

# QUICK START GUIDE

## Create Account

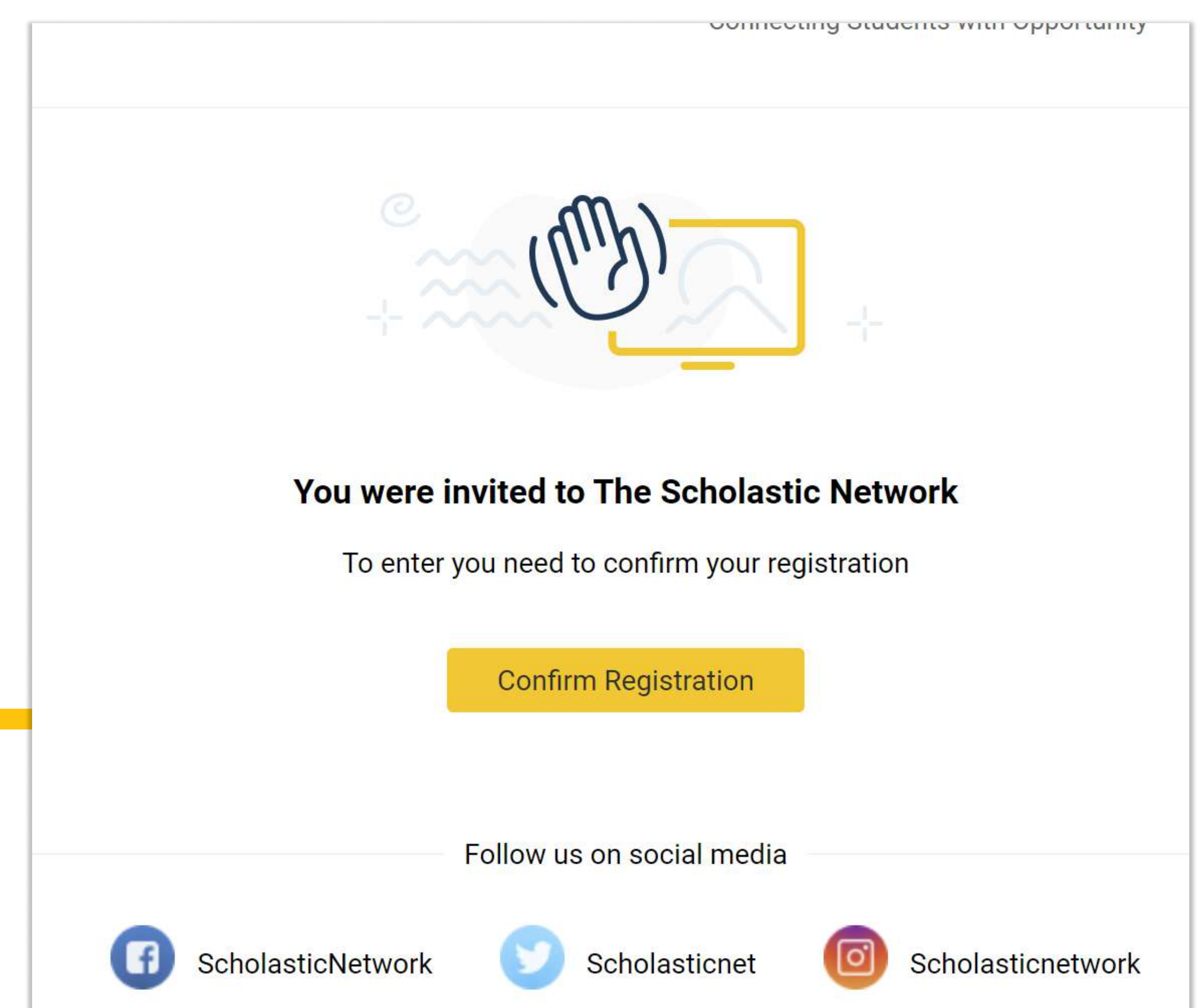
After launching the app for the first time, you will be prompted with a QR code. Using your mobile device's camera, scan the QR code to begin the registration process.



Once you have scanned the QR code, you will be directed to TSN's portal where you will then be prompted to either login or create an account. Fill out the registration form and click "Send confirmation email".

Check your email inbox. You should have received a confirmation email. Click "Confirm Registration" to finish creating your account.

A screenshot of a web form titled "Create account" with a graduation cap icon. The form has the following fields: "First name" (Minerva), "Last name" (McGonagall), "Email" (mcgonagall@thescholasticnetwork.com), "Phone" ((800) 555-3535), "Password" (masked with dots), and "Repeat password" (masked with dots). A yellow button at the bottom says "Send confirmation e-mail". Below the button, it says "By creating account, you agree to the Terms of Service and Privacy Policy".



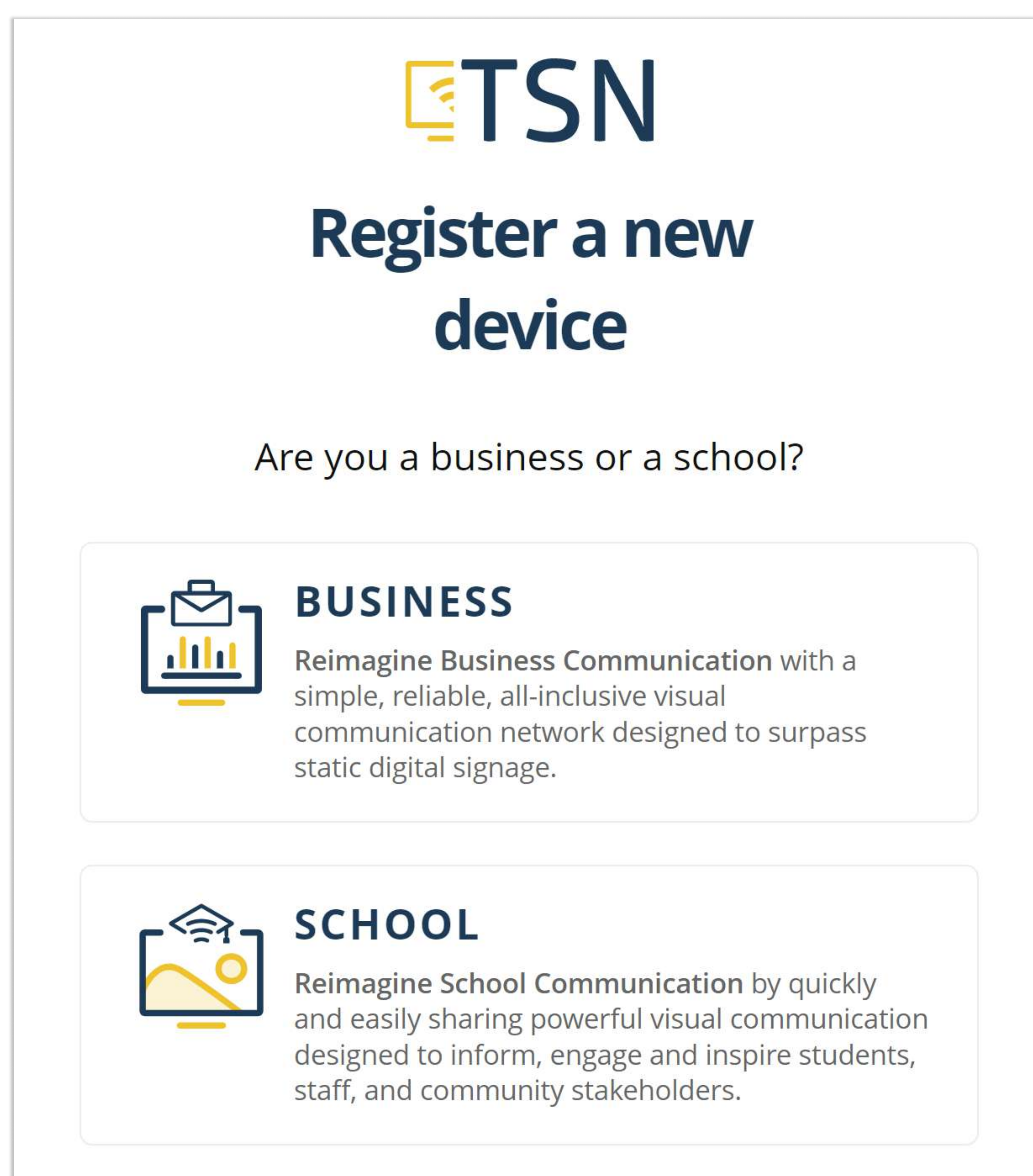


## Choose Organization Type

After clicking “Confirm Registration”, you will be directed to the TSN portal where you will then be prompted to register your Newline device. Click on your organization type: Business or School.

## Organization Info


After selecting your organization type, you will be prompted to fill out information related to your organization. Complete all fields and click “Confirm”.




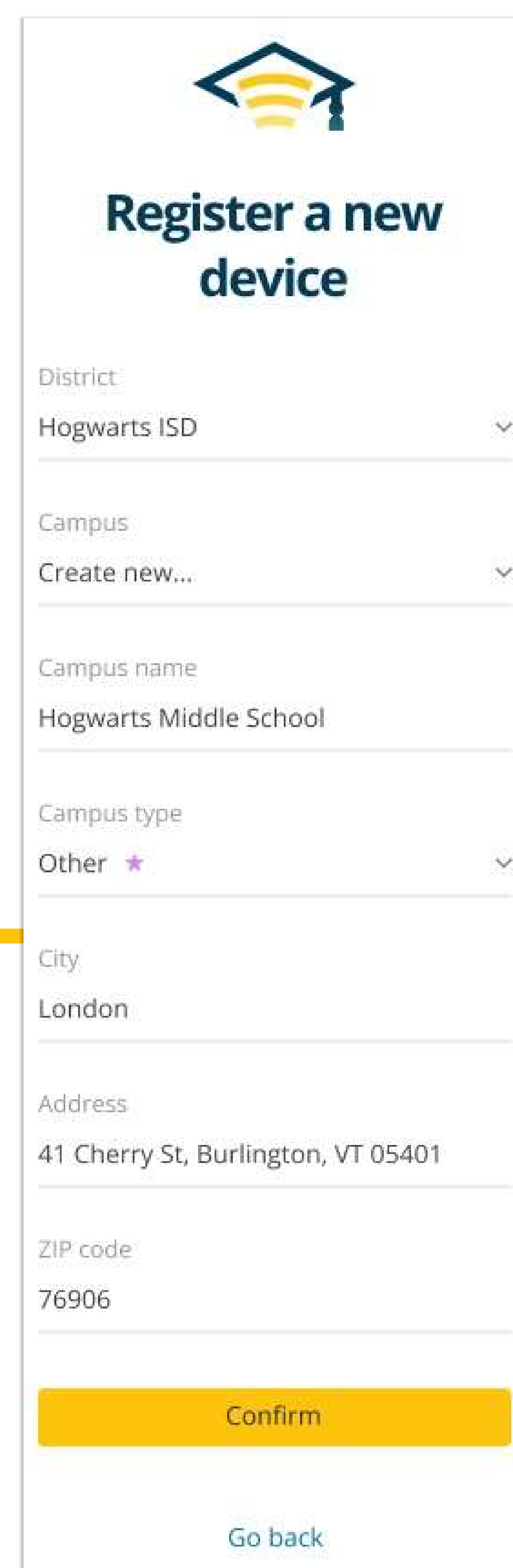
**TSN**


### Register a new device

Are you a business or a school?

**BUSINESS**  
Reimagine Business Communication with a simple, reliable, all-inclusive visual communication network designed to surpass static digital signage.

**SCHOOL**  
Reimagine School Communication by quickly and easily sharing powerful visual communication designed to inform, engage and inspire students, staff, and community stakeholders.





### Register a new device

District  
Hogwarts ISD

Campus  
Create new...

Campus name  
Hogwarts Middle School

Campus type  
Other \*

City  
London

Address  
41 Cherry St, Burlington, VT 05401

ZIP code  
76906

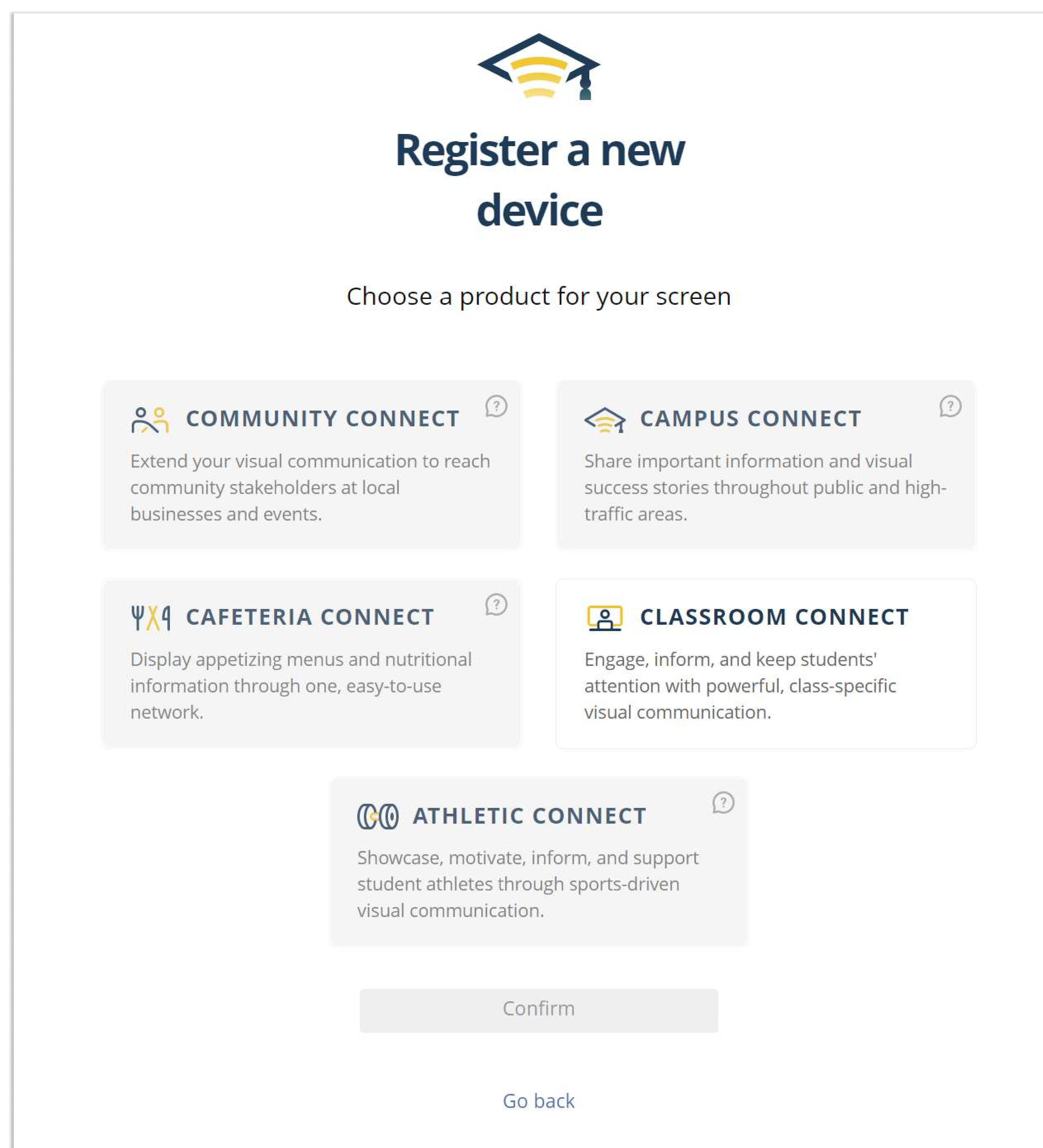
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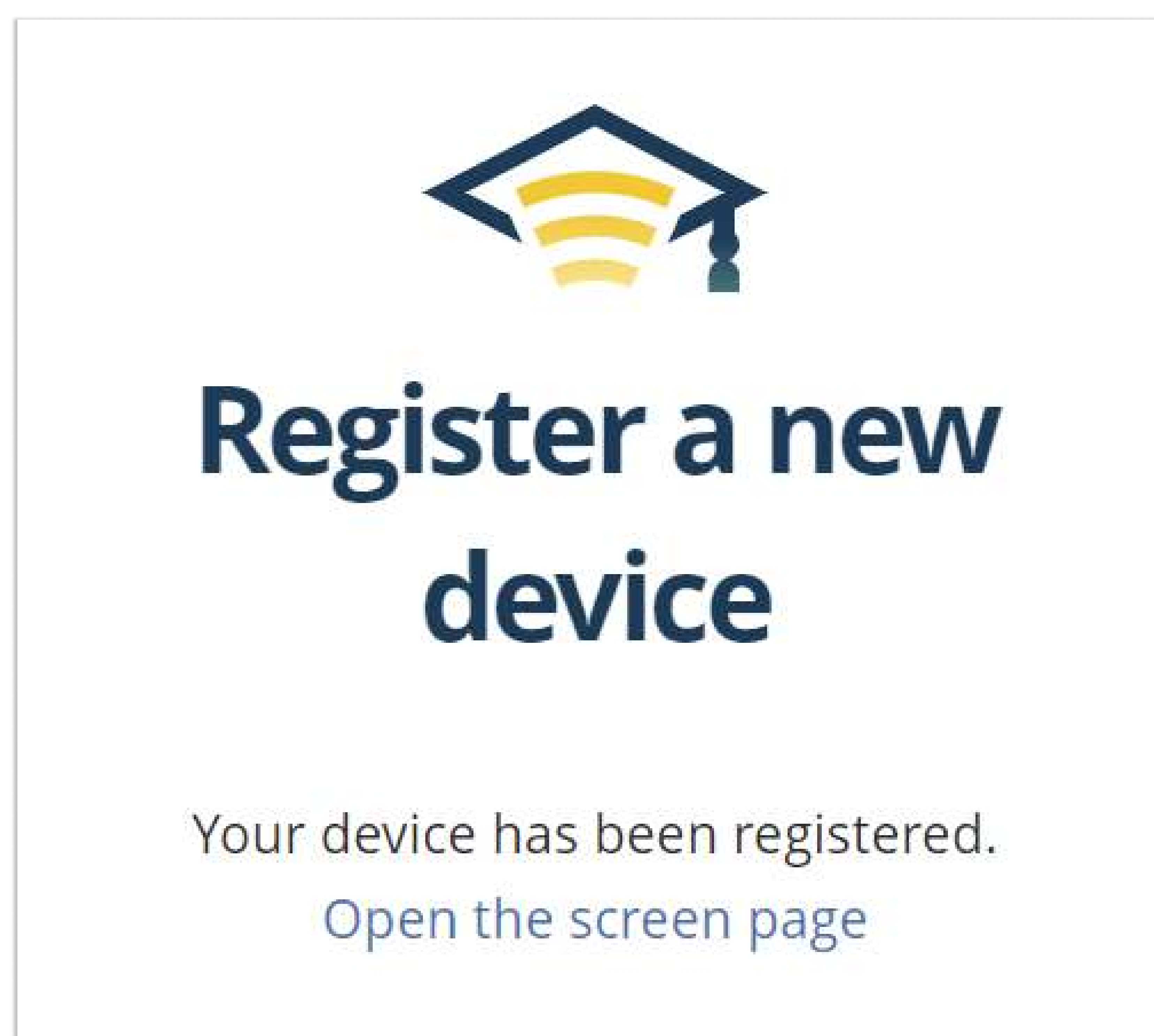


## Choose Product

Lastly, select the product that fits your screen and click “Confirm”.



