

Creating and Sharing Collections in the Learning Center

Presented by: Flavio Mendez



Agenda

Using the "My Library" tool

- Adding resources
- Creating/sharing collections







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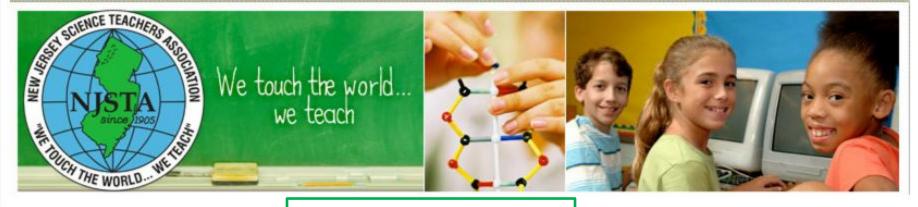
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Look through our new calendar to see some of the NJSTA profession.

development and other science events that have come to our attention.

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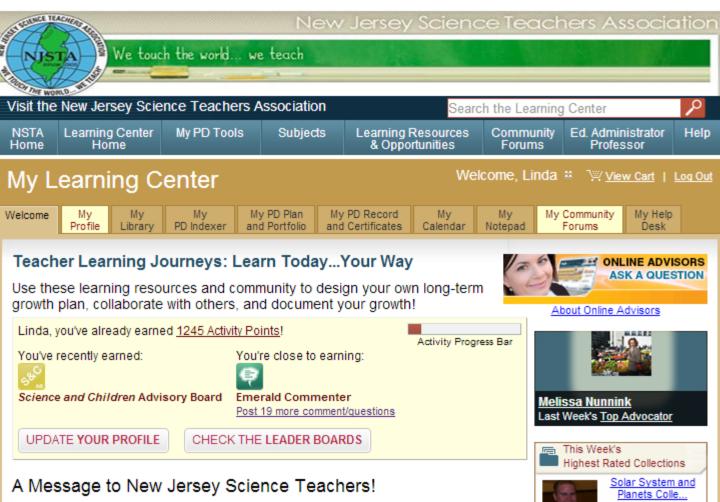
The vision of the Association is to excite, empower and energize all science teachers in the State of New Jersey. NJSTA strives to support and recognize science educators at all levels for their dedication and professionalism, advocates high quality science instruction in varied and diverse settings and — through leadership and service — seeks to generate and promote public interest in science and science education for all.

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The Learning Access Center is available only to NJSTA members.

Dave's (Physics) Demos Rutgers University February 8, 2014, Saturday

The Next Generation in Life Sciences
Instruction - NJSTA Maitland P. Simmons
Memorial Award Summer Institute
July 14-18, 2014



Welcome to NJSTA's new home In the NSTA Learning Center! Special thanks to Linda Smith (Past President) who has worked hard with NSTA to provide our members with access to thousands of <u>free professional development resources</u> designed to enhance your content and pedagogical knowledge.

To get started, search for specific resources by keyword by visiting the <u>advanced search</u> and adding resources to your library. And you are no longer limited to New Jersey. This new resource allows you to join other educators in asynchronous <u>discussion in the community forums</u>, to <u>review and rate resources</u> in your library, <u>make and share collections</u>, and <u>upload your own resources</u>. See all the activities that earn you points and badges!

For the first time in our history, NJSTA has a place available to all of us where we can stop by, share a favorite lesson, ask for help with a problem topic, and just talk about our passion... teaching and loving science. Please feel free to stop by any time to chat with us. The NJSTA Executive Board members will be monitoring this room on a regular basis in the hopes to get to know our members better and share opportunities with them. And follow NJSTA on Facebook and

