



To digitally access *A Natural Approach to Chemistry* portal for North Carolina.

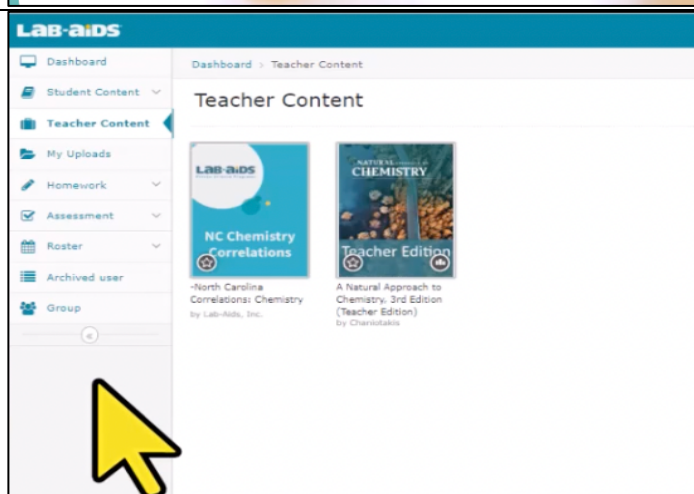
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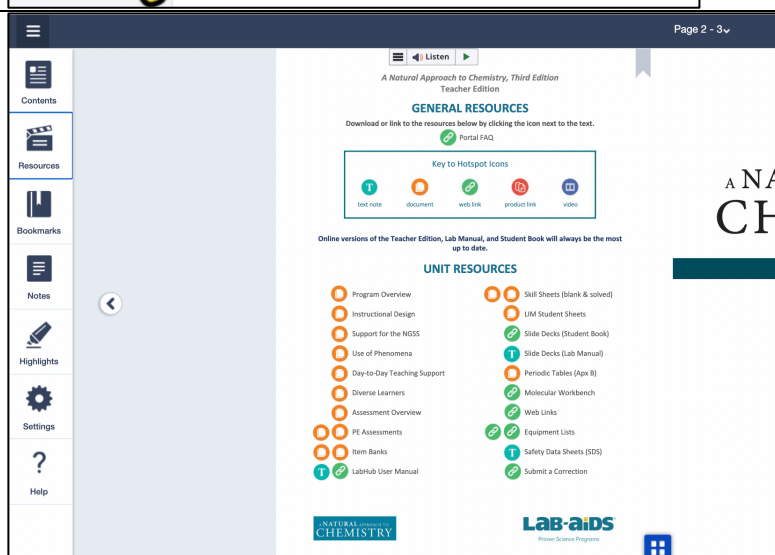
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Click Log In



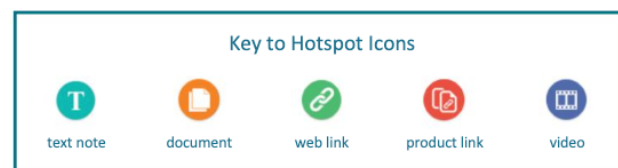
When you first log in, you'll be brought to the *Teacher Content* menu, which displays products only available to teachers (Teacher Edition and the North Carolina correlations).

When you click the North Carolina Chemistry Correlations: you will see the correlations for North Carolina Standards Course of Study for Chemistry.



You will see on Page 2 of the Teacher's Edition a Tools and Resources page with quick links to Day to Day teaching support, slide decks, student skill sheets, Diverse Learner Support, Item Banks and more.

You can also get direct links on the left navigation under Resources.



The screenshot shows the digital navigation interface for 'A Natural Approach to Chemistry, Third Edition, Teacher Edition'. The left sidebar contains a 'CONTENTS' menu with icons for Home, Resources, Table of Contents, Introduction, and various chapters. The main area displays the 'GENERAL RESOURCES' section, which includes a 'Key to Hotspot Icons' (text note, document, web link, product link, video) and a list of 'UNIT RESOURCES' for each chapter. A yellow hand icon points to the 'Table of Contents' link in the sidebar.