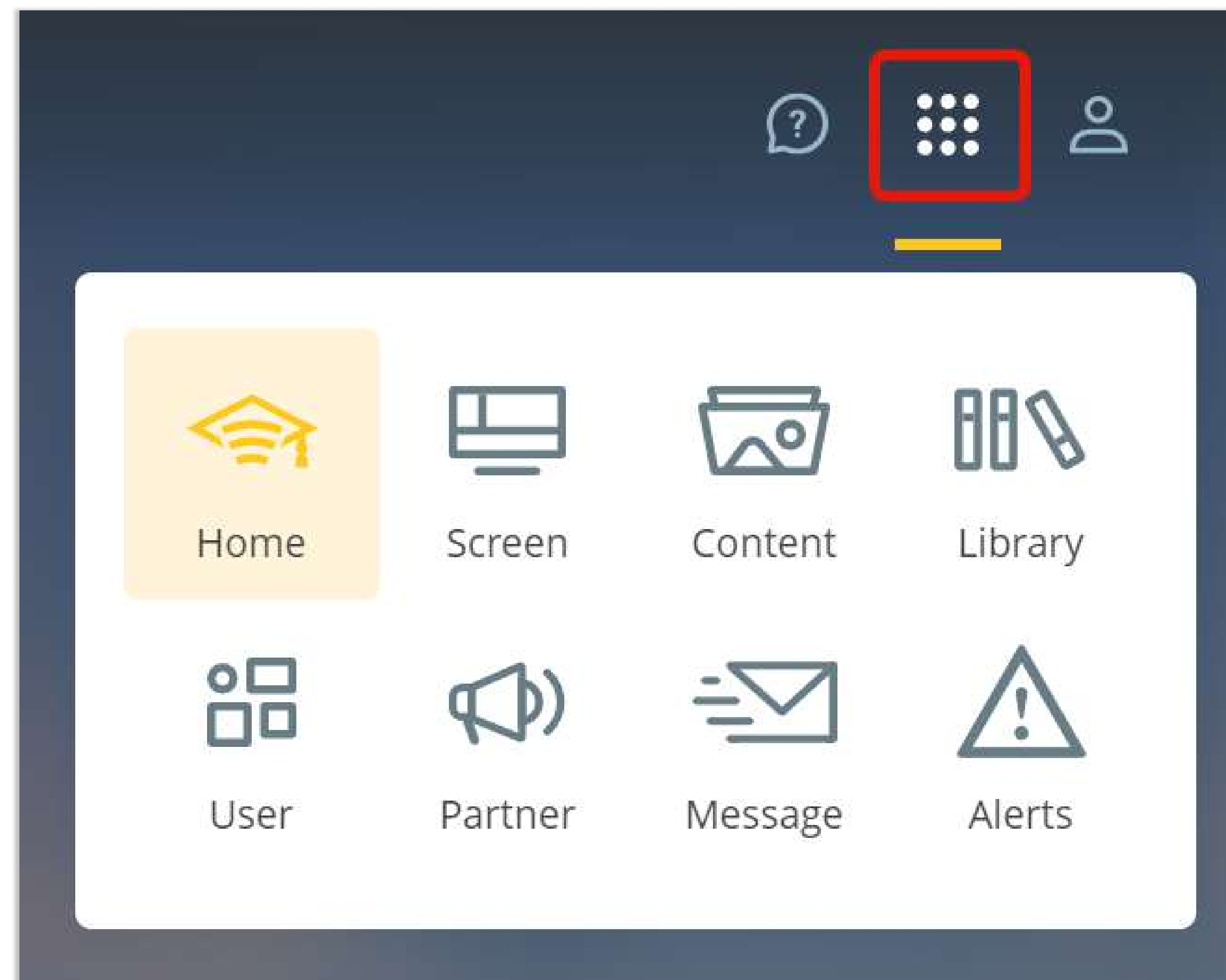
Success! Your new device has been successfully linked. Click on “Open the screen page” and continue to your TSN portal to begin interacting with your newly registered device.





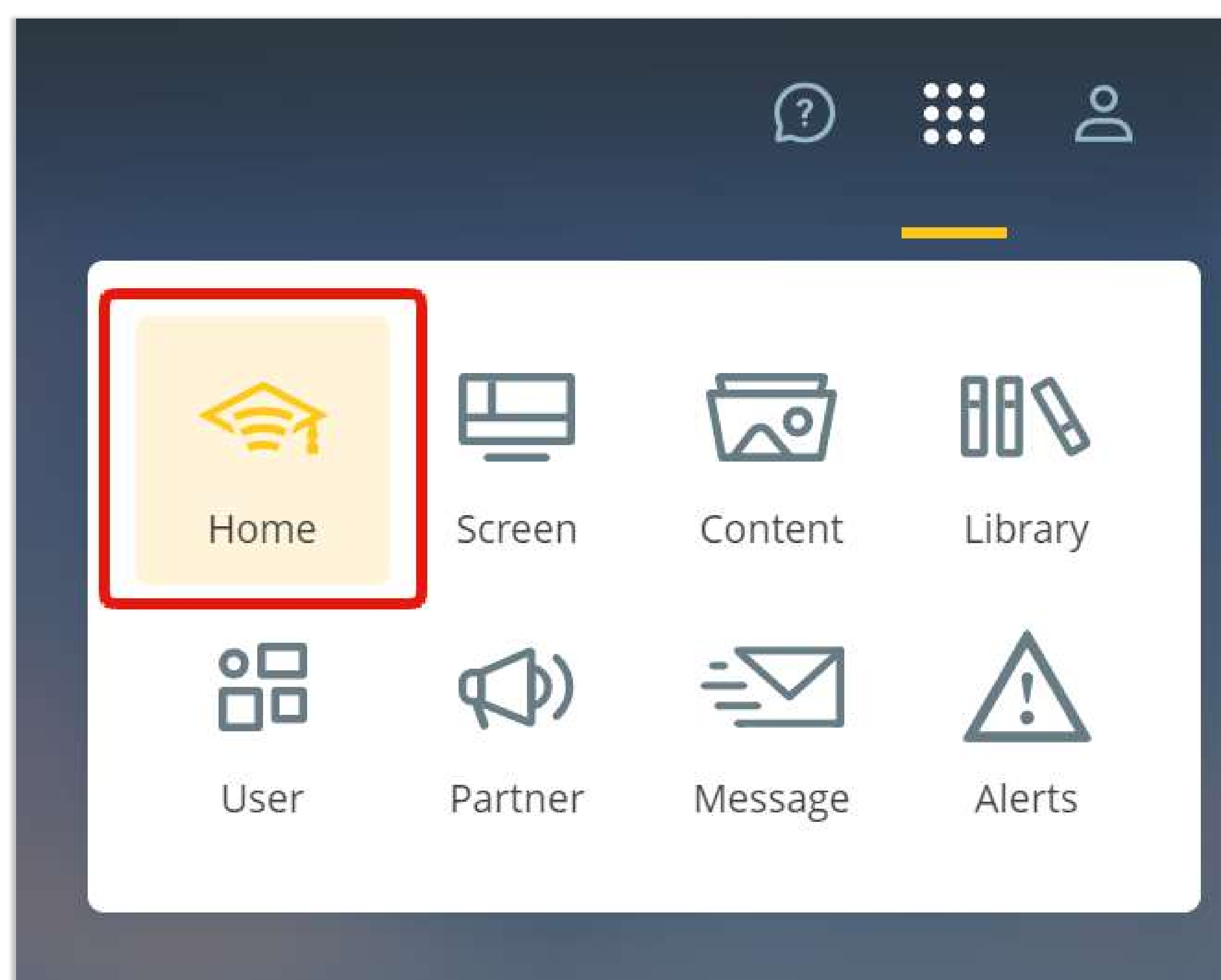
## Navigation Menu

Inside of your TSN portal, you have access to several portals. Click on the menu icon in the top right corner of your screen. This is where you will find all the various portals you have access to.



## Portals

All the icons listed in your navigation menu are portals you have access to. In the picture above, the account has access to the following portals: Screen, Content, Library, User, Partner, Message, and Alerts. Each portal has its own purpose and specific functionality.



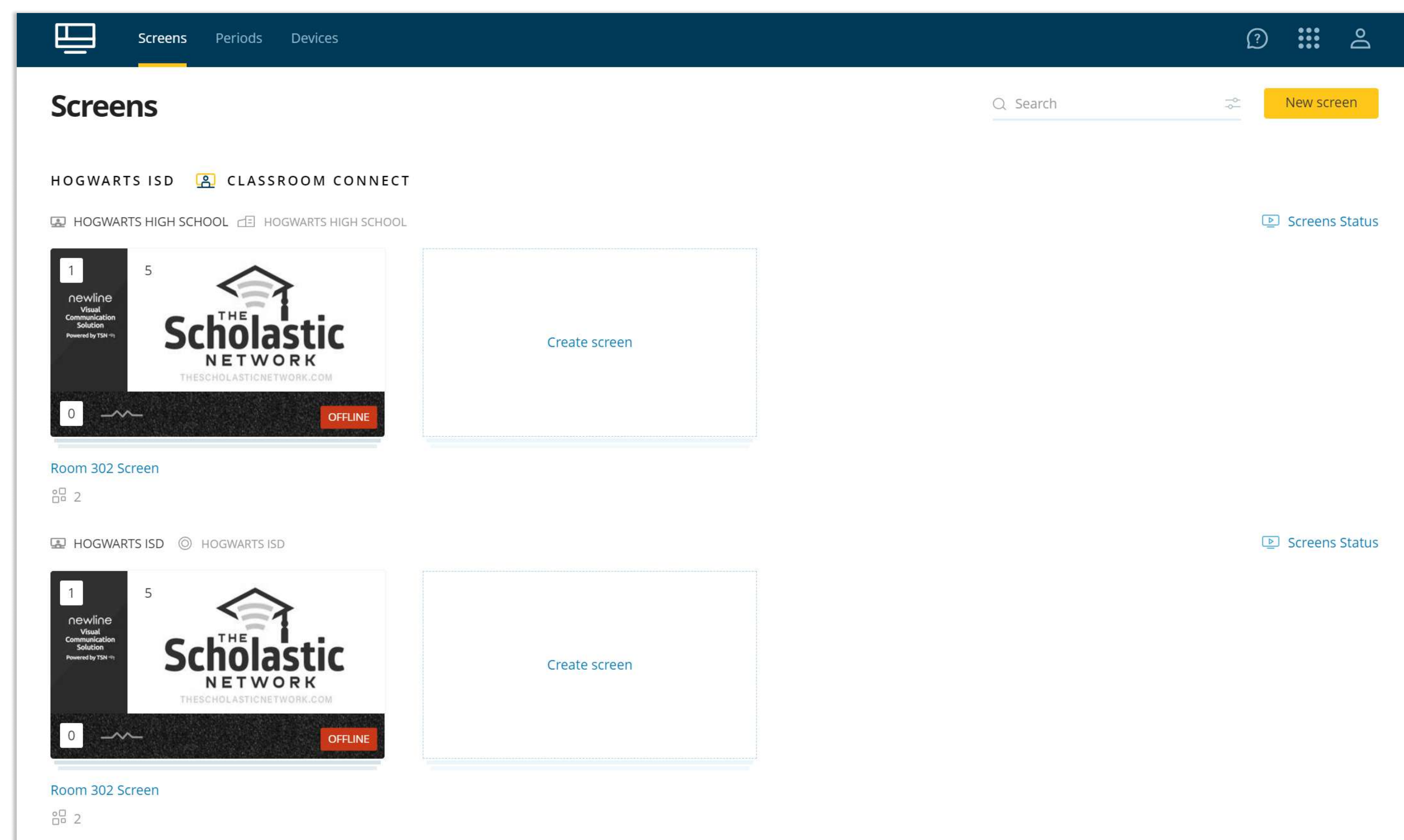
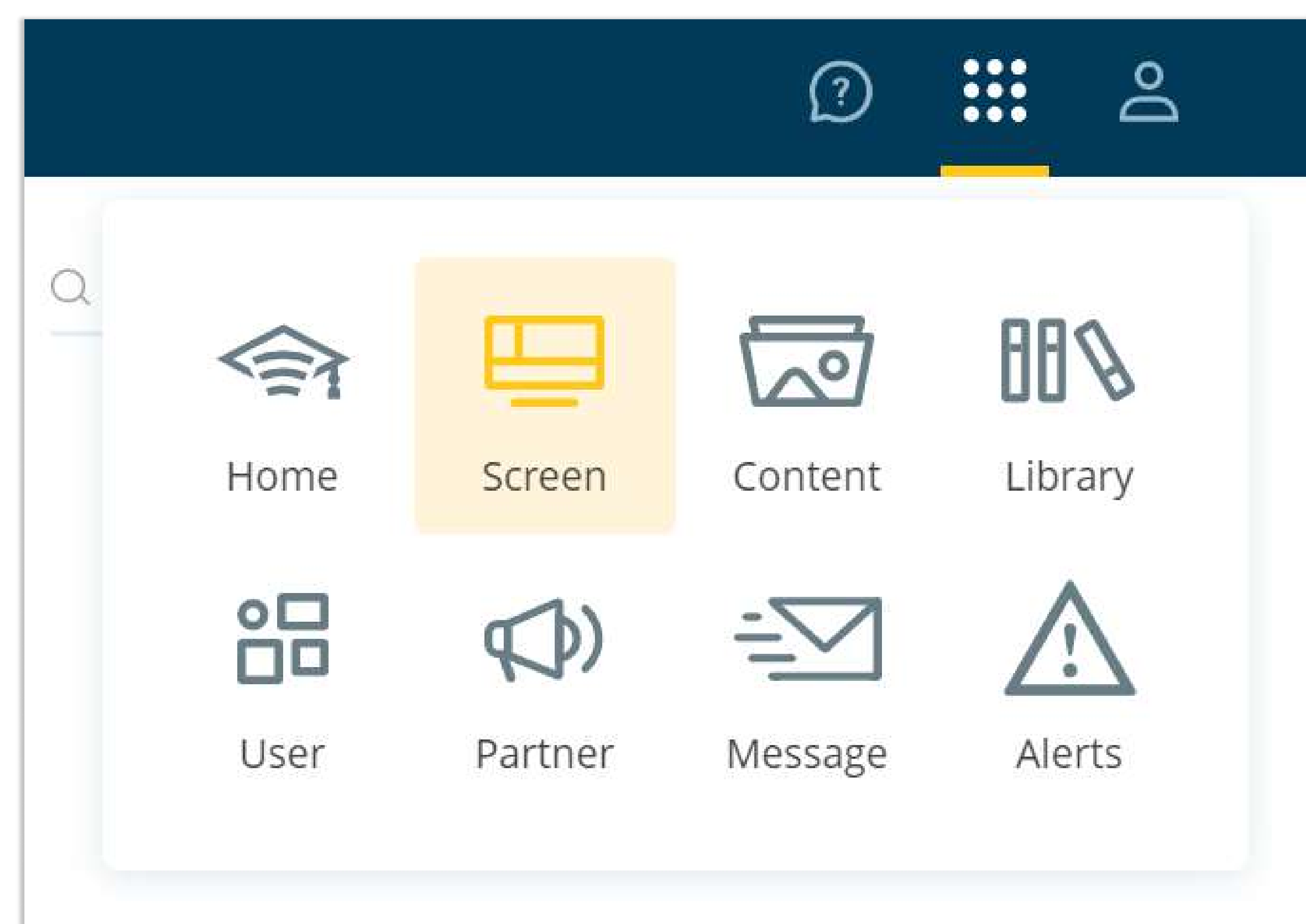
 The portal you're currently inside of is highlighted in your navigation menu.