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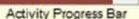
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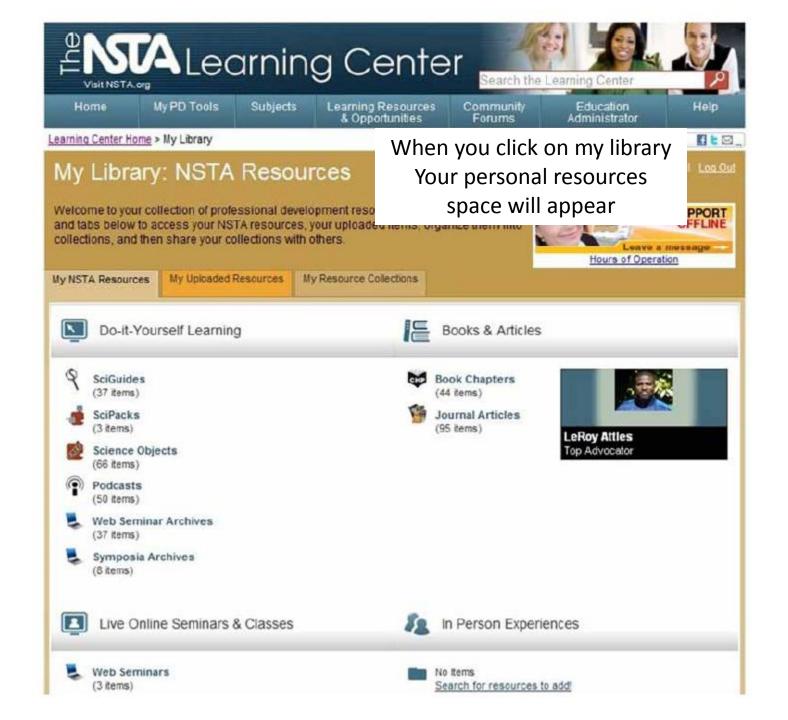


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 - Journal articles (over 1,100)
 - e-Book chapters (over 200)
 - Symposia archives
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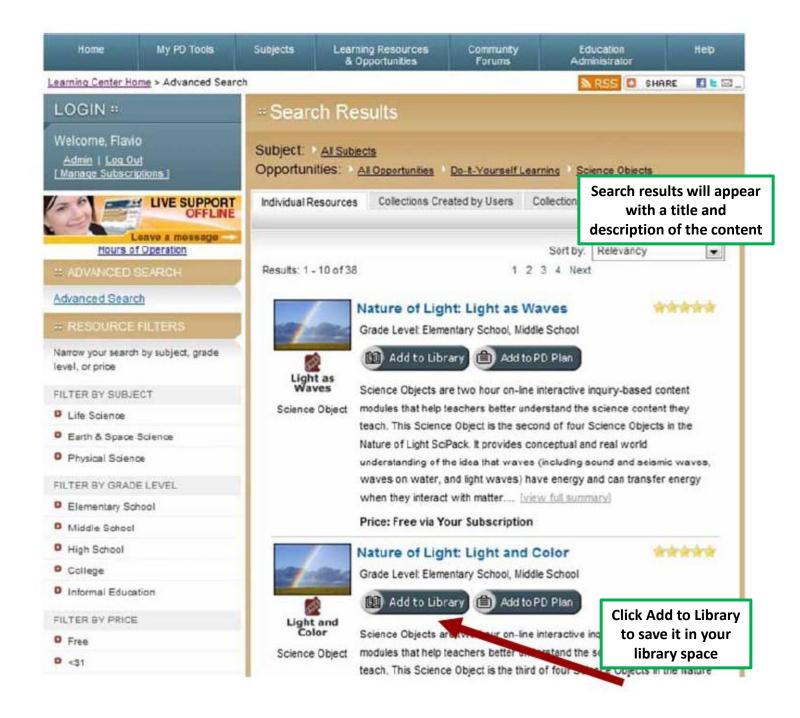
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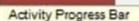
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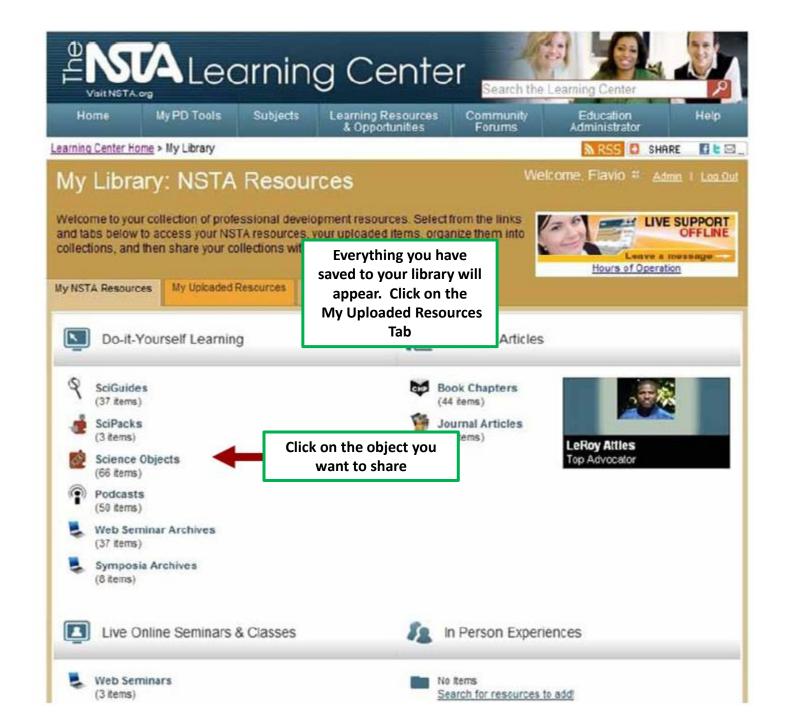


