STEM TIPS Spheres of Professional Support for Teachers and Coaches

- Community of Practice (Quick TIPS) and Resource Collections
  - Mentees, coaches, and mentors create discussions with the whole STEM TIPS Community of Practice
  - Easily share video, documents, or other resources
  - Resources collected, organized and vetted by veteran teachers
  - Lesson plans correlated to standards and ready for implementation
  - Both features customizable to the needs of your group even as your needs change.
  - Groups may be whole districts, individual schools, lesson study groups, mentor cohorts, or any team that needs a place to hold meetings or discussions
  - Allows for continued support after PD is delivered
  - Creates a place to collaborate around a specific topic, content area, or method
  - Gives non-content specific coaches and mentors a place to collaborate with science and math coaches

- Unlimited, Customizable Collaboration Groups and Resource Collections
  - Your organization’s coaches or mentors appear on the coaching page and can be accessed as group or individually.
  - STEM TIPS Subject Specialists are available for content consultation and to provide support for platform implementation and professional development of remote coaching best practices.
  - Mentees post private questions to the panel, a small group, or individual coach
  - Customized coaching panel allows your coaches to consult with each other confidentially about mentees and students
  - Coaches and mentees are notified of the activity to which they are subscribed via email.

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