## Screen Portal

The screens portal is where you will see an overview of your broadcast network. You will see all of the screens you have access to.



Here in the screens portal, you can:

- Preview your screens to see what is currently playing on them.
- Edit the screen's settings to change the rotation speed, the font style, the font size, and more.
- Edit the screen's settings to control which groups have access to push content to the screen.
- Edit the screen's settings to change the format of the screen.
- Edit your periods.
- View the online/offline status of your devices.

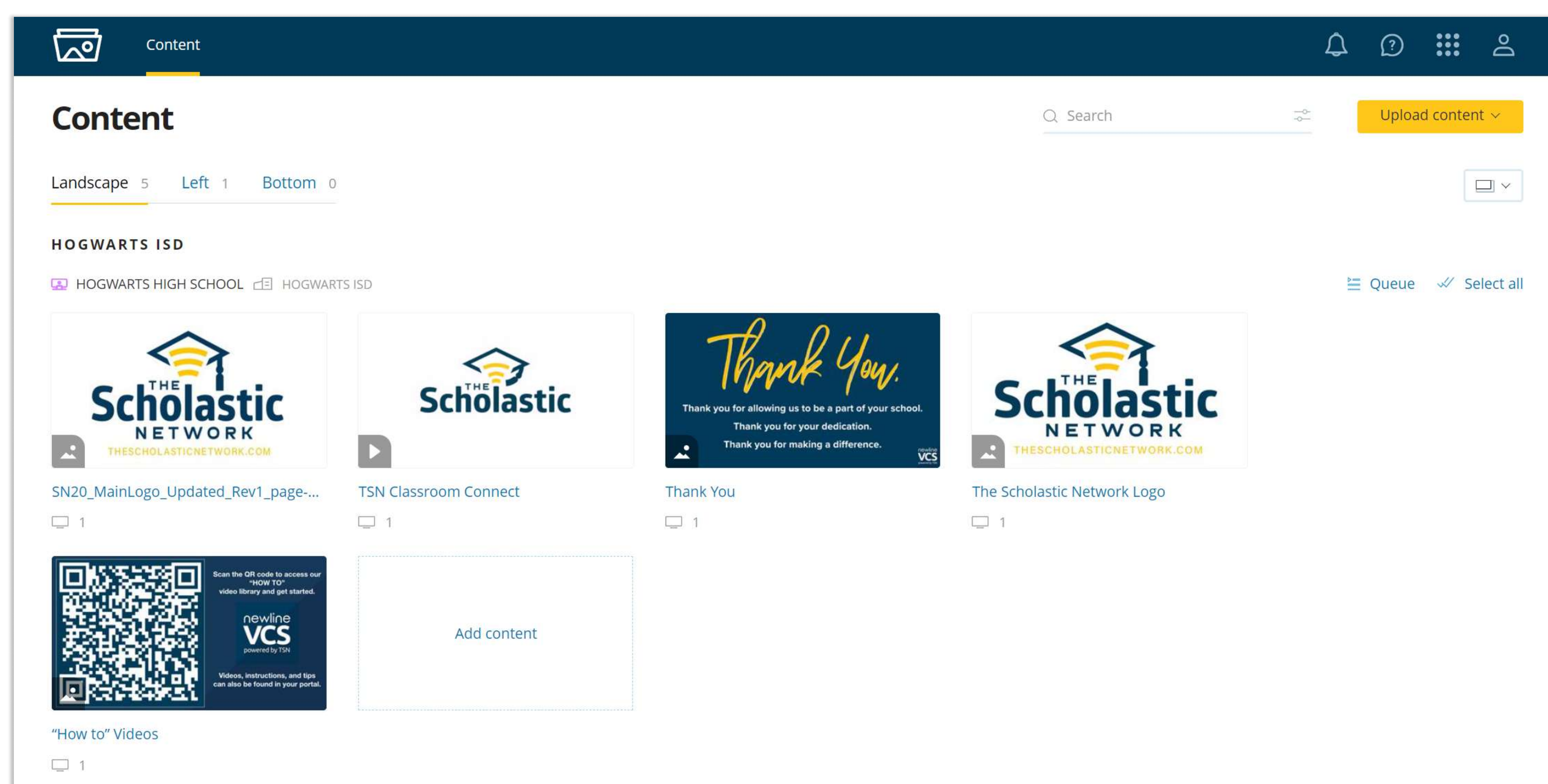
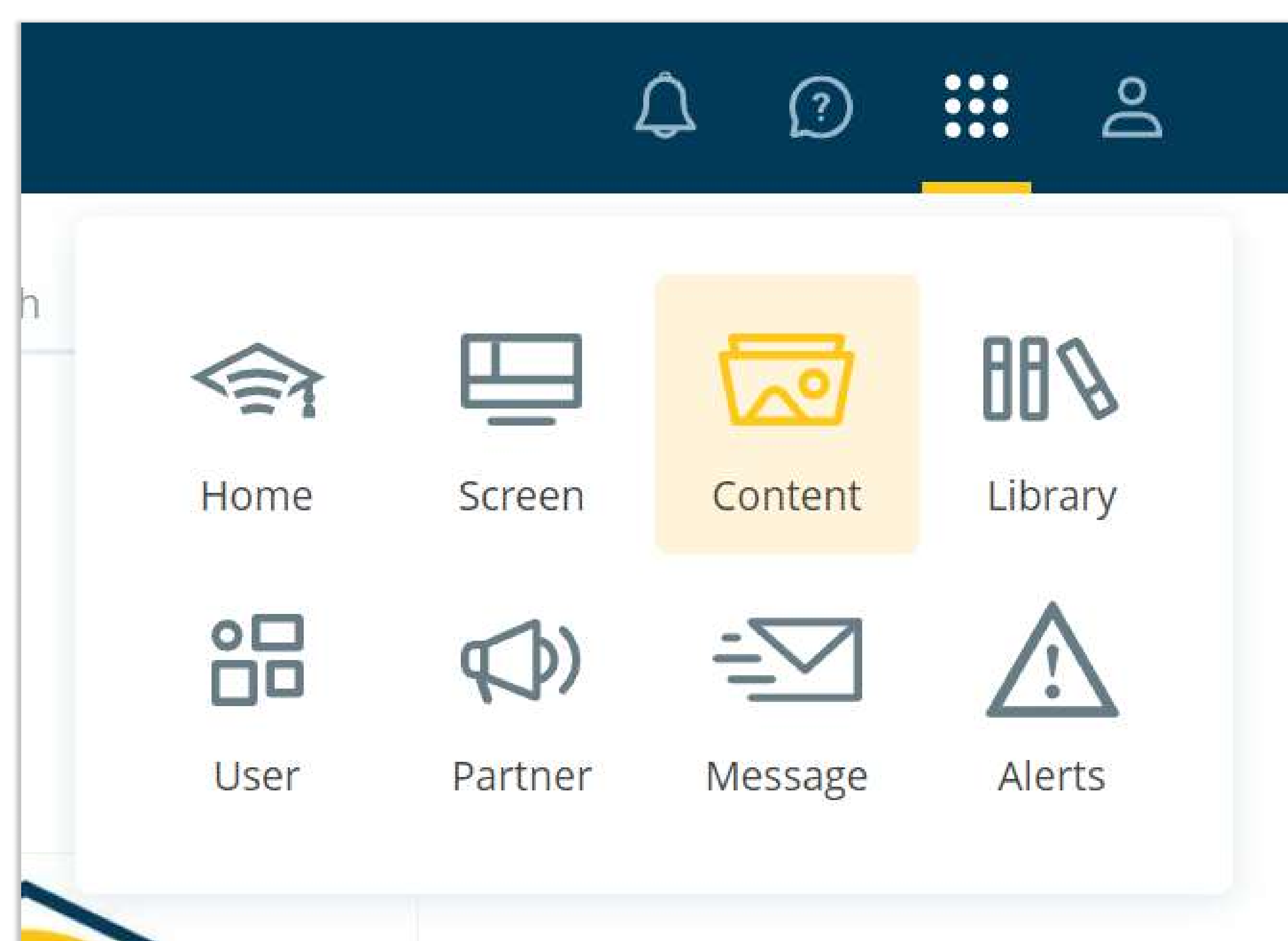
Each screen is an endpoint for you to push content to.





## Content Portal

The content portal is where all of your content for the screens live. Anything you upload or create for the screens will be inside of this portal.



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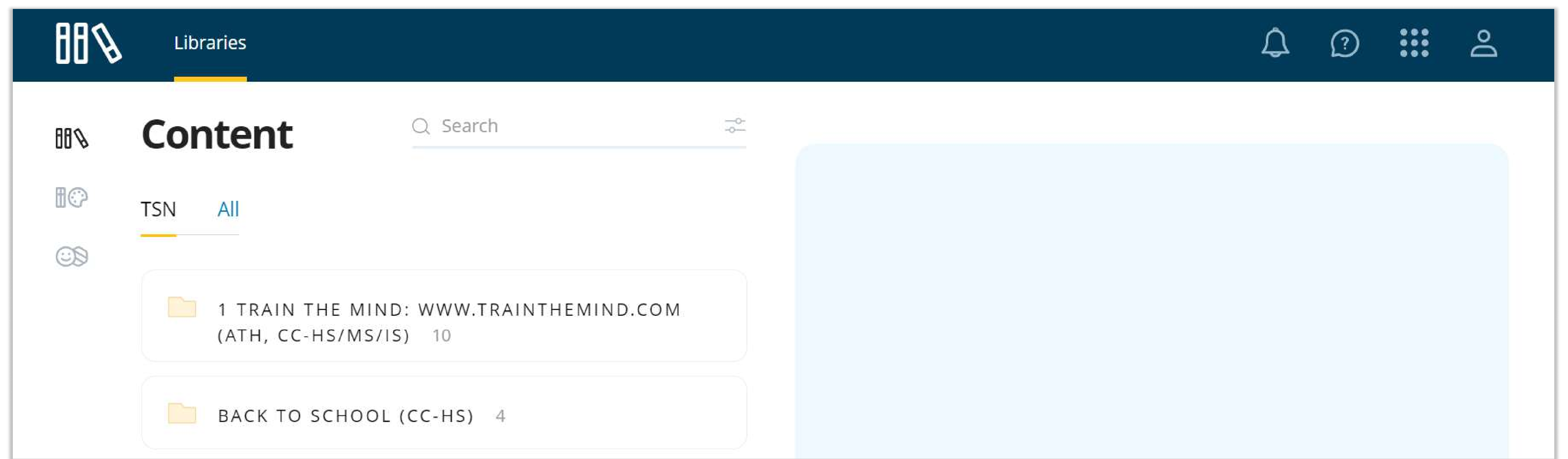
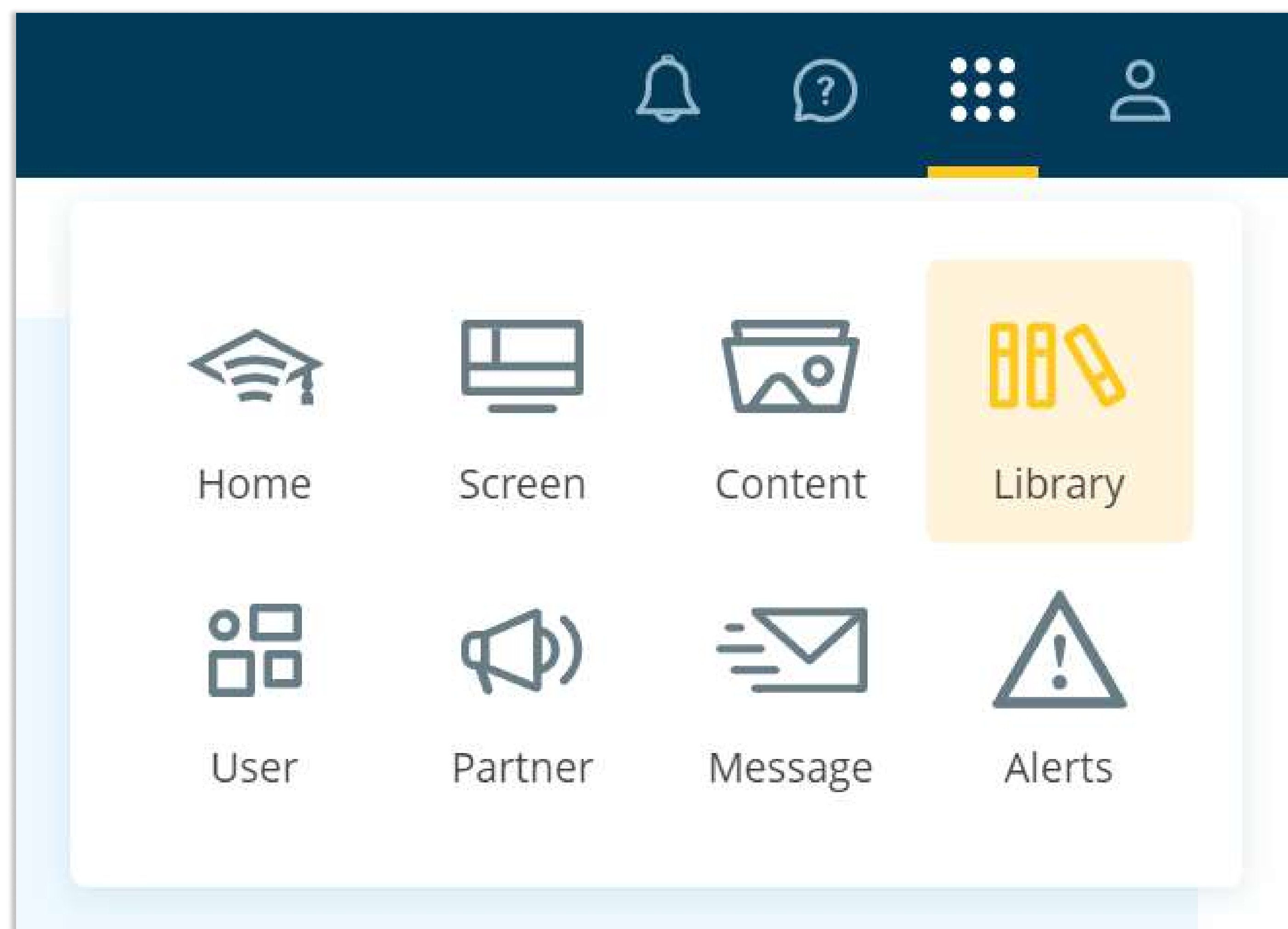
- View the content that is playing on your screens.
- Upload or create content.
- Pull content from our Content Library.
- Schedule your content.
- Unassign/assign content to your screens.
- Edit or delete content.
- Rearrange the order in which the content plays.