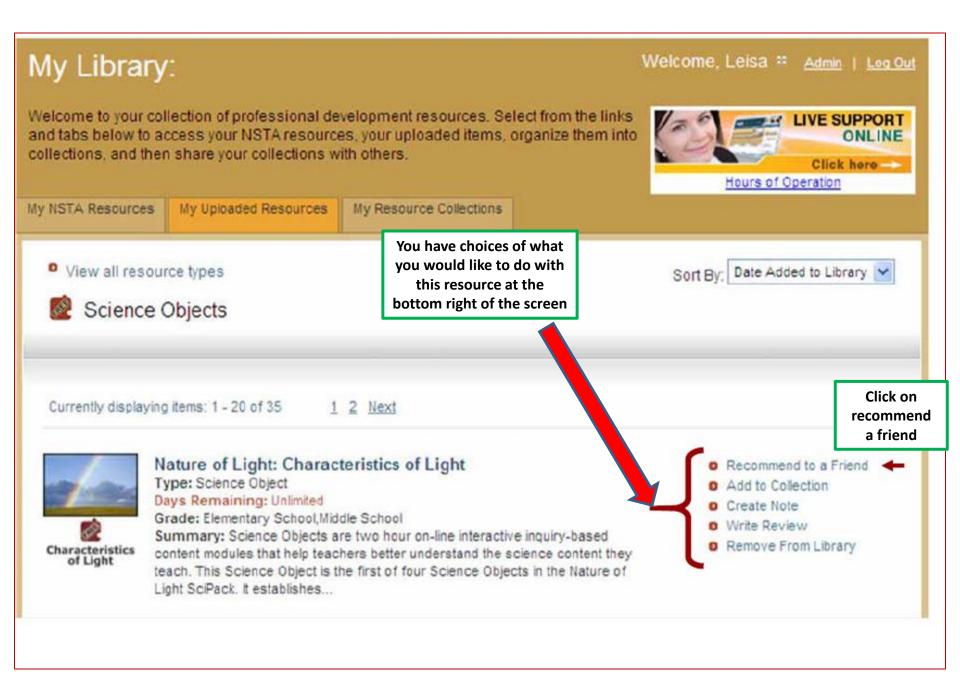
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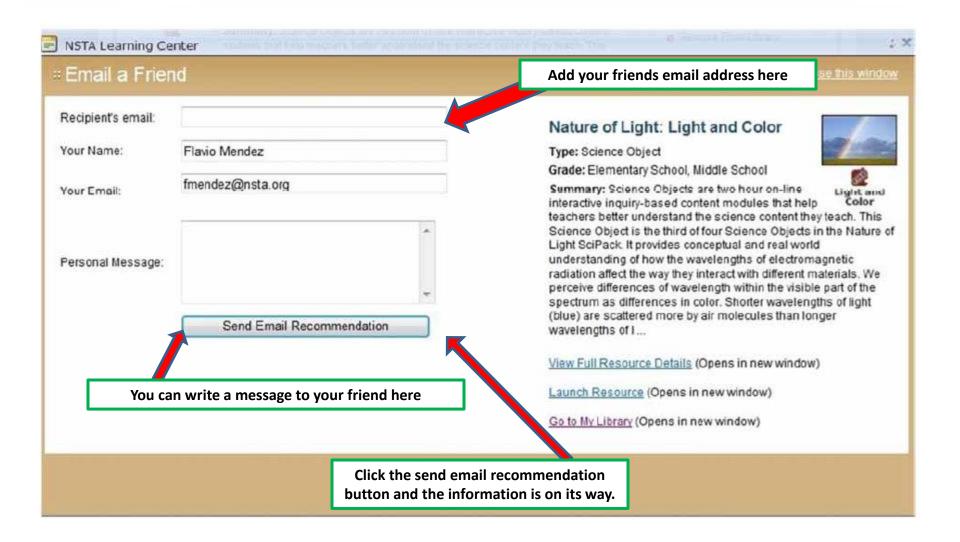
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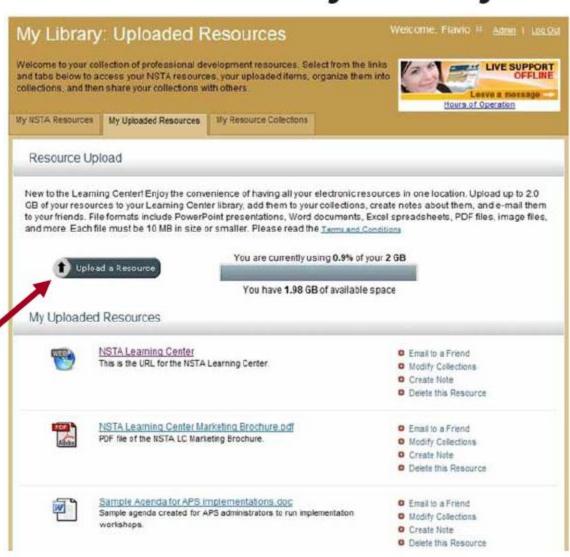