### General Navigation:

**Table of Contents:** Use the *Table of Contents* to navigate to specific activities/sections and chapter supports

Use the **Introduction** to get a quick overview of the course to see how each component, Student Book, Laboratory Investigation Manual, Teacher's Edition and Equipment work together for the Chemistry course.

The screenshot shows the digital navigation interface for 'A Natural Approach to Chemistry, Third Edition, Teacher Edition'. The main area displays the 'Overview' section, which includes a 'Themes' list, a 'Unit Overview' table, and a 'Unit Resources' list. A yellow hand icon points to the 'Unit Overview' table.

### Course Overview:

Use the Overview to access the overall scope and sequence and the instructional design of the course.

Page view in the Teacher's Edition can be modified to a 1 page or 2 page view depending on viewing preferences.

The screenshot shows the digital navigation interface for 'A Natural Approach to Chemistry, Third Edition, Teacher Edition'. The main area displays the 'Student Book' and 'Laboratory Investigation Manual' sections. A yellow hand icon points to the 'Laboratory Investigation Manual' section.

### Pacing Guide:

When you click on a specific Chapter it will take you directly to the chapter to access the chapter specific overview, connections to prior chapters and a 10-day pacing guide.

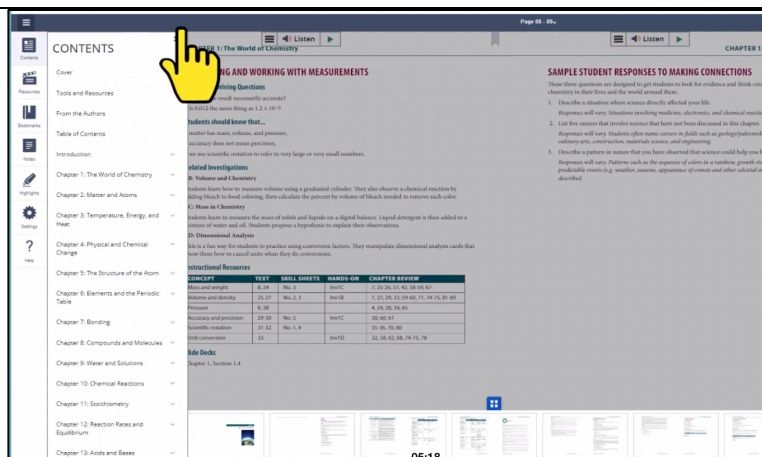
It will show you how the Student book and Laboratory Investigation Manual come together.

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### Navigating Within a Chapter:

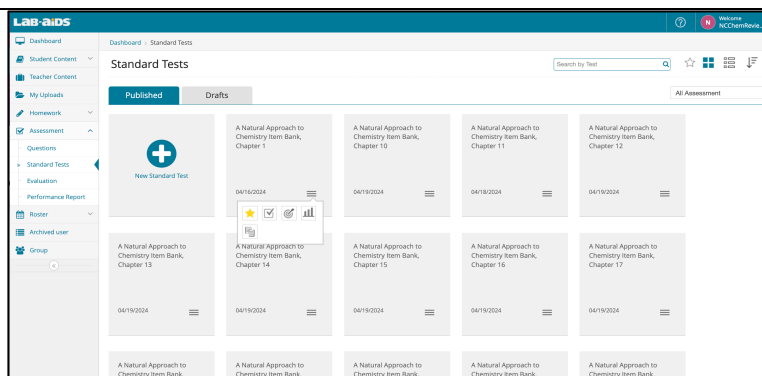
Instructional supports within the chapter will see the following:

- 5E support
- Possible misconceptions
- Student assessment outcomes and strategies
- Science background
- Teaching strategies
- Detailed instructions for teaching the activities



Navigation features through the portal include:

- **Next/Previous Buttons** on the left and right side of the page
- **Blue thumbnail** icon to show thumbnails of viewed pages
- **"Page" option up top:** Click on the existing page number and enter in the page number you'd like to navigate to directly.
- **Left Menu:** Contents: Click Contents to browse to a specific page or activity.
- **Search feature:** Search for a specific word or phrase to find in the book.



