

**Webinar**

## **Future Ready Librarians: Investing Strategically in Digital Resources**

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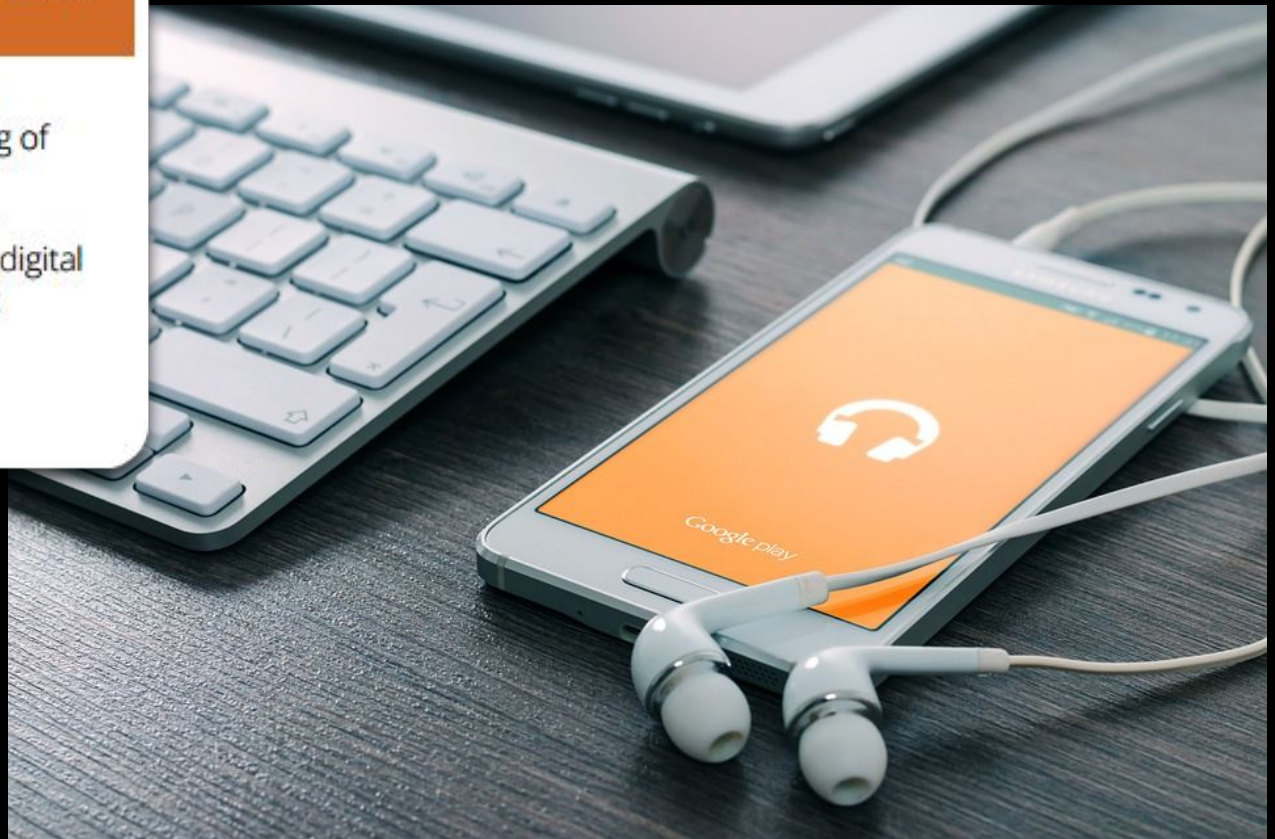
## Invests Strategically in Digital Resources



*Budget and Resources*



Leverages an understanding of school and community needs to identify and invest in digital resources to support student learning.





# The Role of Digital Content

- Instructional Use
- Student Use
- Teacher Engagement





# Content Type

- Data & Privacy
- Curriculum & Pedagogy
- Scope
- Standards Alignment
- Report Customization
- Data Points
- Subscription Based

## Advocates for Student Privacy



*Data and Privacy*



Teaches and promotes student data privacy through their instruction and role as educational leaders.