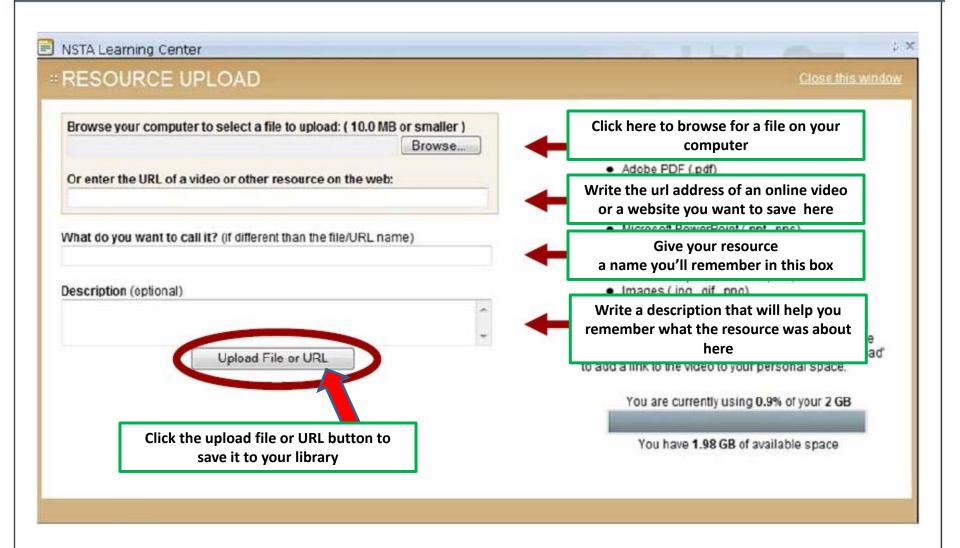


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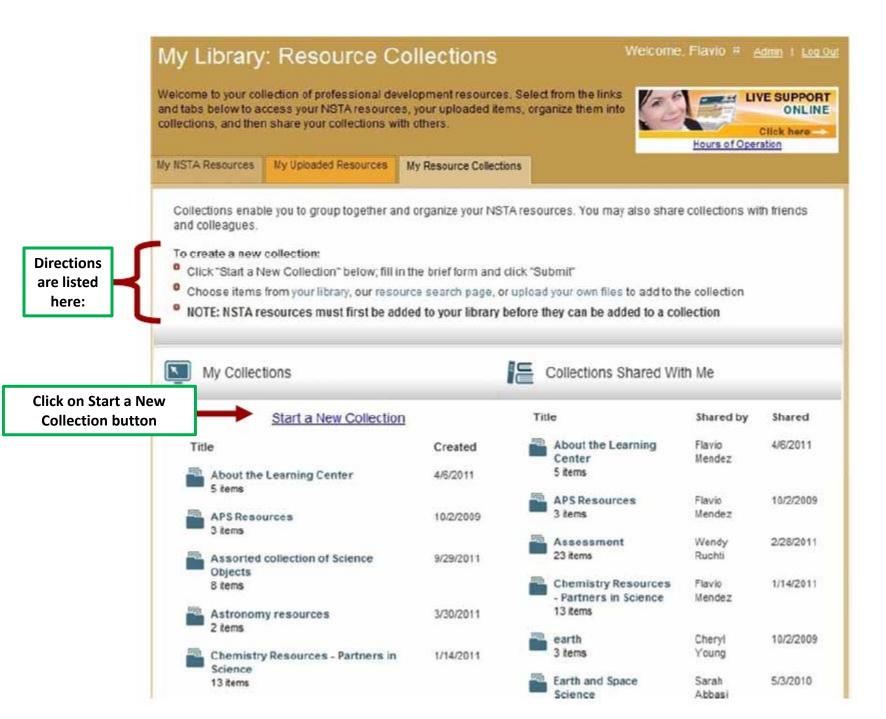
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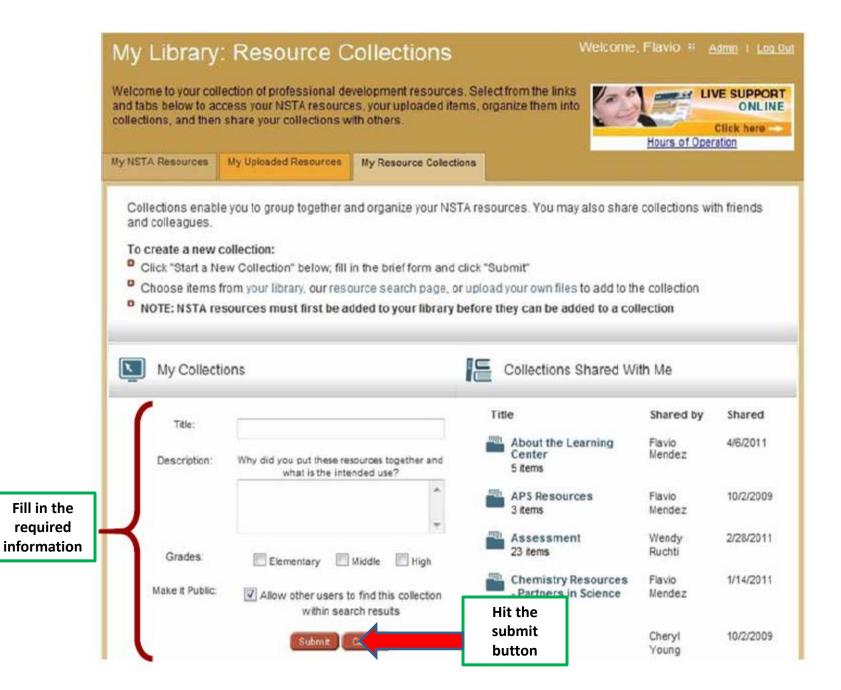
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This collection is a sample collection for a web seminar.

