



5.3. COMMUNITY AND PARTNERSHIP BUILDING: DIGITAL RESOURCES GUIDE

This guide brings together a curated selection of digital tools and resources that support teachers in building strong school-community partnerships for applied learning.

Ecosystem Resources

- **Sikshana Parent App** Sikshana Foundation – Enables teachers to engage with parents and get them to participate in their child's learning activities in school and at home. sikshana.org/Products/Technology/
- **Content Kits** India Literacy Project – Provides state-specific best practice guides, classroom and teacher professional development materials. www.ilpnet.org/download/
- **School Improvement Tool** Australian Council for Educational Research – A tool for classroom observation with multiple domains and sub-domains that include communication and demeanour, learner involvement and engagement, setting expectations and preparedness, subject knowledge and teaching strategies, classroom management, and closure. www.acer.org/au/research/school-improvement-tool

Curriculum Resources

- **National Initiative for School Heads' and Teachers' Holistic Advancement (NISHTHA)** – Offers integrated training programs that support NEP 2020's Continuous Professional Development goals. itpd.ncert.gov.in/
- **Digital Infrastructure for Knowledge Sharing (DIKSHA)** – A national platform hosting open educational resources adaptable for applied learning contexts. diksha.gov.in/about/
- **Twinkl** – A paid subscription offering a library of downloadable applied learning resources for teachers, parents and schools, including unit assessments, projects and interactive games. www.twinkl.co.in/about-us

Pedagogy Resources

- **Sikshanapedia App** Sikshana Foundation – Provides a wide range of educational content to empower rural education (specifically for members of Gram Panchayat Libraries). sikshanapedia.en.softonic.com/android
- **Teacher Instruction Kits** Vision Empower Trust – Offers guidelines for teachers to create accessible and experiential learning of concepts covered grade-wise in the curriculum for students with visual impairment. visionempowertrust.org/teacher-instruction-kit/

Assessment Resources

- **Sikshana OMR Solutions** Sikshana Foundation – Supports large-scale learning assessments across vast geographical areas. sikshana.org/Products/Technology/
- **Sikshanapedia App** Sikshana Foundation – Provides differentiated teaching strategies, lesson plans, and tailored assessment strategies for members of Gram Panchayat Libraries in various villages across Karnataka. sikshanapedia.en.softonic.com/android