# Technology

- Authentication
- Device Agnostic
- Equitable Access
- Sustainability





# Professional Development

- Are there any barriers to entry?
- Does the platform seem intuitive?
- Are educators able to integrate and transform lessons with ease?





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# District Perspective

# School Based Perspective





# District Strategy

- Student Need
- Teaching and Learning: Curriculum Connections
- Learning Management Integration
- Accessibility
- Student Data Privacy Considerations
- Cost
- Reporting Tools- Return on Investment
- MDK12 Consortium
- Public Library Partnership



# School Strategy

- Collection Development Analysis
- Instructional Practice
- Strategic Investment
- Professional Learning





# Professional Learning and Support

- **Collection Development**
- **Instructional Partnerships**
- **Support materials for teachers**
- **Curriculum Writing collaborations**







**Q**uestions





Here are a few important keys to share!





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## *Unleashing the instructional leadership of librarians to foster schools that are Future Ready*

As schools seek to become Future Ready, it is necessary to identify and cultivate leadership beyond district and building leaders. School librarians lead, teach, and support the Future Ready goals of their school and district in a variety of ways through their professional practice, programs and spaces. If properly prepared and supported, school librarians are well-positioned to be at the leading edge of the digital transformation of learning.



## FUTURE READY LIBRARIAN SUPPORT STUDENT-CENTERED LEARNING

### LITERACY

#### Inspires and supports the reading lives of both students and teachers

Creates inclusive collections that acknowledge and celebrate diverse experiences and provide instructional opportunities to empower learners as effective users and creators of information and ideas.

### CURRICULUM, INSTRUCTION, AND ASSESSMENT

#### Curates Digital Resources

Leads in the selection, integration, organization, and sharing of digital resources and tools to support transformational teaching and learning and develops the digital curation skills of others.

#### Builds Instructional Partnerships

Partners with educators to design and implement evidence-based curricula and assessments that integrate elements of deeper learning, critical thinking, information literacy, digital citizenship, creativity, innovation, and the active use of technology.

#### Empowers Students as Creators

Encourages and facilitates students to become increasingly self-directed as they create digital products of their learning that engage them in critical thinking, collaboration, and authentic real-world problem solving.

### PERSONALIZED PROFESSIONAL LEARNING

#### Facilitates Personalized Professional Learning

Leads professional learning to cultivate broader understanding of the skills that comprise success in a digital age (e.g., critical thinking, information literacy, digital citizenship, technology).

### ROBUST INFRASTRUCTURE

#### Ensures Equitable Digital Access

Provides and advocates for equitable access to collection tools using digital resources, programming, and services in support of the school district's strategic vision.



### BUDGET AND RESOURCES

#### Invests Strategically in Digital Resources

Leverages an understanding of school and community needs to identify and invest in digital resources such as books and ebooks to support student learning.

### COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

#### Cultivates Community Partnerships

Cultivates partnerships within the school and local community (including families and caregivers, nonprofit organizations, government agencies, public and higher education libraries, businesses) to promote engagement and a community of readers.

### DATA AND PRIVACY

#### Advocates for Student Privacy

Teaches and promotes student data and privacy through his or her instruction and role as an educational leader.

### COLLABORATIVE LEADERSHIP

#### Leads Beyond the Library

Participates in setting the school district's vision and strategic plan for digital learning and fosters a culture of collaboration and innovation to empower teachers and learners.

### USE OF SPACE AND TIME

#### Designs Collaborative Spaces

Provides flexible spaces that promote inquiry, creativity, collaboration, and community.