Intended for: Middle school

- Share this Collection Make this Collection Public

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Characteristics of Light

Nature of Light: Characteristics of Light

Type: Science Object

Days Remaining: Unlimited

Grade: Elementary School, Middle School

Summary: Science Objects are two hour on-line in

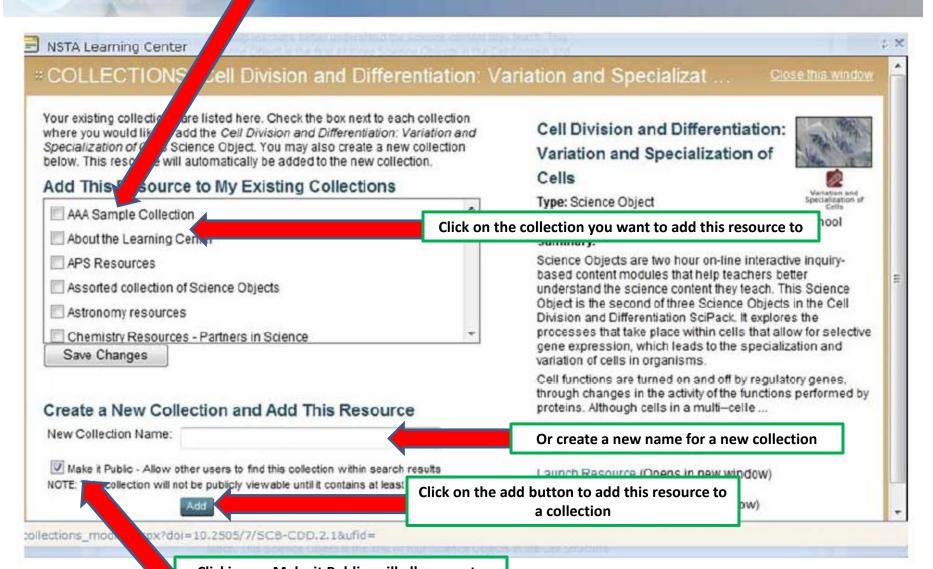
content modules that help teachers better understand the science content they teach. This Science Object is the first of four Science Objects in the Nature of Light SciPack. It establishes....