**Assessments:**

**From the Teachers Edition to view**

Assessments, click Back to Library to go to the main menu.

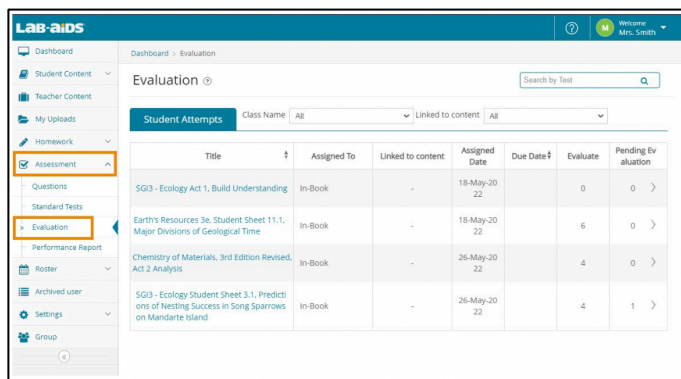
**Assessment questions** are available from the Table of Contents in the left-hand menu. Scroll down to Assessment and you will see *Questions*, *Standard Tests*, *Evaluation* and *Performance Reports*

**Evaluating Student Responses when classes are loaded in the course:**

From a teacher account, navigate to *Assessments* >> *Evaluation* from the left-hand menu.

The student questions will automatically appear in the *Evaluation* screen once the first student begins typing a response.

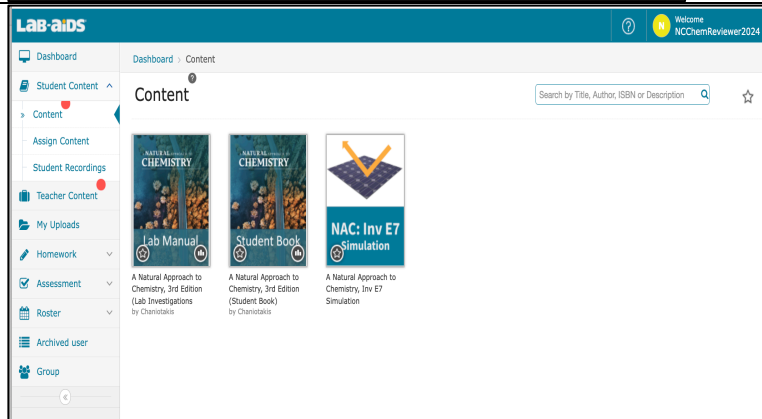
- To find a specific assessment more easily, teachers can use the search bar in the top right to type in search terms.



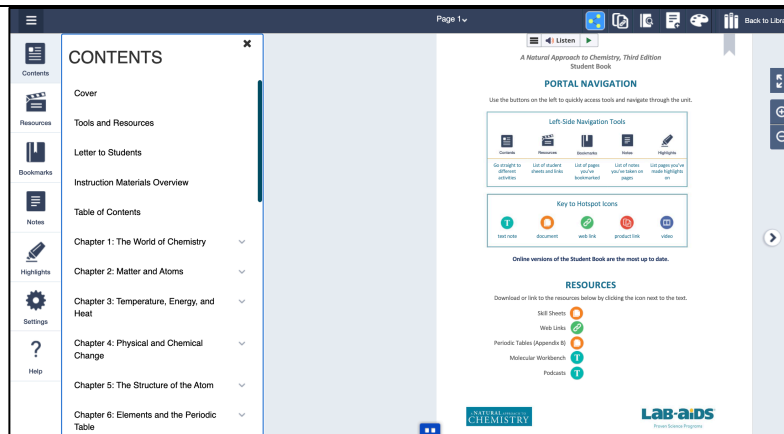
**Accessing Student Books**

To view student content, click Back to Library to go to the main menu

Click *Student Content* >> *Content* from the left-hand menu. This section displays titles that are available for both you and your students (Student Books, Lab Manual, and Simulation)