## Case Studies

*LIBRARY EQUIPS STUDENTS TO BE GLOBALLY COMPETITIVE*, Baltimore County Schools (MD)

*FOSTERING RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION OF ONLINE INFORMATION*, Somerville Middle School (NJ)

*LIBRARIANSHIP IN THE 21ST CENTURY: PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT IS THE KEY*, Parkway School District (MO)

*BECOMING FUTURE READY: ONE DISTRICT'S COMMITMENT TO LIBRARIANS, THE USE OF OER AND DIGITAL LITERACY*, Lawrence Public Schools (KS)

*EQUITY FOR STUDENTS AND EMPOWERMENT FOR LIBRARIANS*, Nashville Metro Public Schools (TN)

*COLLABORATION: PARTNERSHIPS AND BEYOND*, Lafayette Elementary School (CA)

*IT ALL BEGAN WITH AN EMPOWERED LIBRARIAN*, Carroll Independent School District (TX)

*TURNING AN ELEMENTARY LIBRARY INTO THE HEART OF A SCHOOL*, Longwood Elementary School (IN)







## New Digital Stickers: Be Future Ready



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**Project Connect** is Follett's initiative to help librarians become future ready. Let everyone on social media know you are leading beyond the library.

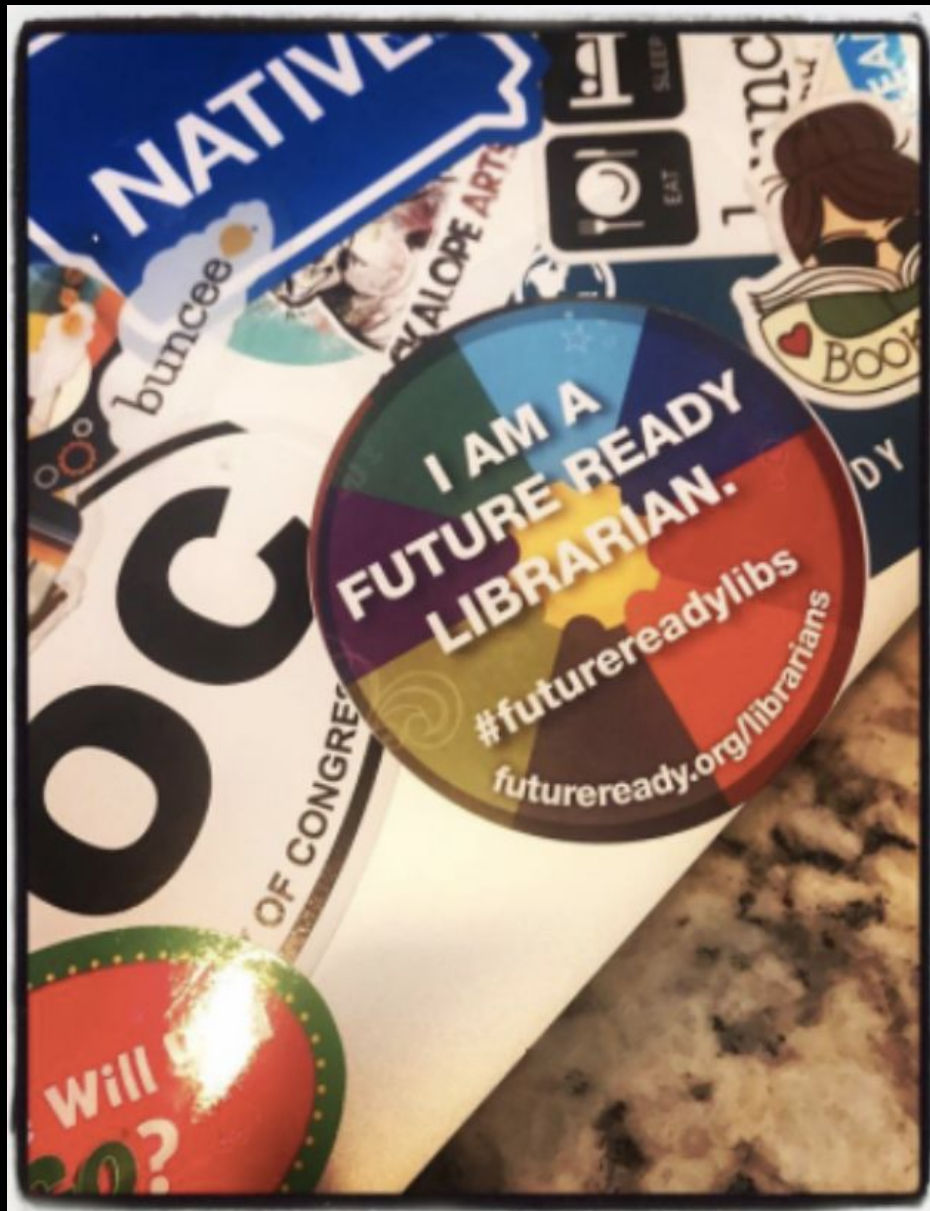
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## Future Ready Librarian Tools & Resources

