

Exploring Digital Literacy

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Q: How many sources should I use to define each term on the DGL Vocabulary list?

A: We recommend that you look at multiple sources (2 or more) when highlighting the best definitions and explanations for the terms provided. Try to avoid using the same source for multiple terms and topics. If you use Wikipedia, online dictionaries or search engine definitions, do not use these for more than a couple of your terms.

Q: How can I learn more about the uses of Diigo?

A: We recommend exploring the toolbar options and the [Diigo Help page](#).

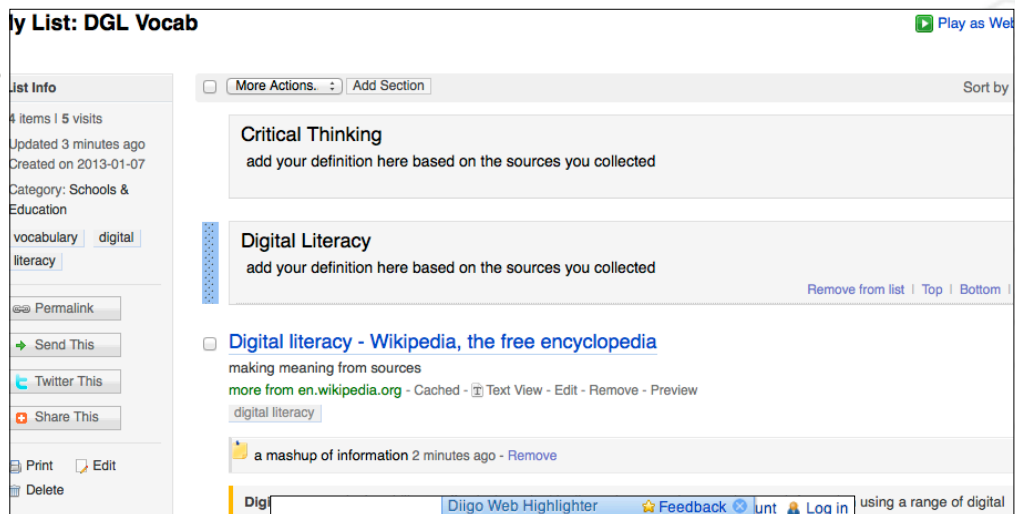
Q: What do I do if I can't find where to make a list on Diigo?

A: Bookmark at least one website into your Diigo account to access full functionality. After you add content, you can create a new list under the "My Lists" section on the left on your "My Library" page.

Q: What will my Diigo list look like?

A: This may vary slightly from one web browser to another.

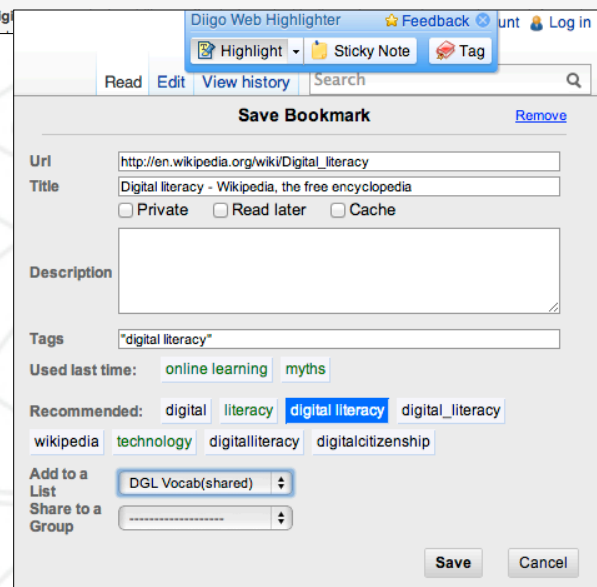
Example screenshot:



Q: What will it look like when I save my bookmarks?

A: This may vary by browser and add-on extension selected during the 1.2 Diigo activity.

Example screenshot:



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Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) continued

Q: What is the Statement of Understanding?

A: While this assignment is primarily a task of research, we want make sure that you understand the usage and meaning of the terms that you have been reviewing. We ask you to provide some statements or written work that uses at least five (5) of the terms that you have researched in a sentence. These statements can be short sentences or you can make a poem or a short story. We love to see your creativity. The point in writing these statements is show us that you understand the terms by using them correctly. These statements are not a part of the Diigo list page; you should put them on the text file or word document that you upload to the FSO page as completion of your assignment. Below are some sample submissions:

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<https://www.diigo.com/list/imastudent/Digital+Literacy+Vocabulary/2jf64d38p>

Statements

- **Digital literacy** concerns the use of digital tools and social media as well as an understanding of online behavior and practices.
- The image of Miley Cyrus dancing at the Video Music Awards has become a **meme**.
- Google Docs are **collaborative media** because several people can work on a document at the same time.
- U.S. Senator Rand Paul was accused of **plagiarism** for using some quotes from Wikipedia in his speeches without identifying them.
- The NSA is reading everyone's email and destroying our **privacy**.
- Writing these statements requires my **critical thinking**.
- My avatar picture is a symbol of my **digital identity**.

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Statement of Understanding

I **meme**, I mean, I make myself.
My **digital identify** isn't off the shelf.
It's unique to me
and my **privacy**.

I'm a **digital native** and I speak the lingo
I post in so many **social networks** its like playing bingo.