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- Significant member-only discounts on education and our annual conference
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- Online access to STC's Job Bank and discounted job postings
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- Access to a personalized Education Report Card, tracking your STC professional development over the past three years
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