

TexQuest Digital Resources Authorized Access

The Texas State and Library Archives Commission (TSLAC), through the TexQuest program, provides licensed digital resources to TexQuest member institutions.

TexQuest access includes educators, students, and students' immediate family members at the following eligible institutions:

- Texas K-12 public schools
- Texas open enrollment charter schools
- Texas public/K-12 school combination libraries

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