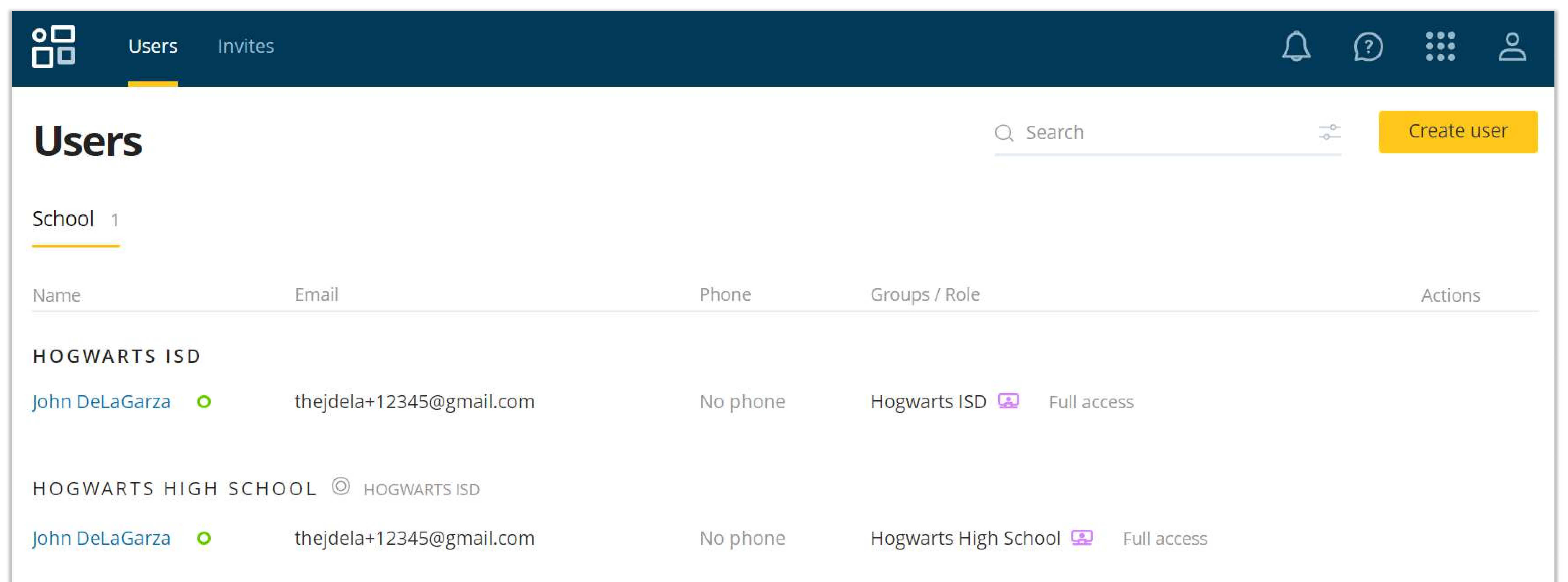
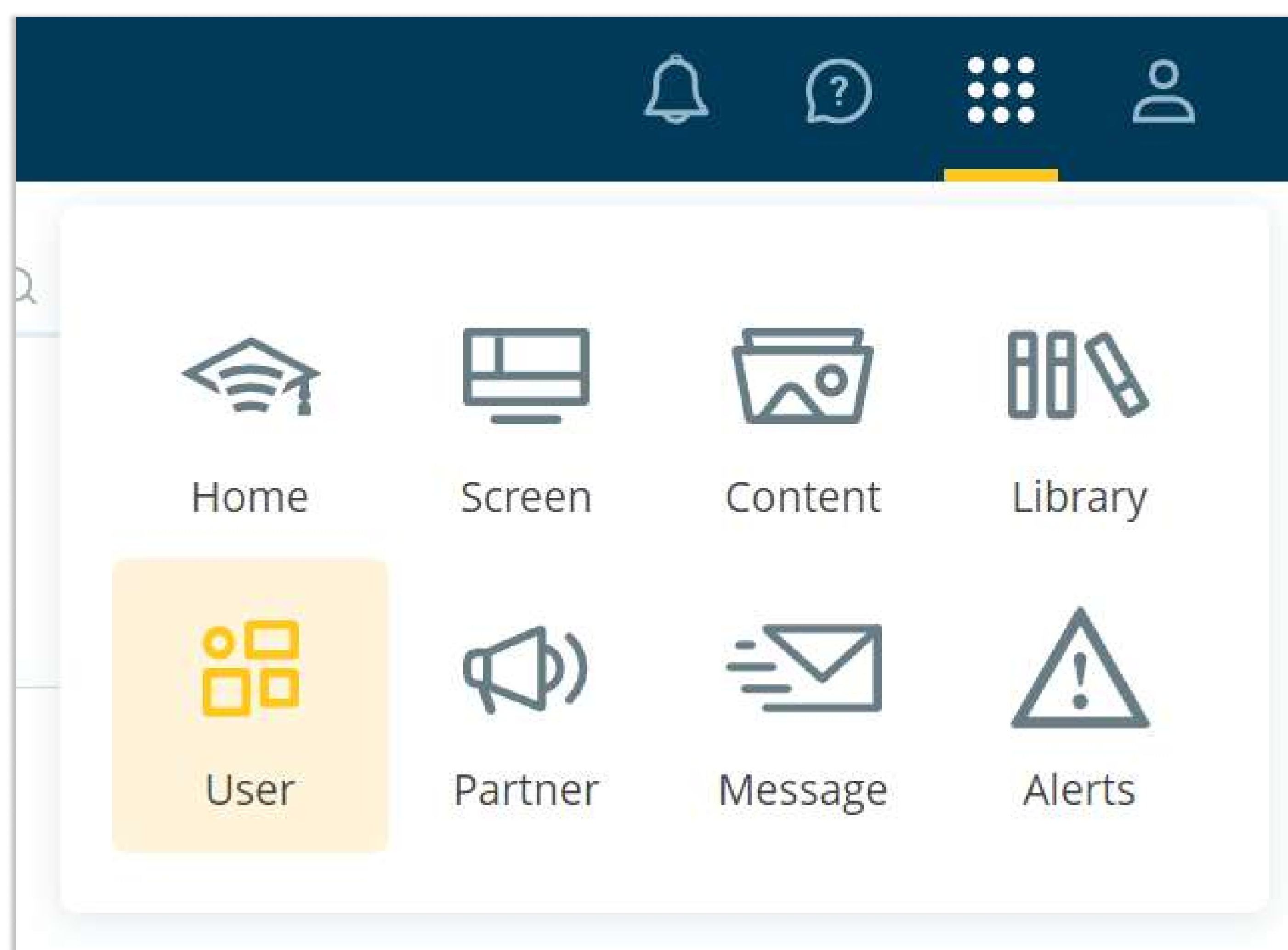
## Library Portal

The library portal is a place for you to create your own Themes, Content, Stickers, and Brands libraries. Any library you create is local to whichever groups you give access to it.



## User Portal

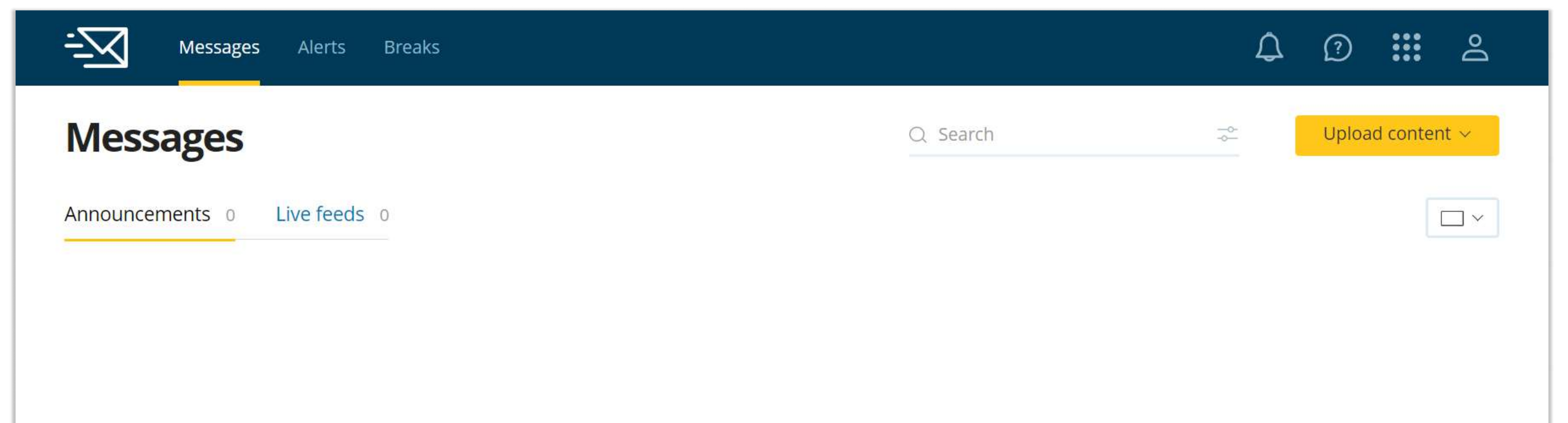
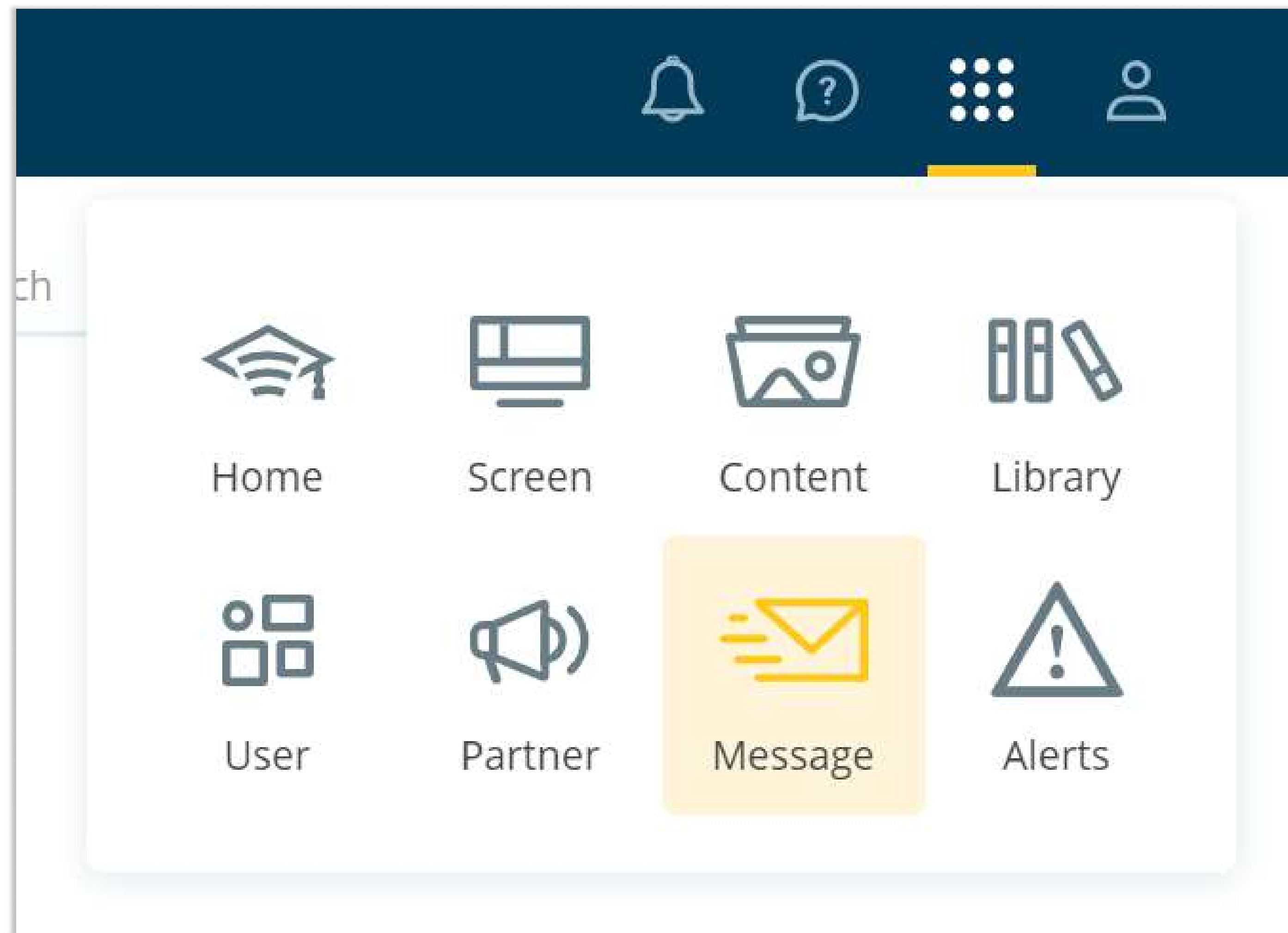
The user portal is where you will be able to see who else has access to managing your broadcast network. This is where you can add, edit, and delete users.





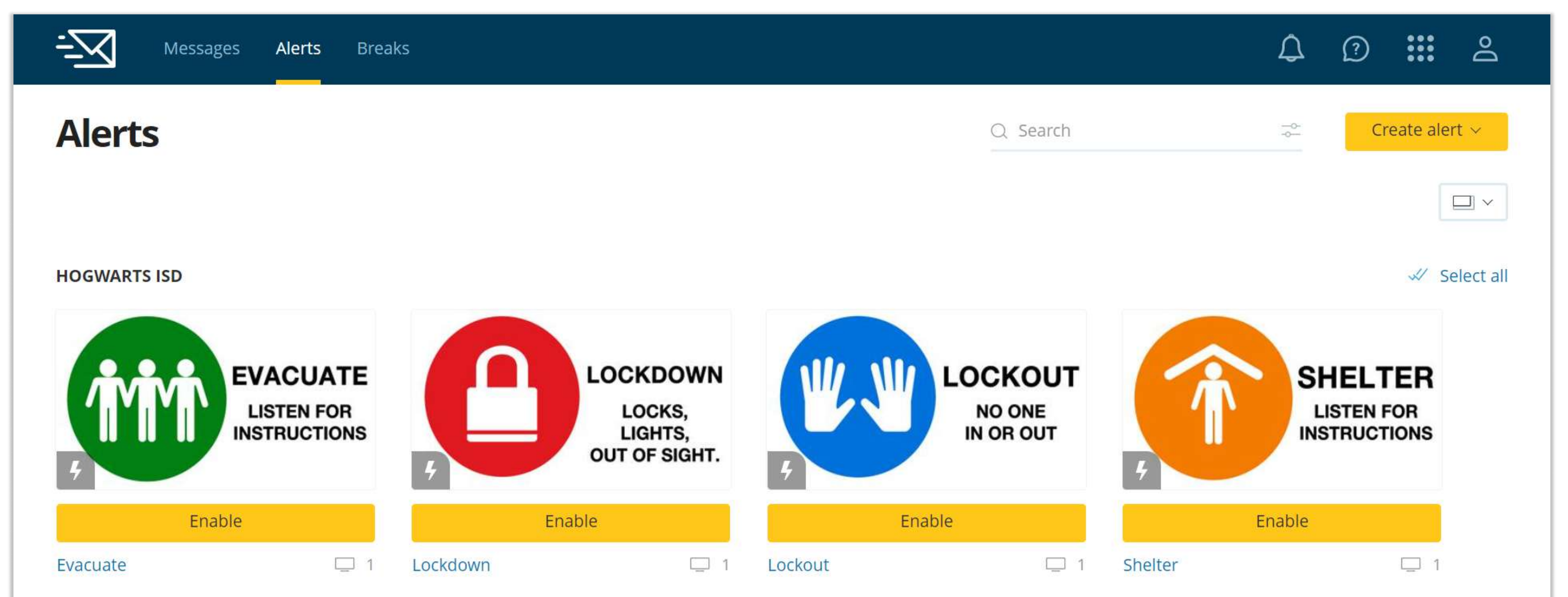
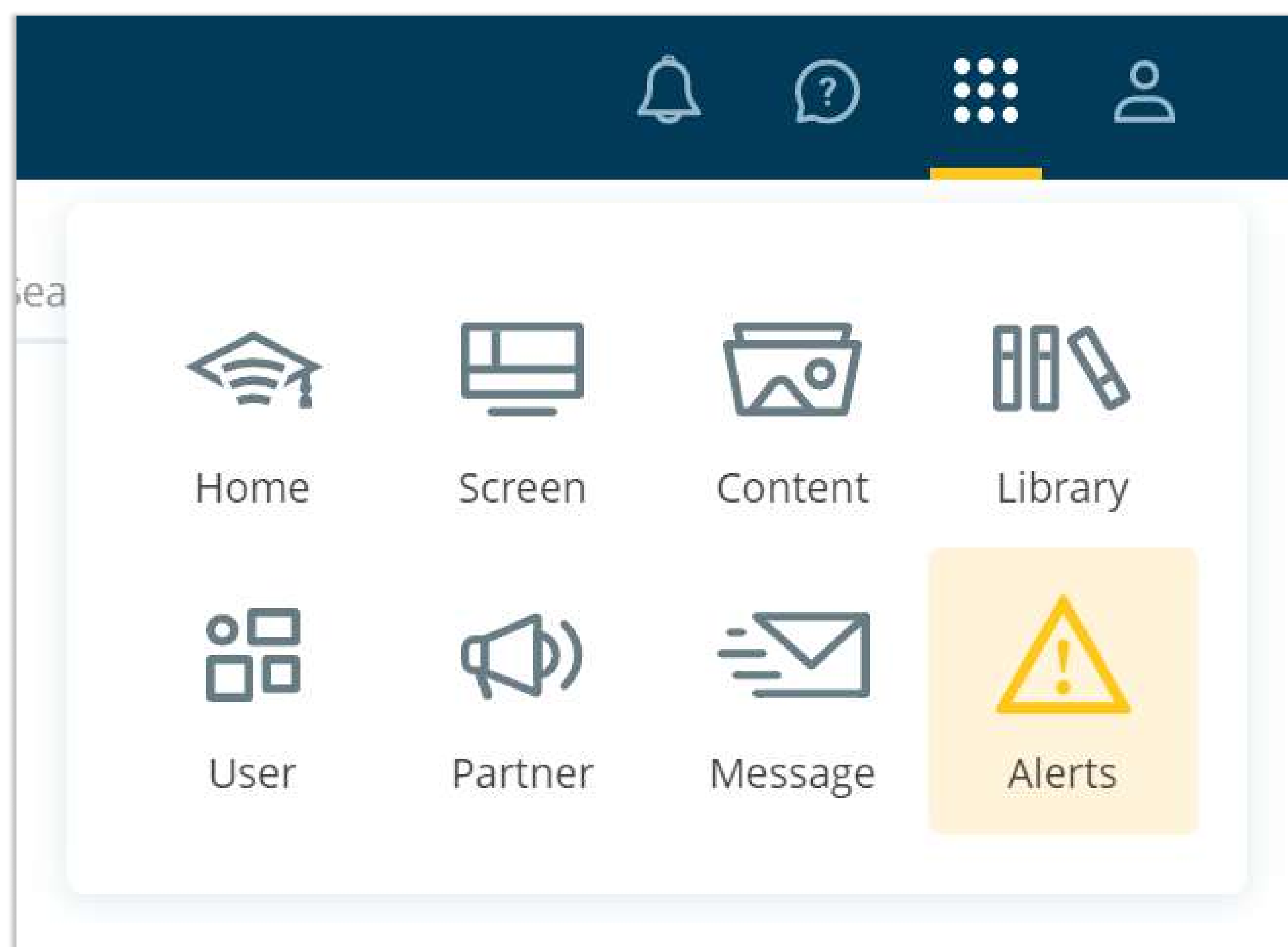
## Message Portal

The message portal is a place for you to create Announcements, add a Live Feed, and create Breaks (Tardy Clock).