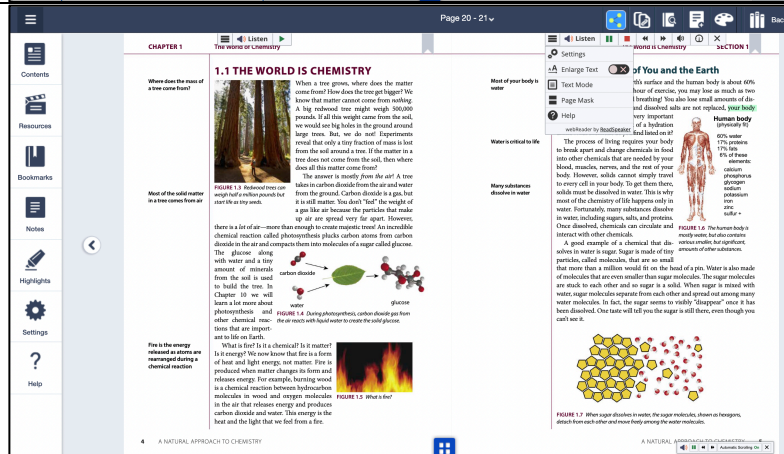




### Navigating through Student Book:

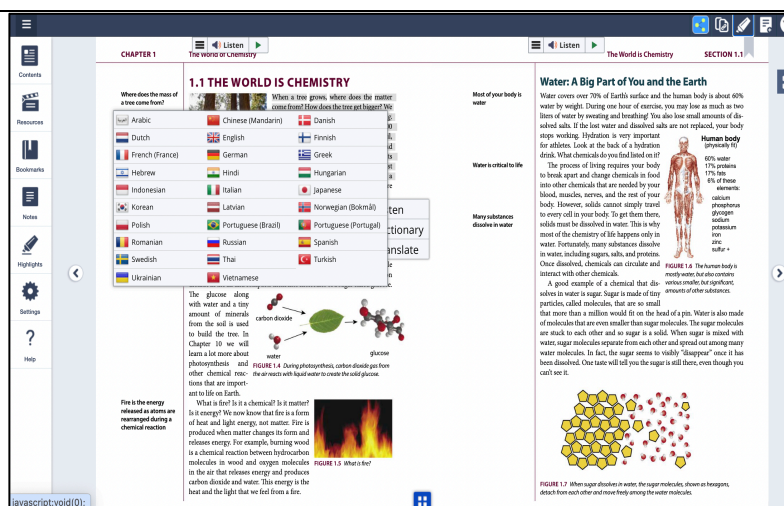
Navigating through the Student Book is similar to navigating through the Teacher's Edition.

- **Use the *Table of Contents*** to navigate through the chapters, activities, and sections.
- **Next/Previous Buttons** on the left and right side of the page



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### Translation:

ReadSpeaker can be used to have the text read to them. They can also highlight text to be read to them. Text can be translated in more than 29 different languages in a native speaker's voice.