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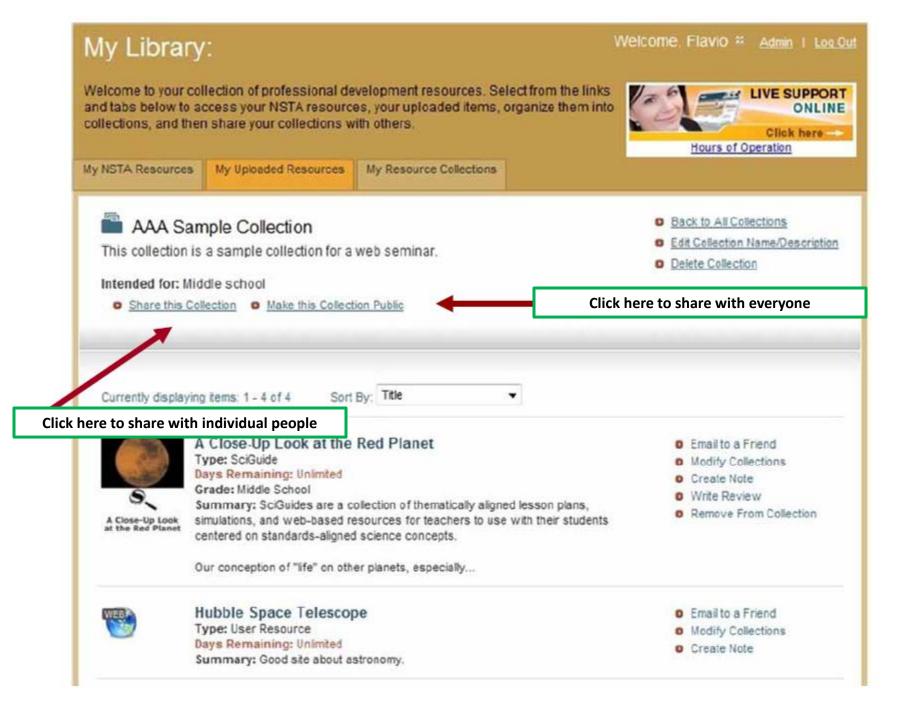
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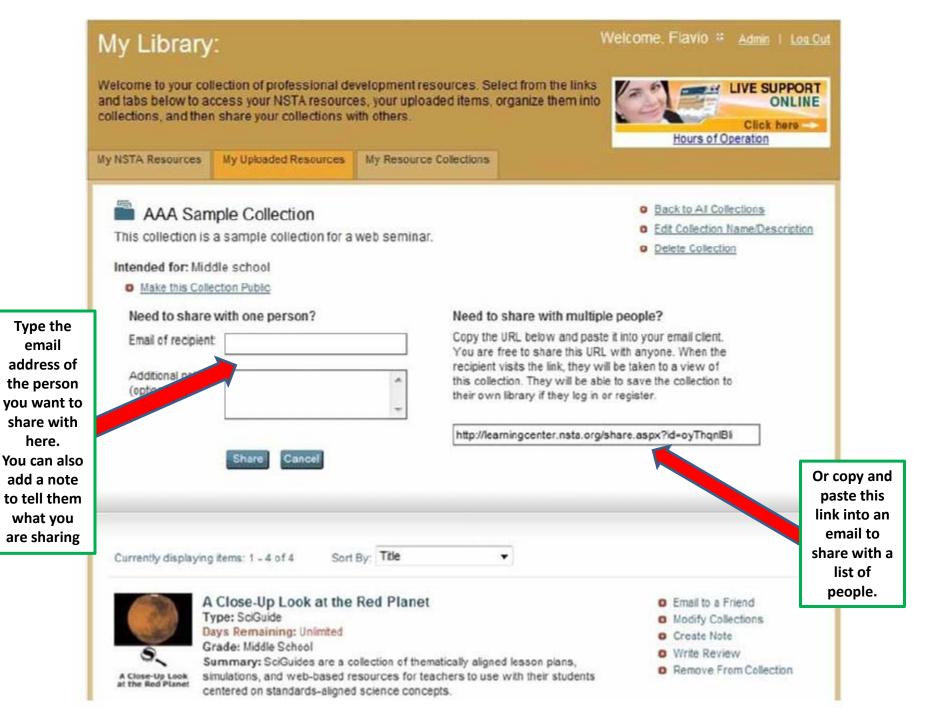
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