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In addition to minor updates and bug fixes, significant updates from the February 2022 release will be highlighted below.

Product Updates

Student Profile Access for Parents

In order to give parents more access to their student's profile, we have turned on the ability for parents to view their student's portfolio. Before, the student's portfolio would be filled in by the student, but the parent would not be able to view its contents. Now, parents will be able to view this portion of the student profile.

Video Add-On Features

FocalPoint has added two new features when adding videos into a course to further customize the learning experience. The first new feature is the ability to add closed captioning onto all videos. The second new feature is the ability to change the thumbnail that users see before they play the videos.

After selecting Adding Activity > Video in the Learning tab of a Community, users will see the ability to add the CC and Thumbnail URL's for a video.
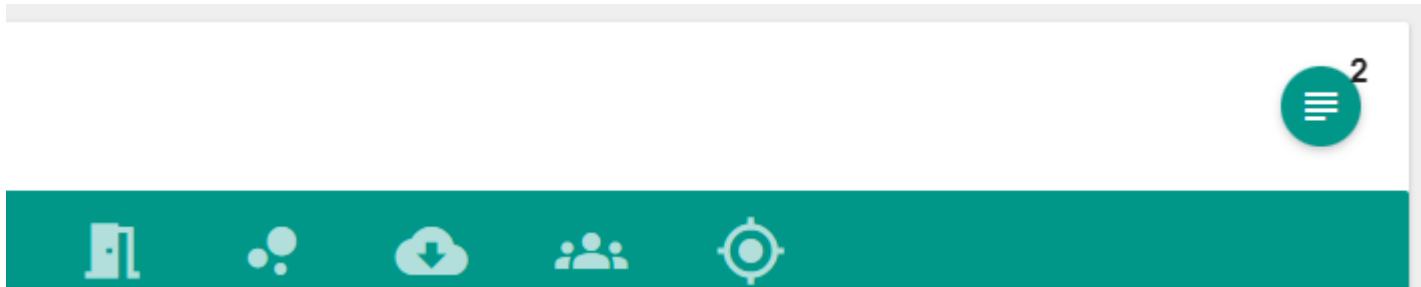
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Increased Visibility for Students with Multiple Courses in a Community

We have added an easier way for students to see when they have multiple courses assigned to them within a learning community.

When a student has more than one root goal assigned to them, they will now see the 'Select Root Goal' icon in the top right corner of the screen. The number next to the icon signifies how many courses have been assigned to them. For the student to change the course they are viewing, they will simply select the icon, then select the desired course they would like to view.

Bug Fixes

QR Code Not Generating When Awarding a Badge

Users may have noticed that when a badge was awarded, a QR code was not being automatically generated for the badge. This issue has been fixed, and now QR codes will automatically be created and applied to newly awarded badges.

Video Activity Description Not Showing for Students

There was an issue when students were opening a video activity in a learning community, the description was not showing. This has been fixed, and now students will see the description of the video when they open a video activity.

Assessment Not Available When Due Date Is Current Day

Users may have noticed in the assessment center, when an assessment is added with a start date and due date that is the present day, the launch button was not showing to take the assessment. This has been fixed, and users are now able to see and click the launch button to complete the assessment.