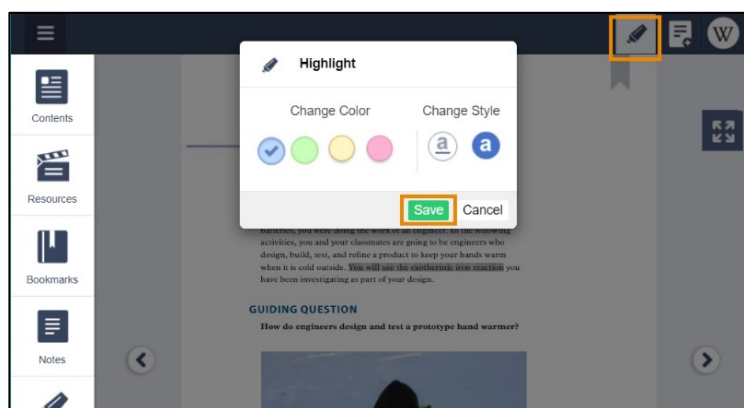
Highlight a selection of text.

Click the *Translate* option that appears. Select language.

Customize audio and text settings by clicking the menu icons at the top of the translate popup:

- Play/Pause, Stop, Volume, Reading Speed, Decrease font size, Increase font size, Text settings (customize font size, font, text colors, and text spacing)



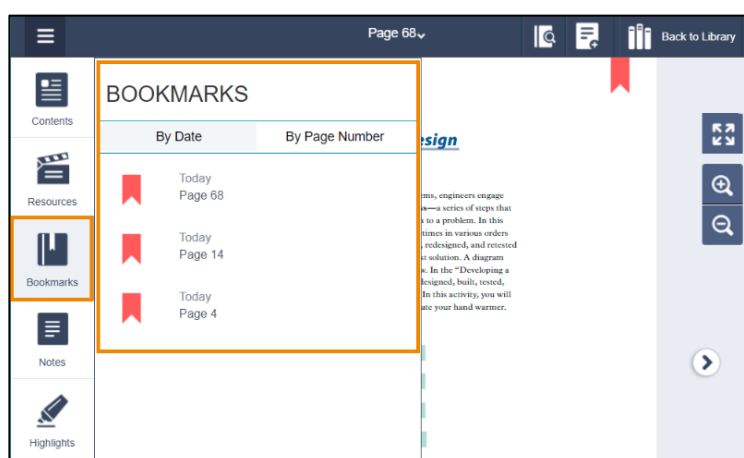


## Highlight

Highlight text you wish to highlight. Then, the highlighter icon will appear in the top right of the page.

Click the highlight icon to choose a highlight color and save.

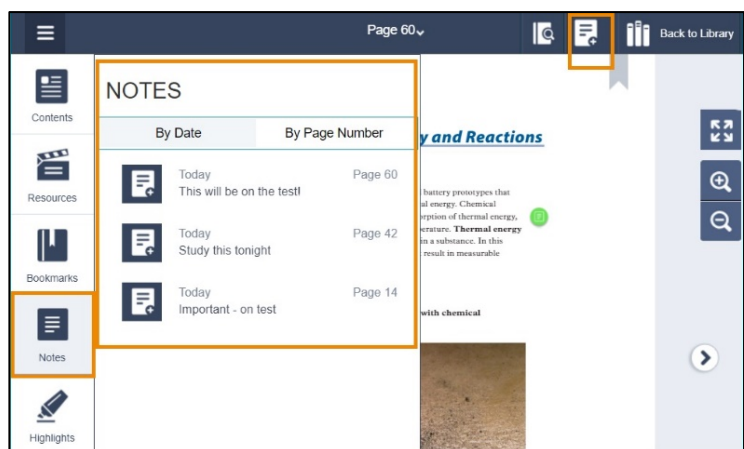
*View all highlights by clicking on the "Highlights" option on the left menu bar. You can sort highlights by date entered or by page number.*



## Bookmark

From the page you wish to bookmark, click the "bookmark" icon in the top right of the page.

*To view all bookmarks, click the "bookmarks" icon on the left side menu. You can sort bookmarks by date entered or by page number.*



## Notes

From any page in your book, click the "notes" icon on the top right of the page.

View all notes by clicking on the "Notes" icon on the left menu bar. You can sort notes by date entered or by page number.

Click anywhere on the page to add a note. Enter the text of your note. Click "save".