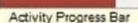
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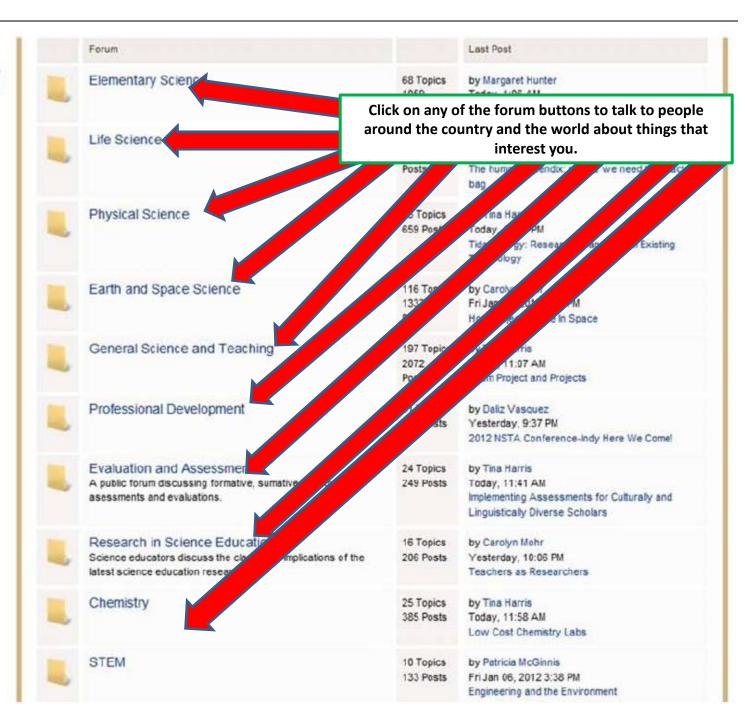
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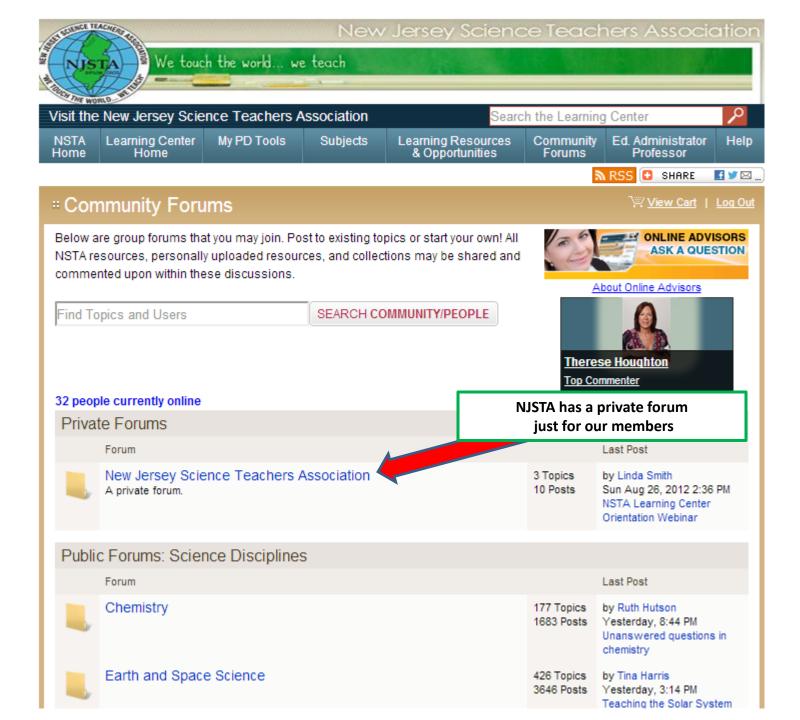