## Alerts Portal

The alerts portal is a place for you to preload your emergency alerts, and in the event there was an emergency, you can enable an alert to broadcast it to all screens.

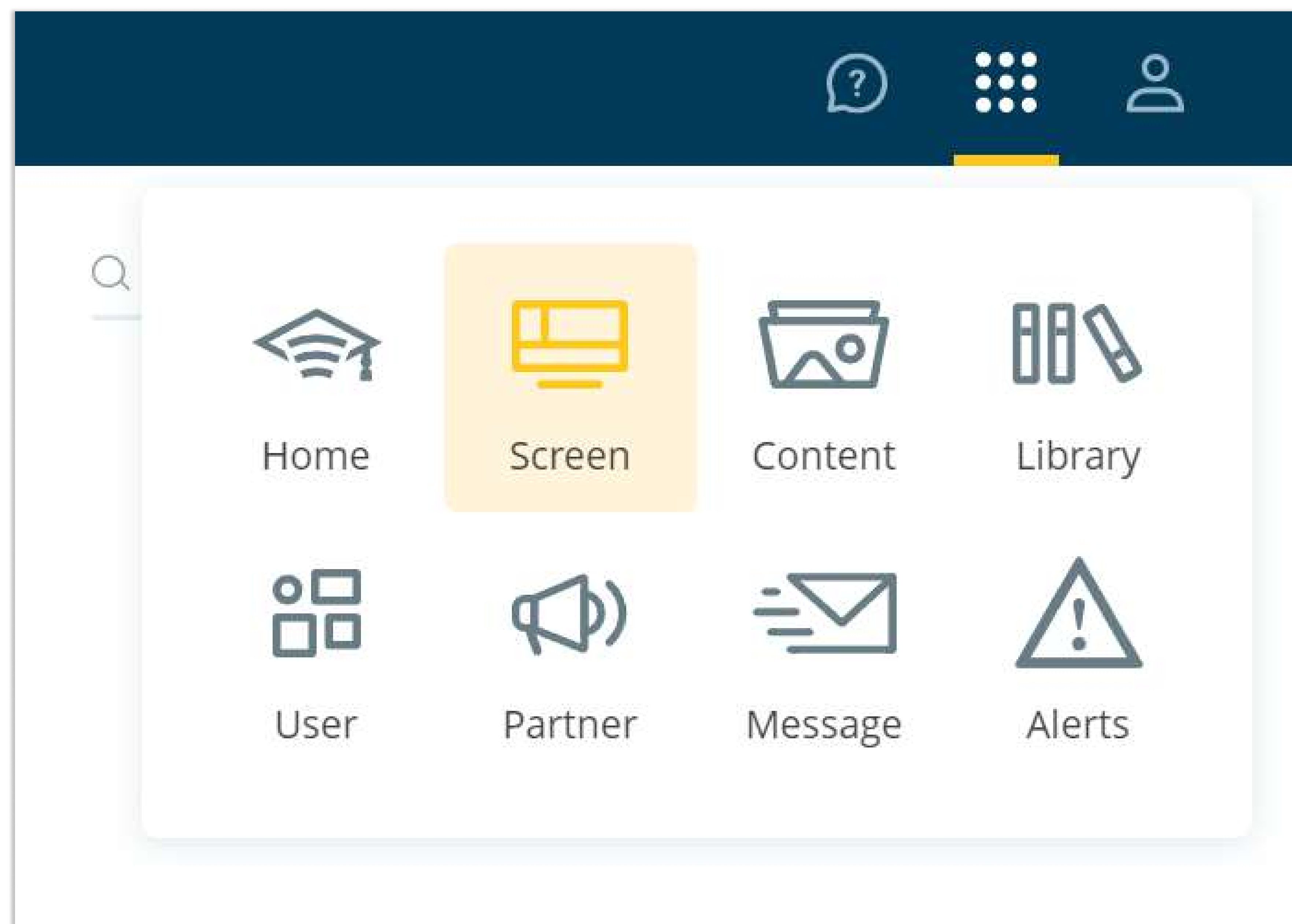




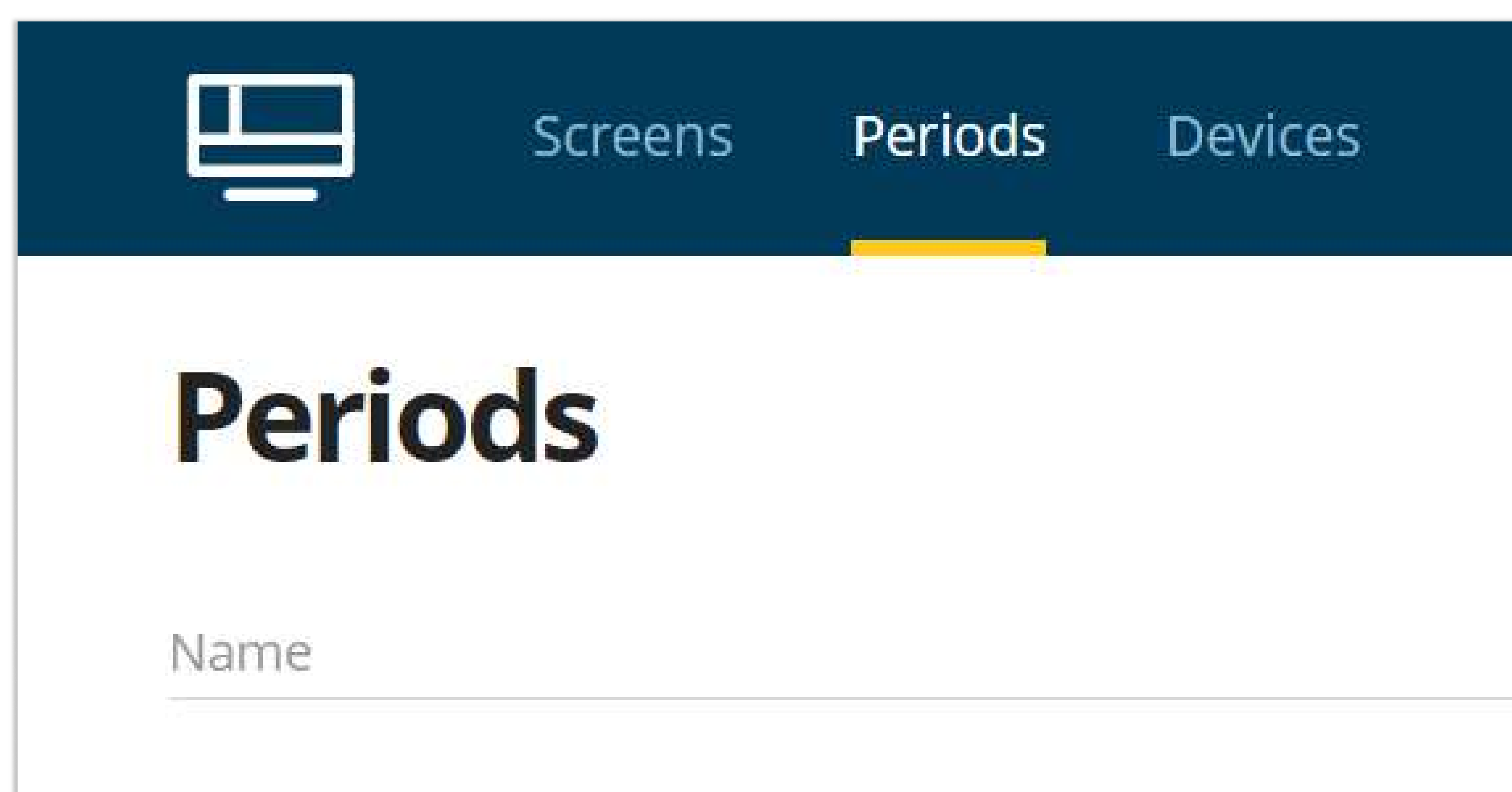
## Configure Periods

Periods control when your Newline VCS app opens and closes between passing periods.

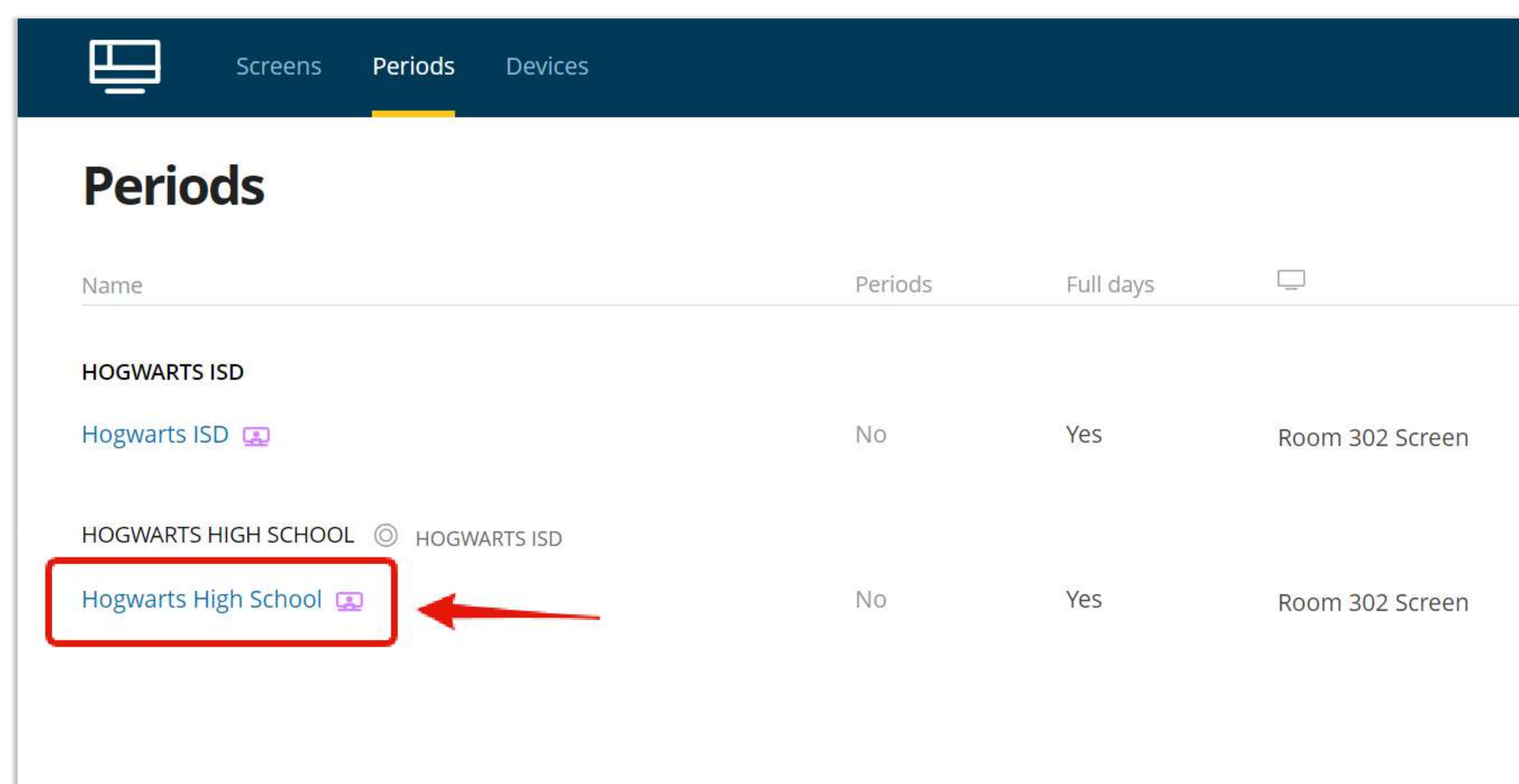
Navigate to the Screen portal.



Click on the Periods tab.



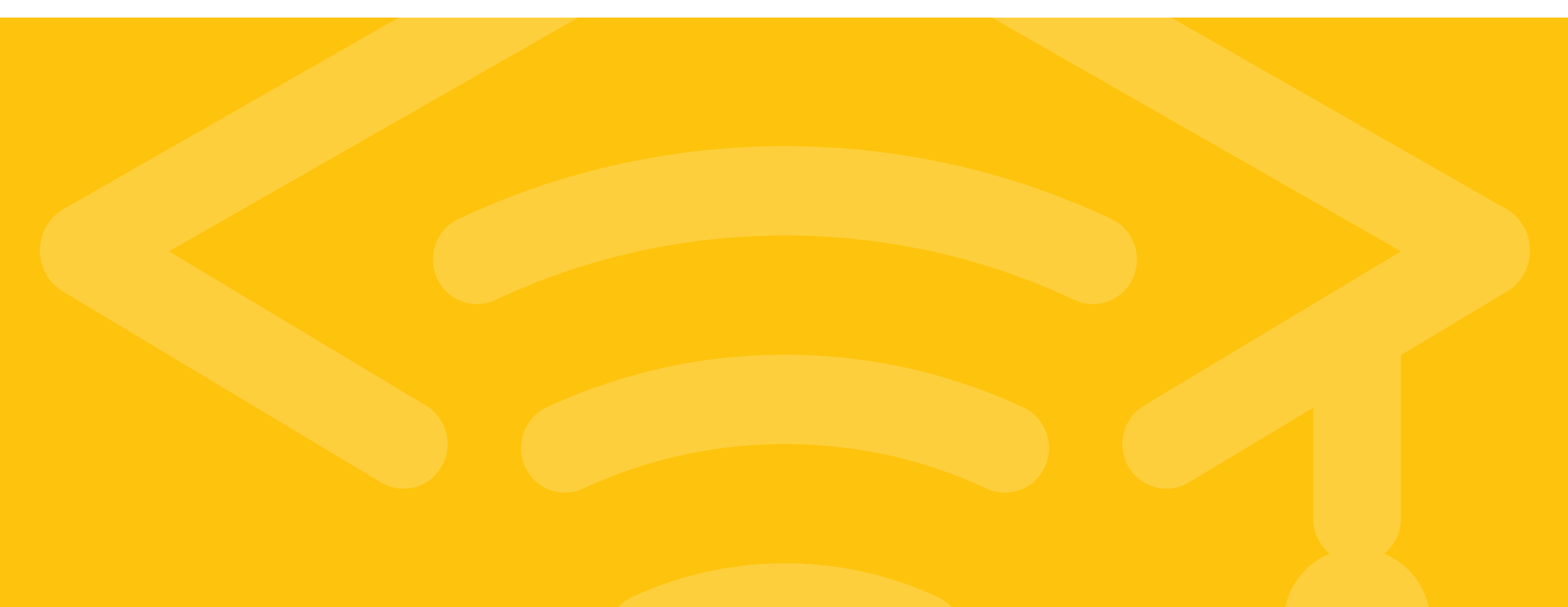
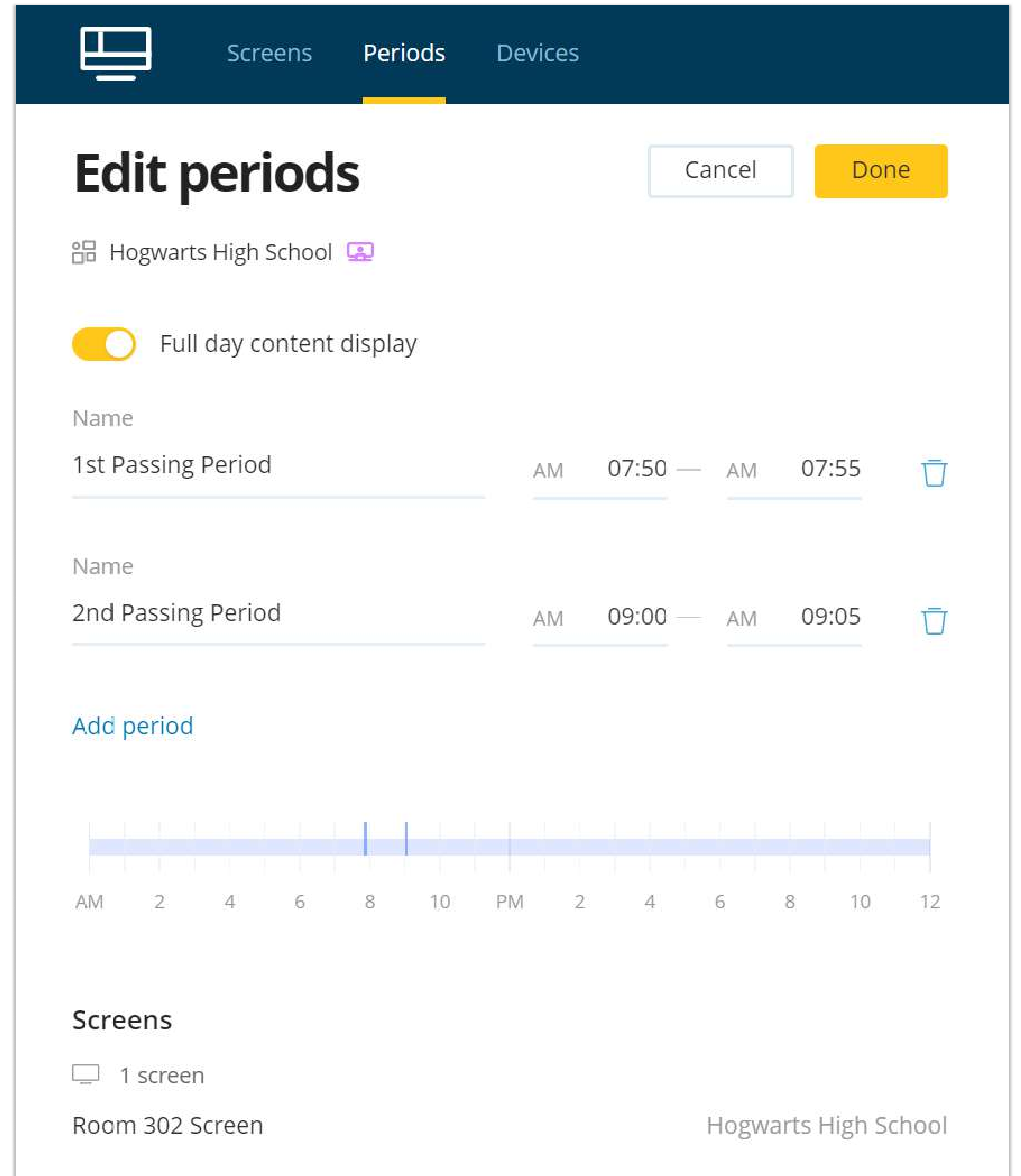
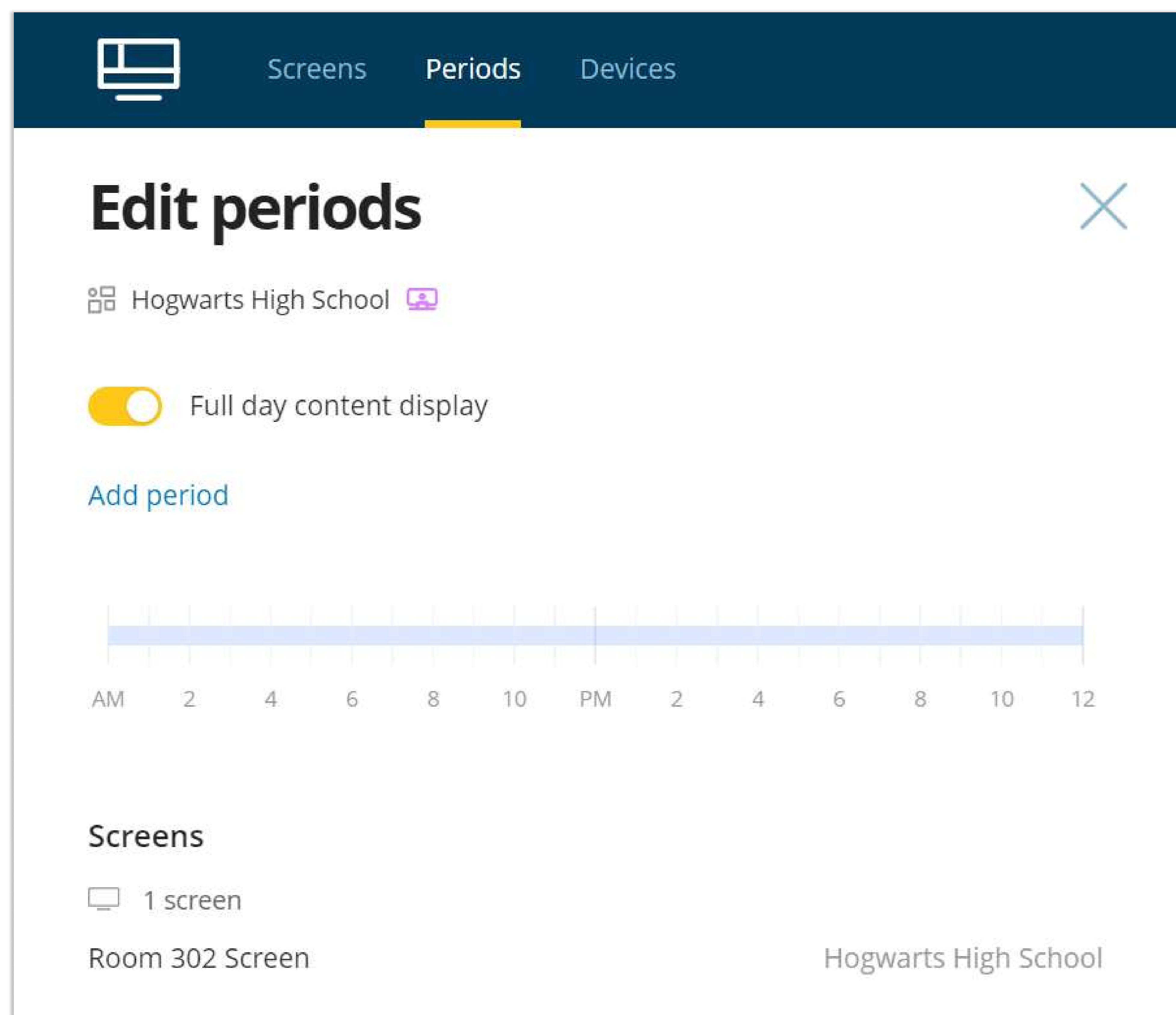
Click on the campus you would like to configure periods for.





