

# A Checklist to Ensure Digital Equity Is About More Than Devices and Access



**Use this checklist to expand the definition of digital equity by making digital inclusion explicit, quantifiable, and actionable.**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Does your district or school make the distinction between equality and equity?   | <input type="checkbox"/> Has your district or school prioritized ongoing professional learning for effective integration of technology into instruction and culturally responsive teaching? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Are there resources and policies in place to remove obstacles for students who have been historically and systematically under-resourced?  | <input type="checkbox"/> Since equity without literacy is impossible, is there a plan in place to develop teachers' capacity to help all students learn to read?                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Are educators empowered to rethink teaching and learning and change their practices to make digital inclusion work for every student?  | <input type="checkbox"/> Are educators equipped with adaptive blended learning tools that provide actionable data and connect learners with science of reading-aligned materials?           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Do educators have access to professional learning materials to create a road map for expanding digital inclusion through the interrelationship of teachers, students, and content? | <input type="checkbox"/> Do educators have agency to teach literacy based on the science of reading and the systematic application of Structured Literacy?                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Do your educators endorse the description of the instructional core learning model as a comprehensive approach to plan, assess, and support the fundamental drivers of learning?   |   |

Lexia's unique, expanded framework for equity offers support and direction to educators that includes instructional, digital, and cultural equity. Research-based principles offer clarity for both education leaders and teachers to expand equity to accelerate literacy and improve teacher efficacy.

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