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by Adah Stock, Wed Sep 07, 2011 1:41 PM

There are lots of names for the same thing -- misconceptions, alternative conceptions, naive conceptions. Children observe their surroundings and make connections to more complex ideas. For example: A cat sits on top of a chair under the glow of a floor lamp on a cold winter morning. The cat is sitting as close as possible because the bulb produces more heat than the sun coming through a window on a cold day.

Misconception: The sun must be closer to the Earth in summer.

There are many of these misconceptions and using Page Keeley's probes we can find out what students think.

My question to all educators is as follows:

How do you as a classroom teacher handle student misconceptions so correct science is understood?

I am attaching a small collection of articles to get the ball rolling.











Adah Stock 673 Posts

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Private Message Adah

Misconceptions Collection

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Science Sampler: Why we have seasons and other common misconceptions

-Journal Article -Middle School



Science Sampler: Correcting student misconceptions

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Diagnosing and Dealing with Student Misconceptions: Floating and Sinking

-Journal Article -Middle School

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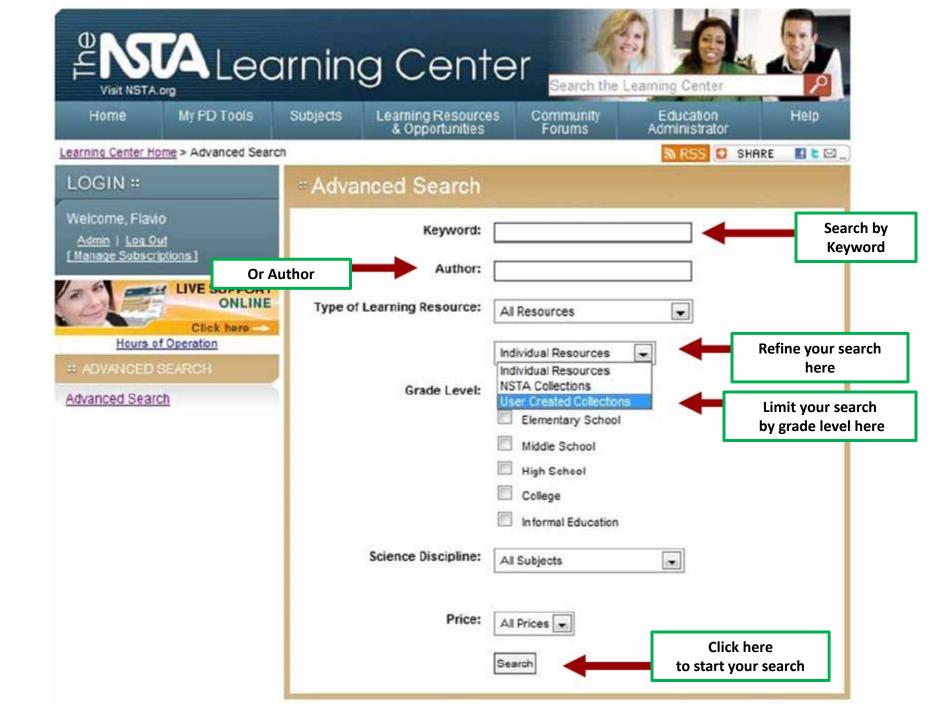
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