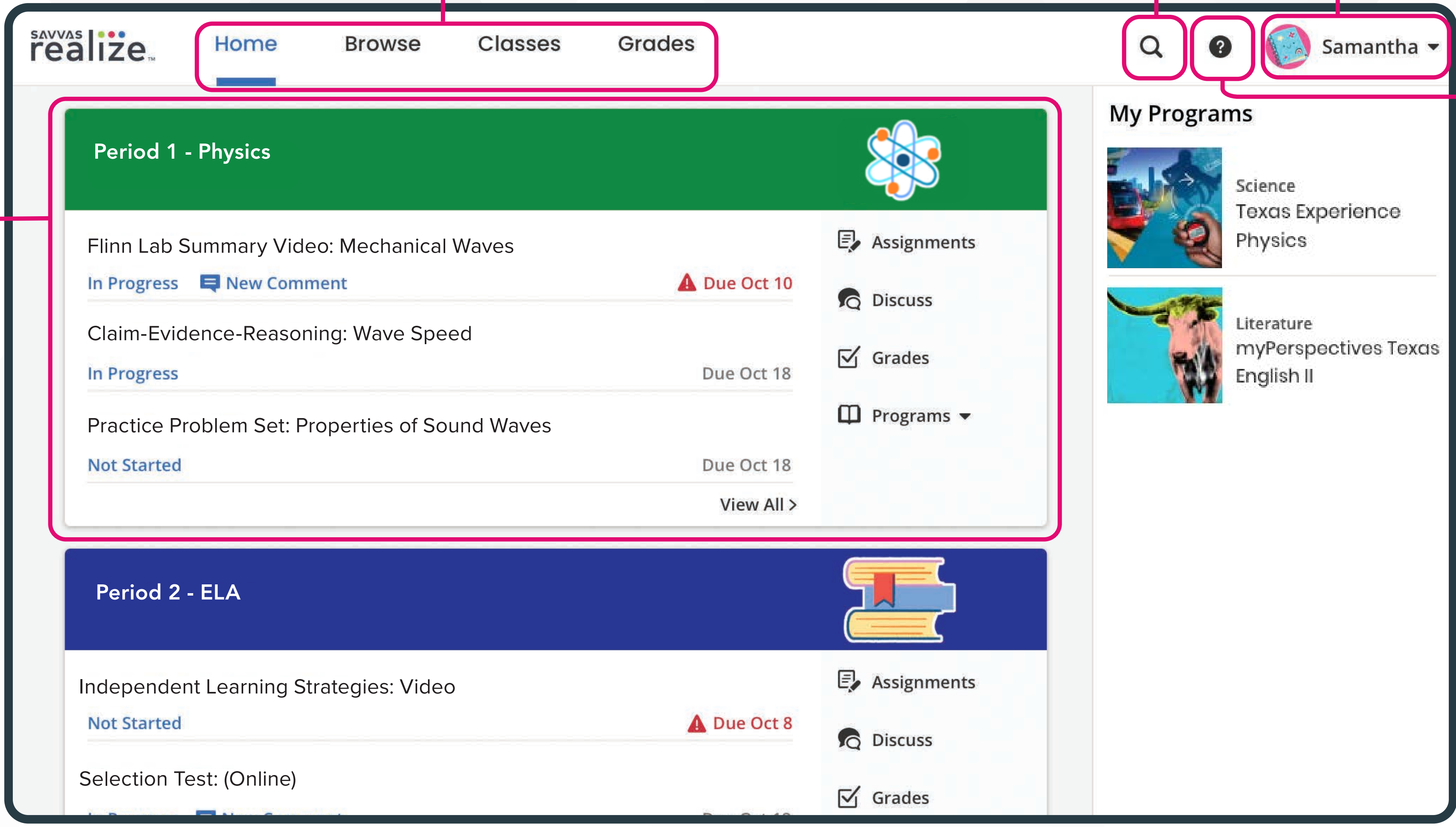
Student Profile

Students can click the Profile icon at the top right of any Savvas Realize page to access the following:

1. The **Settings Menu** allows students to select a language and customize their Profile Home Page images.
2. Click **Sign Out** to close Savvas Realize®. This is especially important if your student is sharing a computer or device with others.

At-a-Glance Info

For each of their Savvas Realize classes, students have a class card that includes recent **assignment information**, alerting them to comments and reminding them of due dates. Cards also provide access to each class's **Discussions**, **Grades**, and **Programs**.



Get Help

The Help Menu allows students to get support on any Realize page, and to search for additional help resources.

Accessible Learning

Savvas Learning Company supports Universal Design for Learning (UDL) principles to help all students access our high-quality instructional materials.