## Add Period

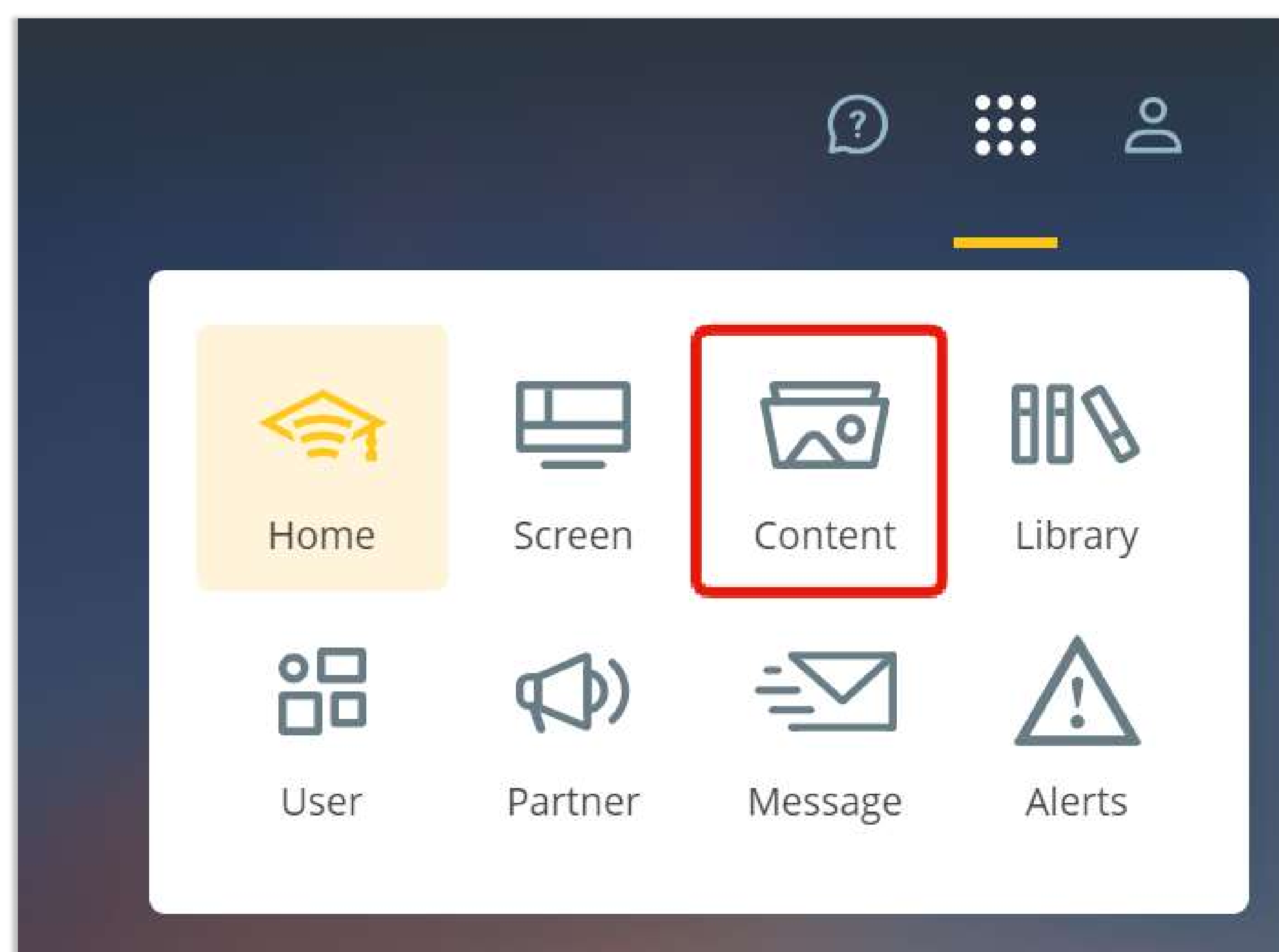
Click “Add period” and start inserting your passing periods. Once you have inserted all of your passing periods, click “Done” to save them. Remember, this is what controls when your Newline VCS app opens and closes automatically.



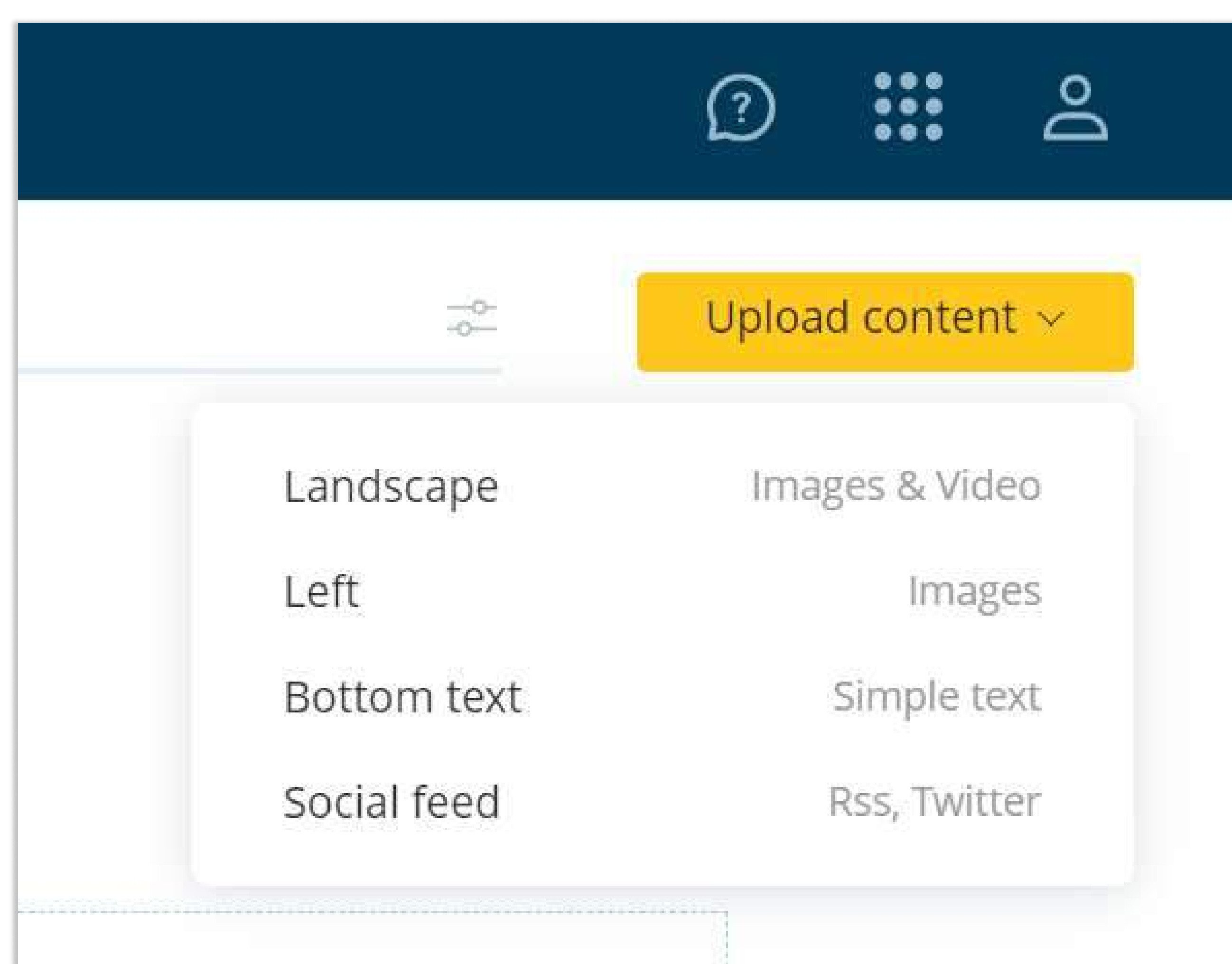


## Navigate to Content portal

To upload content to play on the screen, navigate to the Content portal.