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## Subjects

Professional Development



**Future Ready Librarians webpage**



## Article

<http://futureready.org/program-overview/librarians/>

An essential component to becoming Future Ready, is making a digital learning plan before purchasing technology. The Interactive Planning Dashboard offers districts a five-step collaborative planning process. Upon completion, districts have a complete digital learning implementation plan, full of research-based strategies, including



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<https://www.symboloo.com/home/mix/13ePGZc3DV>

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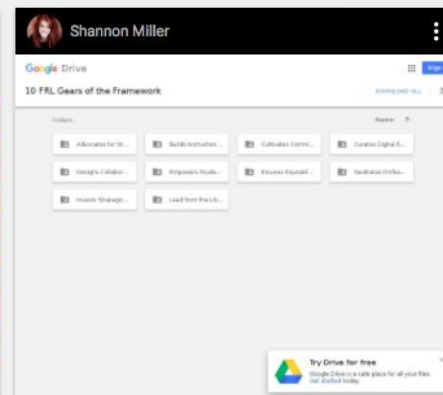
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Future Ready Institutes 2017



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3 comments

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I can't wait to see so many of you at the Future Ready Institutes throughout the year. Follow along at #FutureReadyLibs during these events too.

Mirzi Betasolo 3mo

Excited!

Anonymous 2mo


I won't make it this year but am crossing my fingers that Dallas might

### Future Ready Librarians Presentations & Videos

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Future Ready Librarian August 2017 Webinar... Designing Collaborative Spaces

Carolyn Foote, Andy Plemmons and Shannon McClintock Miller



Designing Collaborative Spaces How can school librarians support Futur... youtube

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### Future Ready Librarian Articles/Posts

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Why Not Unleash the Instructional Leadership Librarians to Foster Future Ready Schools?

By. Mark Ray



Why Not Unleash the Instructional Leadership Librarians to Foster Future Ready Schools? This is a question I've been considering for future ready schools

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Librarians can play central role in creating 'Future Ready' schools

# Future Ready Librarian Resources Padlet






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## Here is what we, as Future Ready Librarians, do in each one of the wedges!

Share what you do specifically to lead, teach and support in each one of the wedges. Examples, links, events, ideas, etc...