Font Adjustments

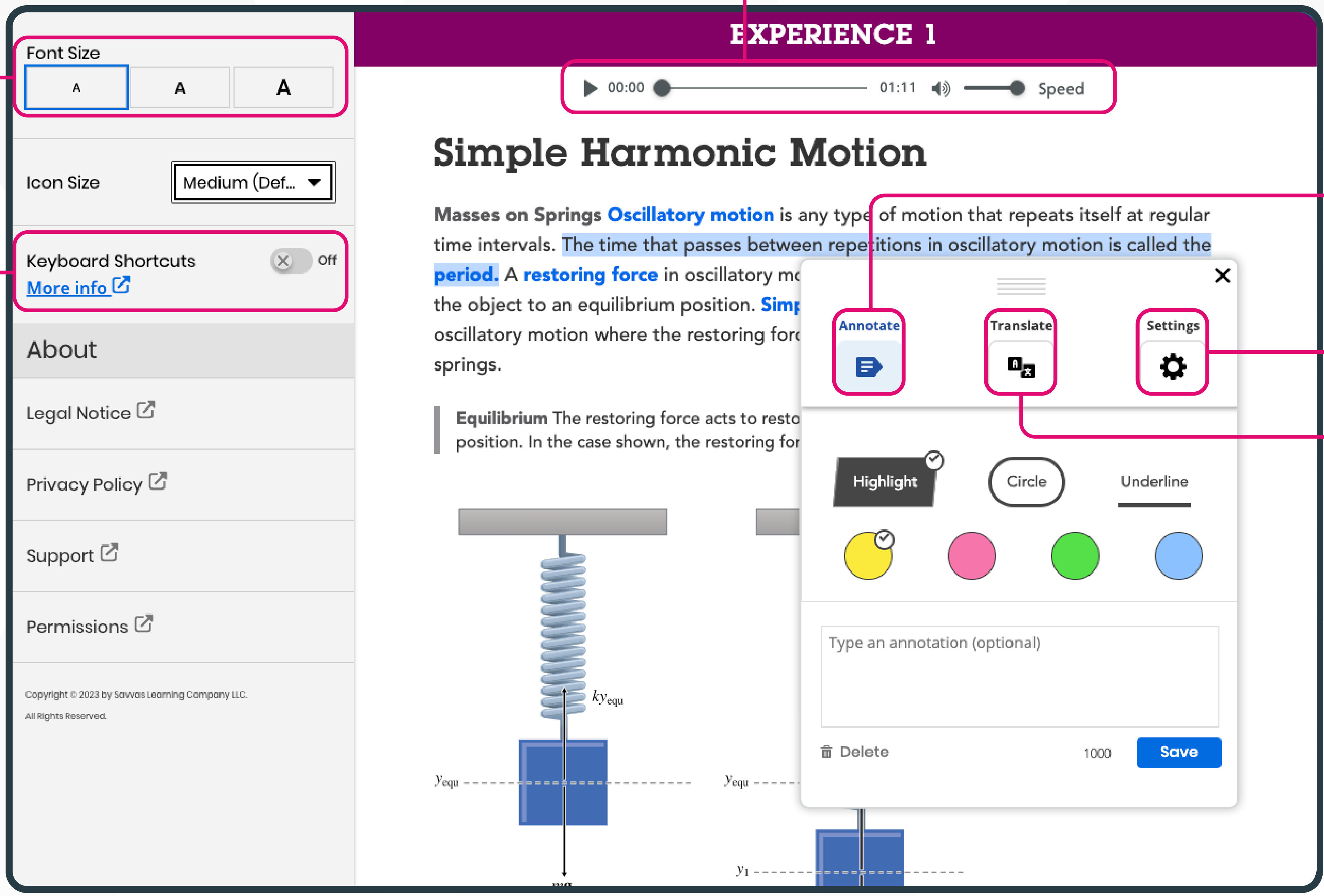
Easily adjust font size for optimal viewing. Text can be resized without assistive technology up to 200%.

Keyboard Shortcuts

Use keyboard shortcuts to quickly access menus and navigation buttons using your keyboard.

Audio

Turns written text into spoken word. Improve listening skills and overall level of comprehension by adjusting audio speed.



Annotations

Students can highlight, circle, and underline in multiple colors and add notes to each.

Settings

Select a default language for translation.

Translate

Highlighted text can be translated into over 100 languages. Many translations also include audio read aloud in the selected language.

Additional Accessibility Features:

Images: Alt-tagging of navigation elements and content images.

Video Closed Captioning: All student-facing videos have either text on screen or closed captioning.

Refreshable Braille Displays: The Student Editions, including image tags, are compatible with JAWS and will also work with refreshable Braille displays. Captions are in SRT format.

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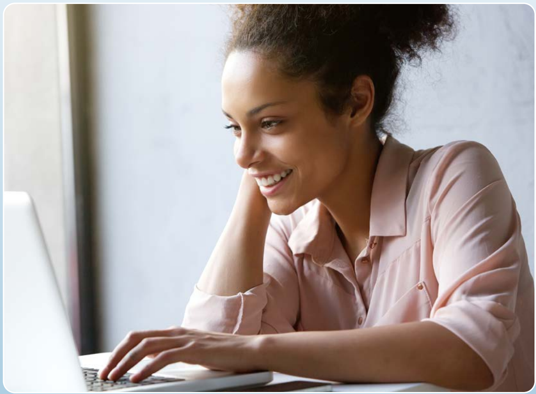
Support For Savvas Realize

We are here when you need us.

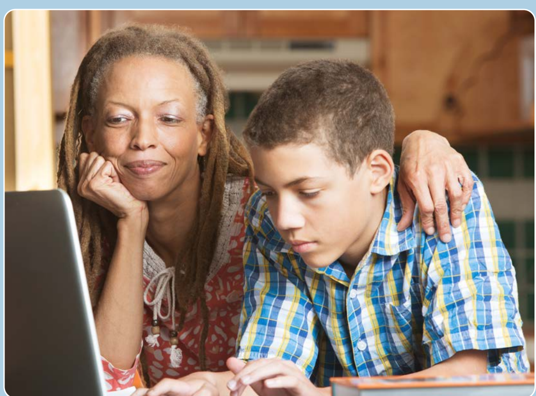


Support.Savvas.com

For helpful troubleshooting tips and to get in touch with support.

mySavvasTraining.com

For on-demand training, videos, and tutorials for all your favorite programs.



Parents.Savvas.com

Questions at home? Our "Parent's Corner" gives helpful tips and tricks to learners and those who support them wherever they are.

Status.Savvas.com

Subscribe to receive updates if Savvas Realize® has planned or unplanned downtime.

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