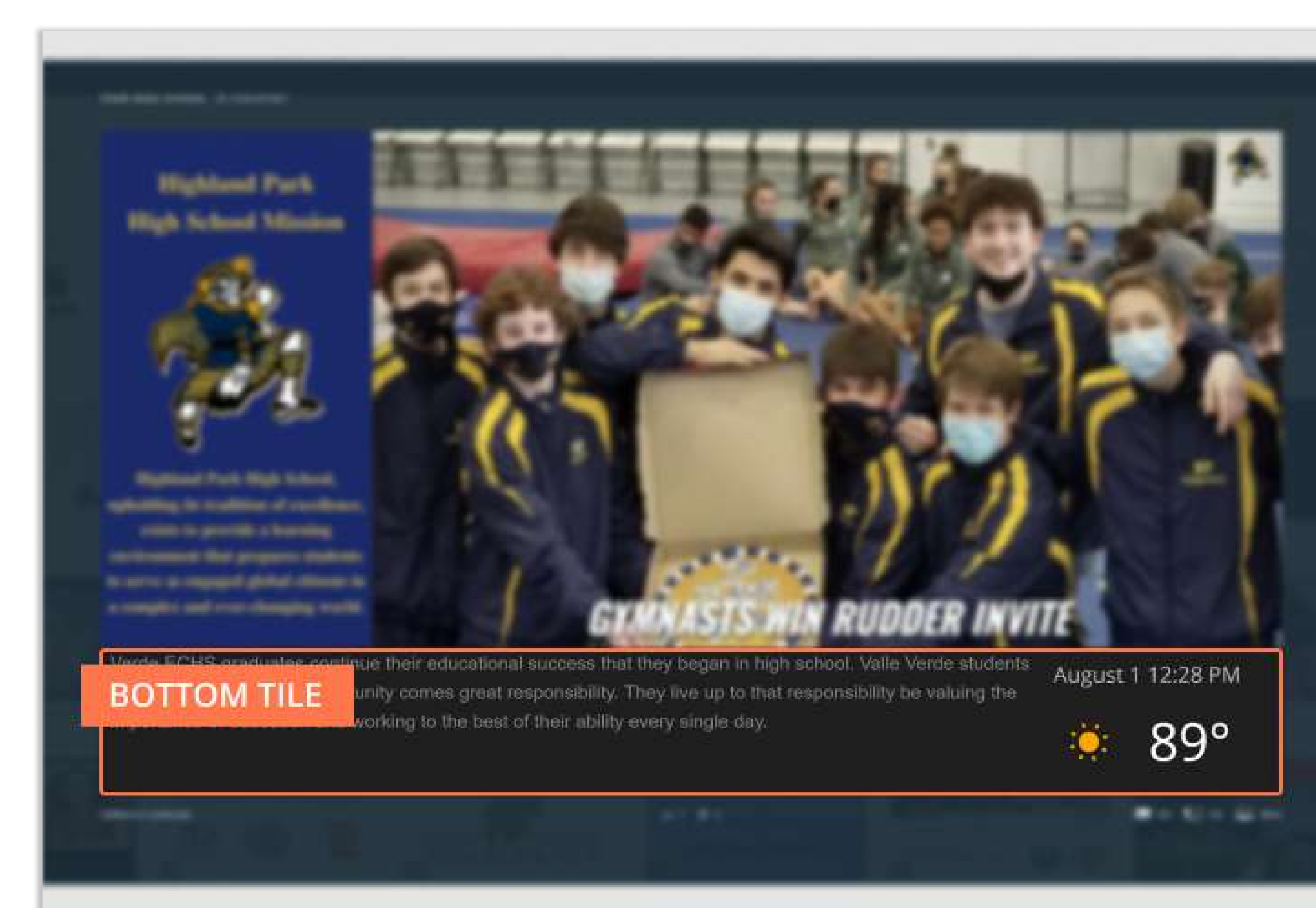
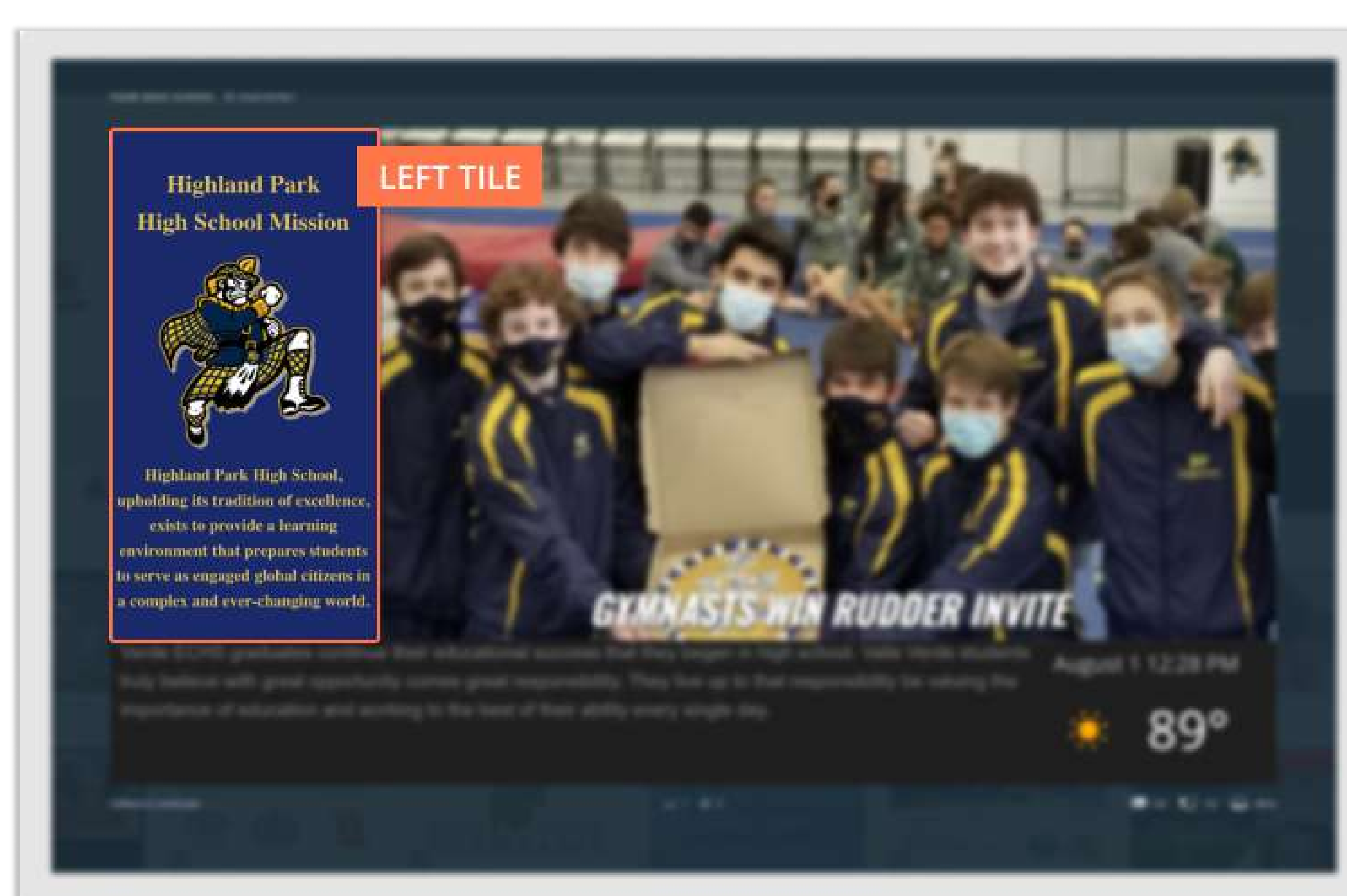
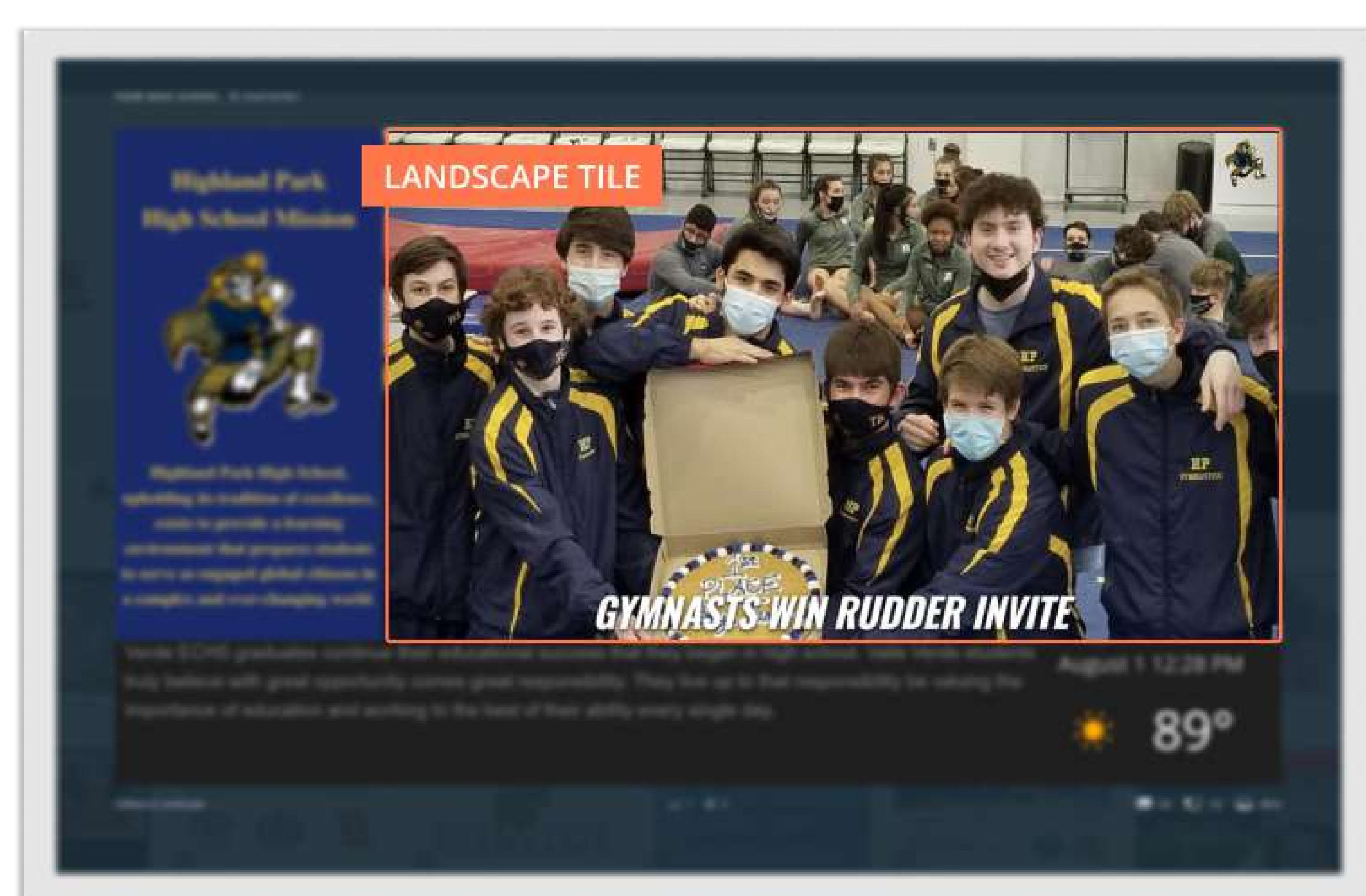


Click "Upload content". Select the type of content you want to upload.



## Content Types

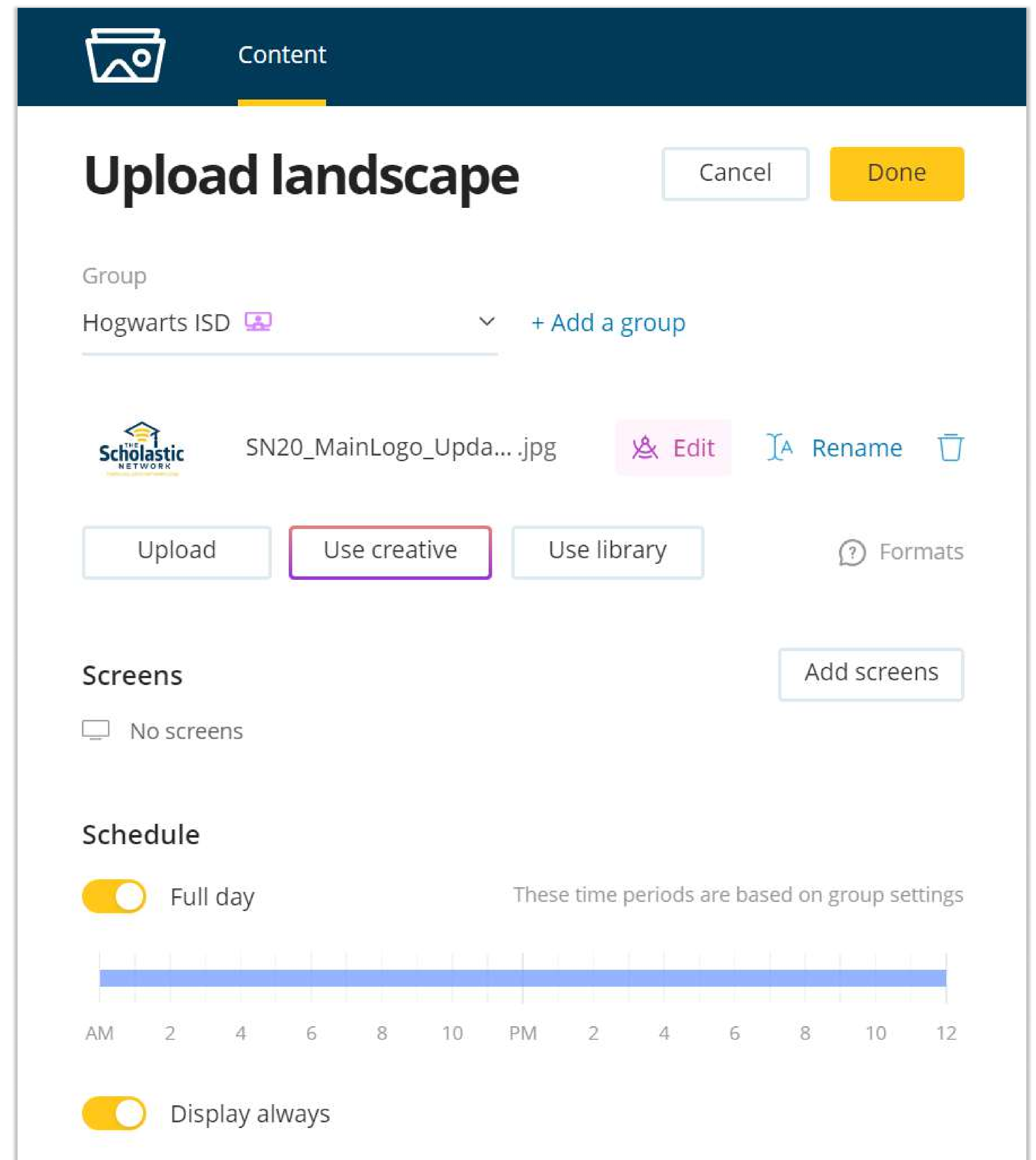
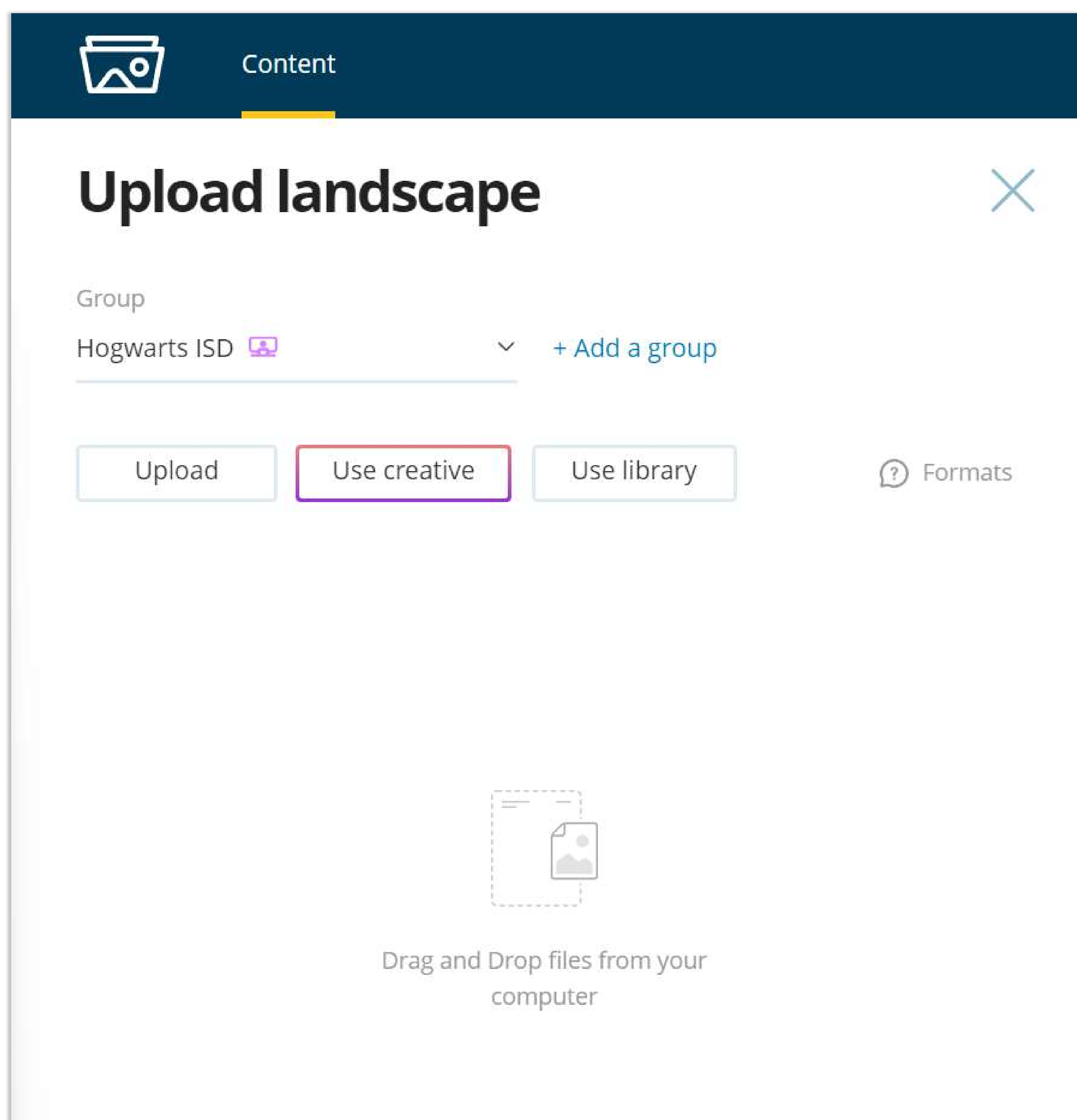
There are different types of content you can upload and they all occupy different tiles on the screen. Landscape content occupies the Landscape tile. Left content occupies the Left tile. Bottom content occupies the Bottom tile.