Literacy	Personalized Professional Learning	Curates Digital Resources	Builds Instructional Partnerships	Empowers Students As Creators	Ensures Equitable Digital Access	Invests Strategically in Digital Resources
<p>Anonymous 1mo</p> <h3>Monthly Themes</h3> <p>Each month, our library selects a theme to focus its literacy efforts. We market via hall posters, social media, weekly bulletins to parents and staff and daily announcements to students. In October, we embraced the obvious...horror genre, incorporating it into our annual Teens DO Read celebration. This theme brought to fruition through themed book displays, students sharing original ghost stories and their most recent reads, selecting donated and weeded books for their home libraries ("Take a Book as a Treat") and enjoying a book talk with an author. Our November theme is "War and Peace". A dual focus on the world wars and building peacemaking skills.</p> 	<p>Anonymous 2mo</p> <h3>ABLE / Library Learning Online</h3> <p>The Idaho Commission for Libraries offers free asynchronous online courses to help people learn basics about working in libraries.</p> <p><a href="https://libraries.idaho.gov/library-development/able/">https://libraries.idaho.gov/library-development/able/</a></p>  <p>Library Learning Online Library Learning Online has self-paced tr... idaho commission for libraries</p> <p>Anonymous 2mo</p> <h3>Storyboard That is a fun story creator website</h3>	<p>Cristi Johnson 2mo</p> <h3>We use Symbaloo to curate copyright free resource sites and apps. Destiny Collections based on specific topics for teachers and Scrible for research. We also link to the public library digital resources. We also make sure our website links to all our resources for 24/7 access.</h3> <p>Jenny Takeda 2mo</p> <h3>Embedding Smore Newsletter in Destiny</h3> <p>Smore newsletters embed very nicely and easily into the Destiny classic Home page. It's a great way to feature specific topics or themes such as Digital Citizenship Week, Banned Books</p>	<p>Anonymous 2mo</p> <h3>Collaborative and Instructional Tool</h3> <p>I use this tool for instruction and collaborations</p> <p>Terry Maguire 2mo</p> <h3>Be Visible &amp; Lighten Others' Loads</h3> <p>I check in with teachers face-to-face regularly and attend all subject-area meetings (unless a class is booked then). I come with ideas to enrich discussions rather than waiting to be asked. I love co-teaching with colleagues and planning units together. I want to make sure that the support I give enriches the learning targets while always being respectful of each teacher's unique style and</p>	<p>ColetteC 2mo</p> <h3>Create Interactive Posters with a Makey Makey</h3> <p>Attach a Makey Makey to posters or dioramas by connection the alligator clip to a metal brad or conductive tape and have students record audio in Scratch.</p> <p>Basic Directions here:</p>  <p>Interactive Poster Using the Makey Makey Interactive Posters Using the Makey Mak... google docs</p> <p>ColetteC 2mo</p> <h3>Tour Builder with Google Earth</h3>	<p>Jill Daley 2mo</p> <h3>Communication</h3> <p>I house tutorials on how our digital resources work in a folder on my YouTube channel and share with staff. I create videos for kids on how to access and use resources on our Virtual Library and put them in SeeSaw.</p> <p>Joni Harris 3mo</p> <h3>Communication</h3> <p>I communication regularly to families and teachers about our digital resources, including eBooks, digital subscriptions, and online resources.</p>	<p>Chelsea Sims 3mo</p> <h3>All about FREE</h3> <p>Finding and sharing those edtech tools that don't require a subscription fee. The free versions of many tools are</p> <p>Anonymous 3mo</p> <h3>Public Library Partnership</h3> <p>Look into working with the public library to share digital resources. -Ancestry.com; Lynda.com., Overdrive, etc.</p>

# Future Ready Librarian Wedge Padlet



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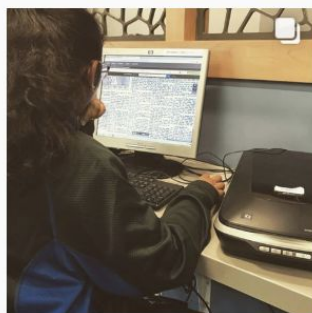
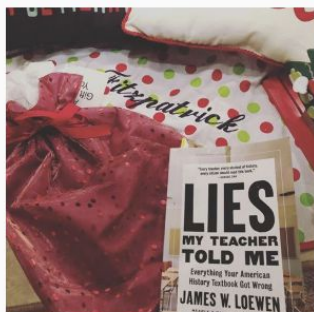


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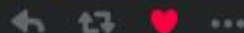




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Showing the #FutureReadyLibs the love at the #FutureReady Summit today. @thomascsmurray @All4Ed @istelib #tlchat



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**iSchool K-12 Program** @iSch... 25m  
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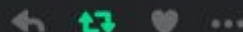
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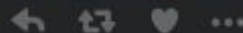
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Summit, 50 district teams dig into developing plans & learning tools for transforming schools. @FutureReady



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Angela Vann! Go Future Ready Ed Tech Plan! @FutureReady



In reply to Daniel Alston



**Tamara N. Pradel** @tamarapradel 3h  
@dalston411 @FutureReady @FRSNewJersey I love the fact the focus is not just for students but



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**Cathy Knutson** @KnutsonCathy 2d  
4th Graders @oakhills194 Go On A Virtual Field Trip With Google Tour Builder! #tlchat #digitallearning ohkidstech.blogspot.com







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