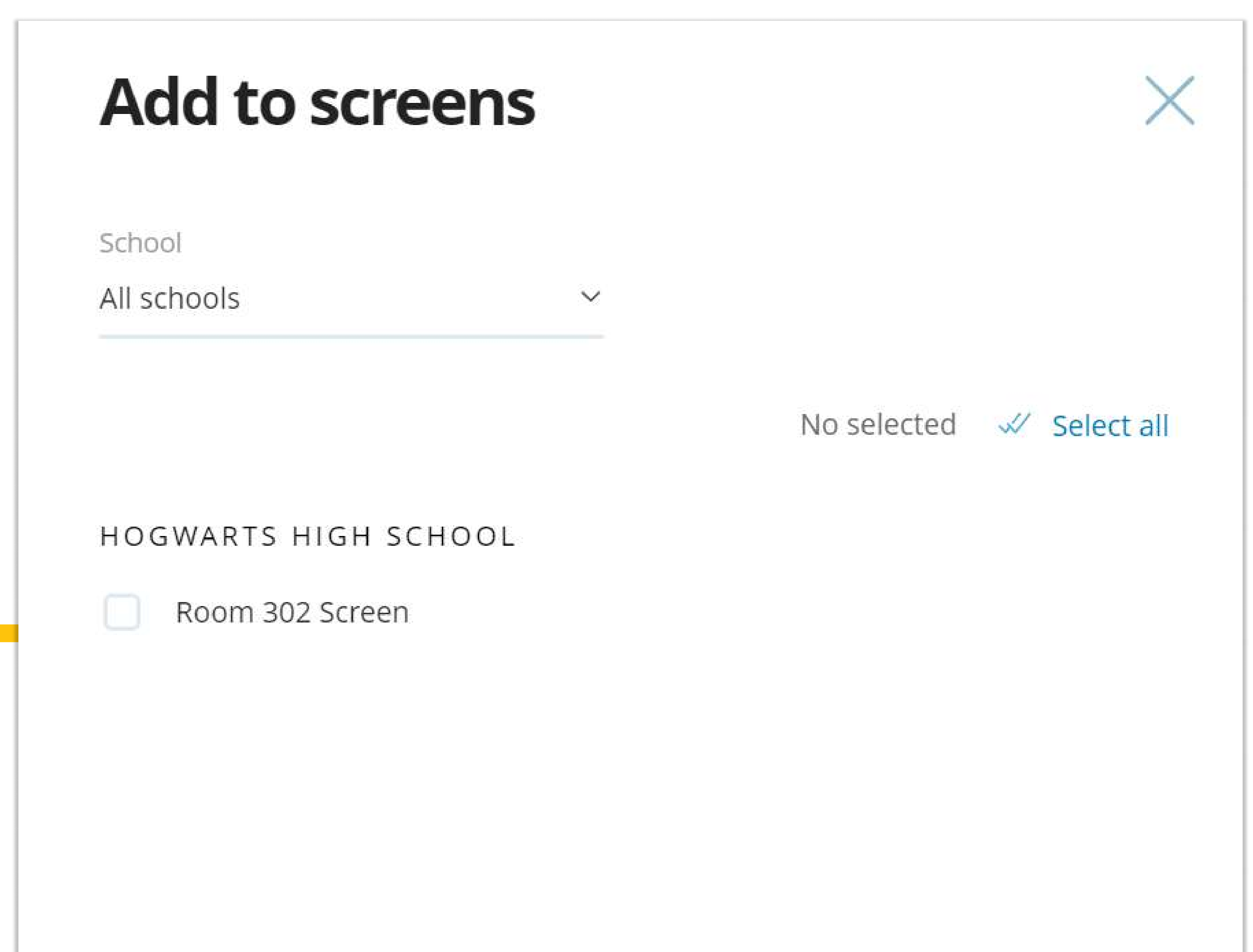
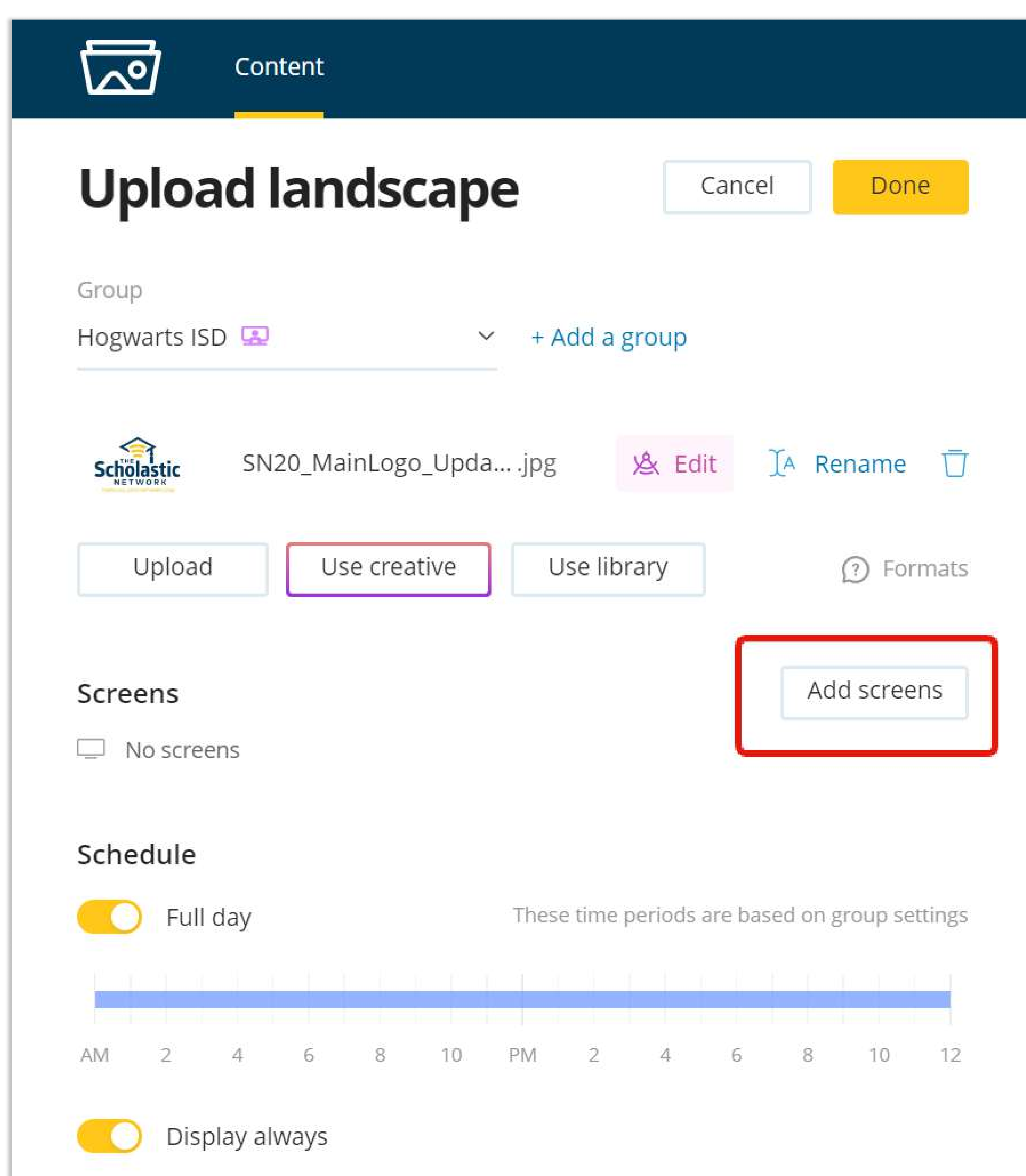
## Upload Files

You can click “Upload” or drag and drop your files to start uploading them.



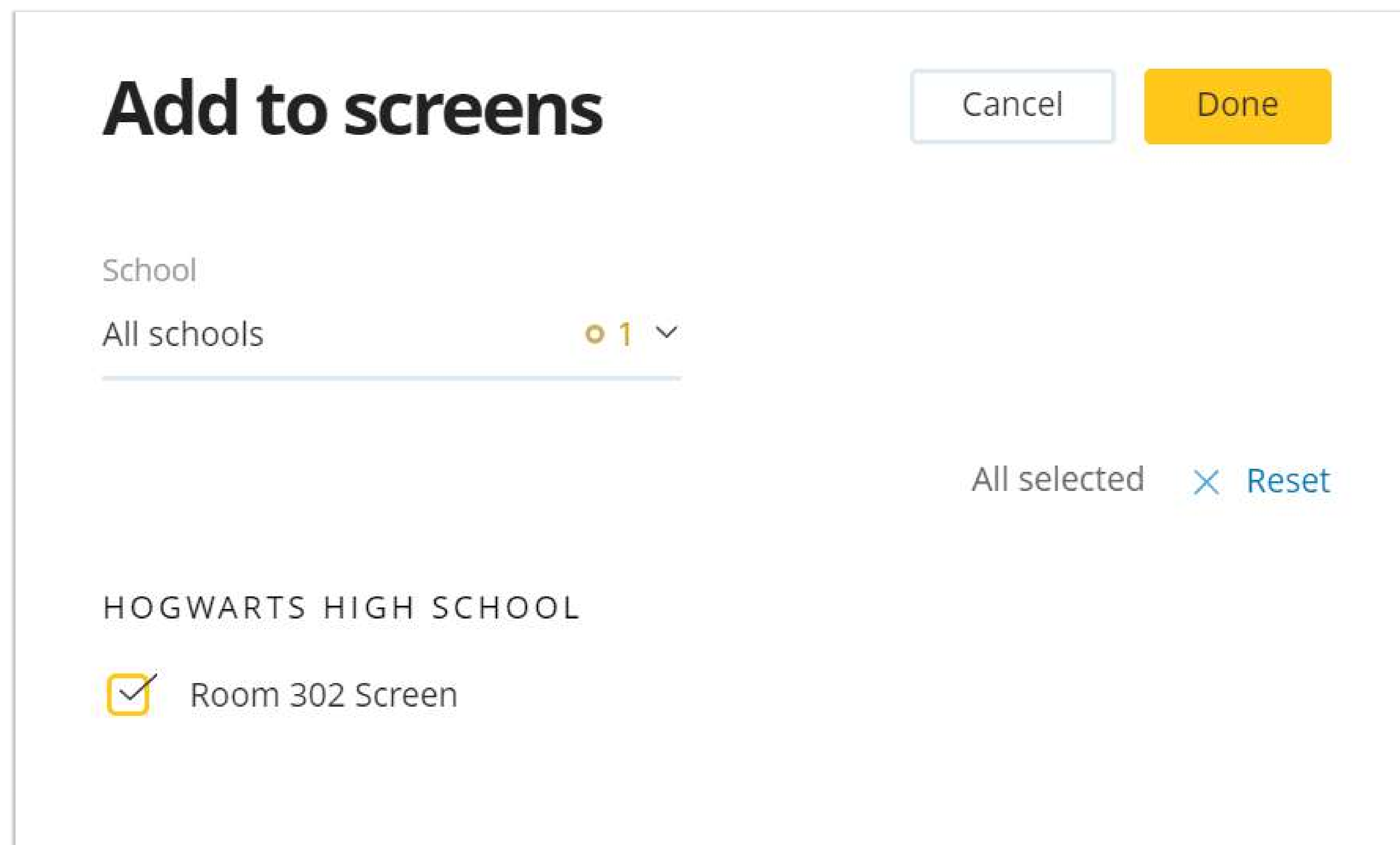
## Choose Screens

You will then want to choose which screens you would like this content piece(s) to play. Click on “Add screens” to render your list of screen options.



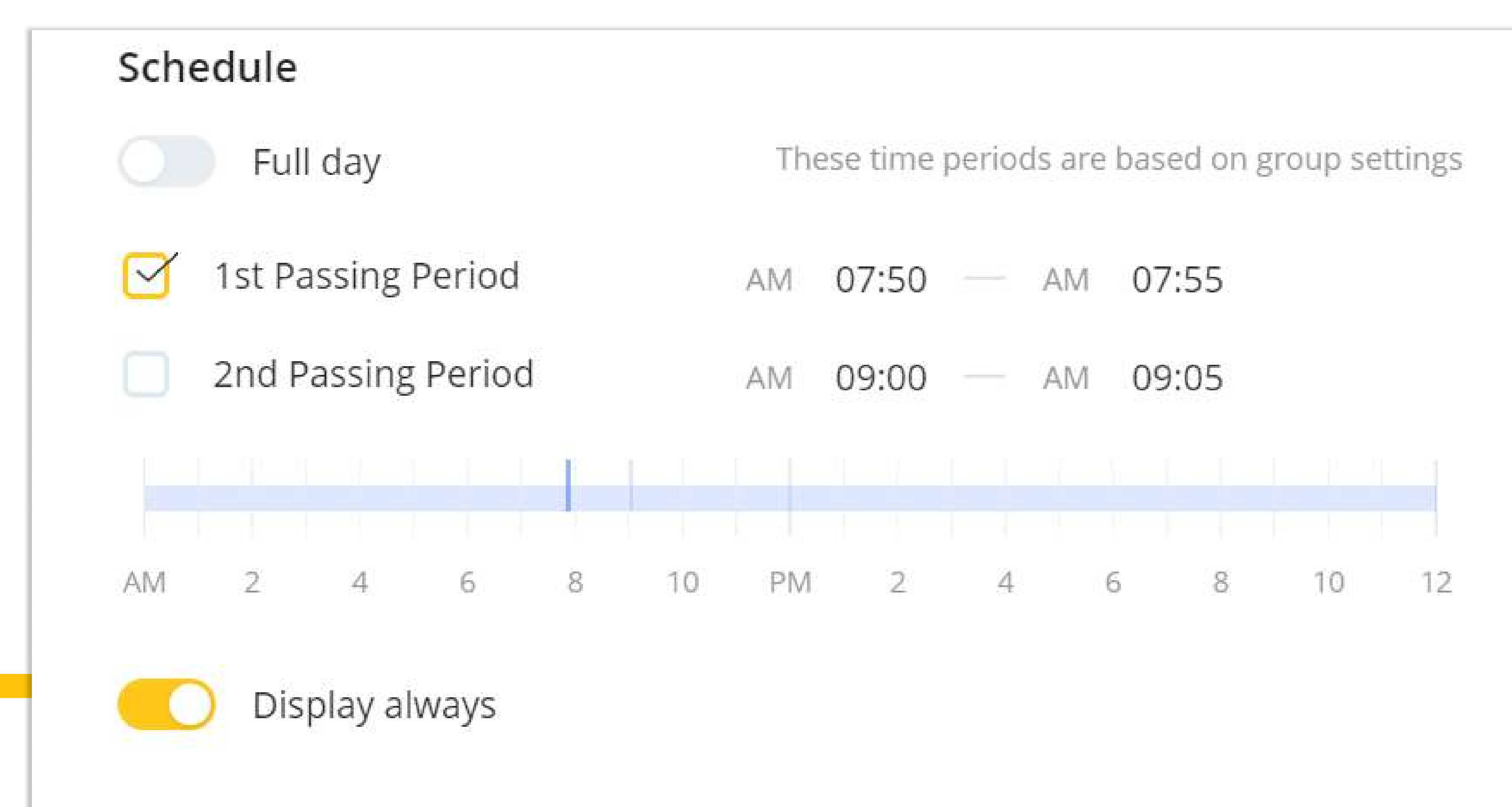
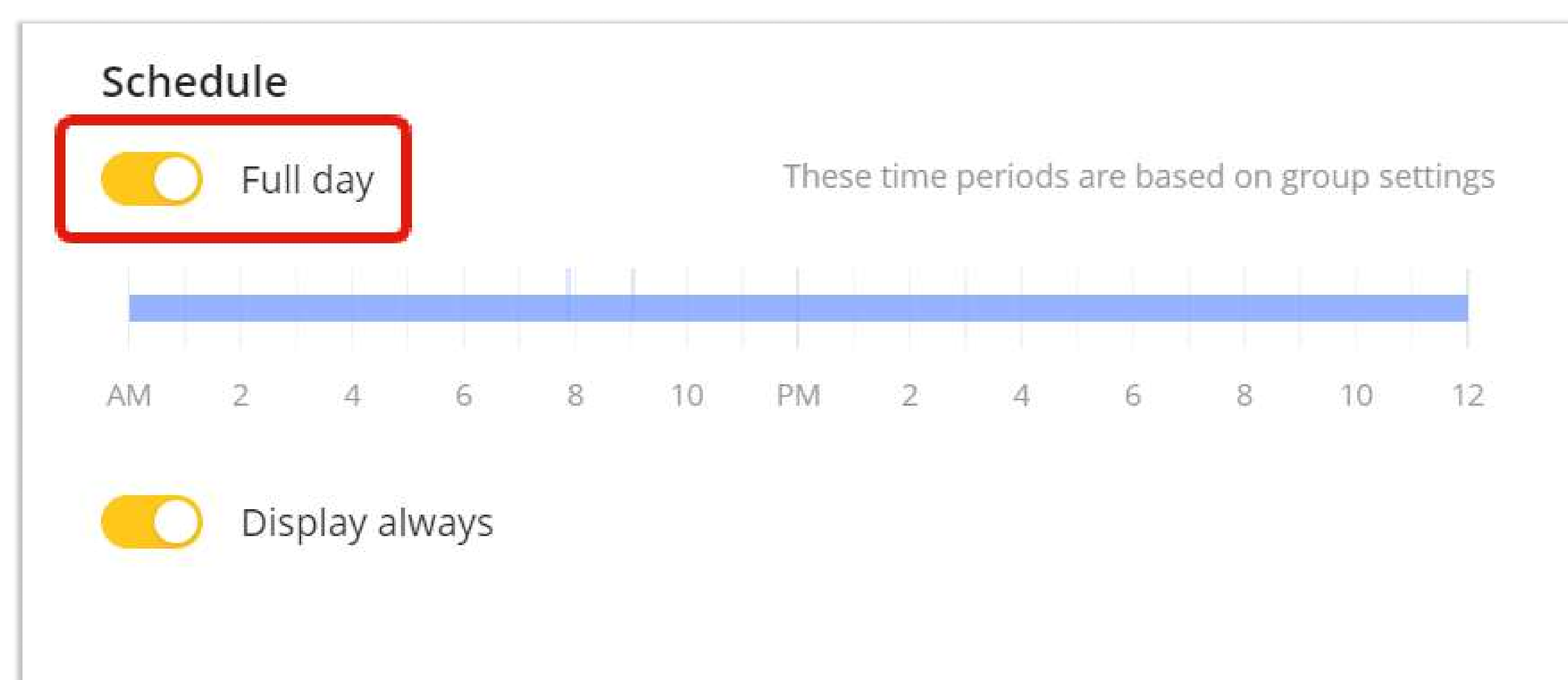


Select individual screens or all of them by clicking “Select all” to push your content pieces to all screens. Click “Done”.



## Schedule Content

Next you will want to set the schedule for the content you’re uploading. “Full day” is selected by default and means your content will play all hours of the day. You can deselect “Full day” and select specific periods you want your content to play during.





“Display always” is also selected by default. This means your content will play everyday. You can deselect this and schedule your content to play on specific days of the week, a specific day on the calendar, or choose a start date and an end date. You can schedule your content however you want.

A screenshot of a settings panel for content upload. At the top, there is a toggle switch labeled "Display always" which is currently turned on. Below this, there are three rows of settings, each with a label on the left and a control on the right. The first row is "Set periods by days" with a calendar icon and the text "Select days" followed by a dropdown arrow. The second row is "Start date" with a calendar icon and the text "Unlimited". The third row is "End date" with a calendar icon and the text "Unlimited".

## Set Periods By Days

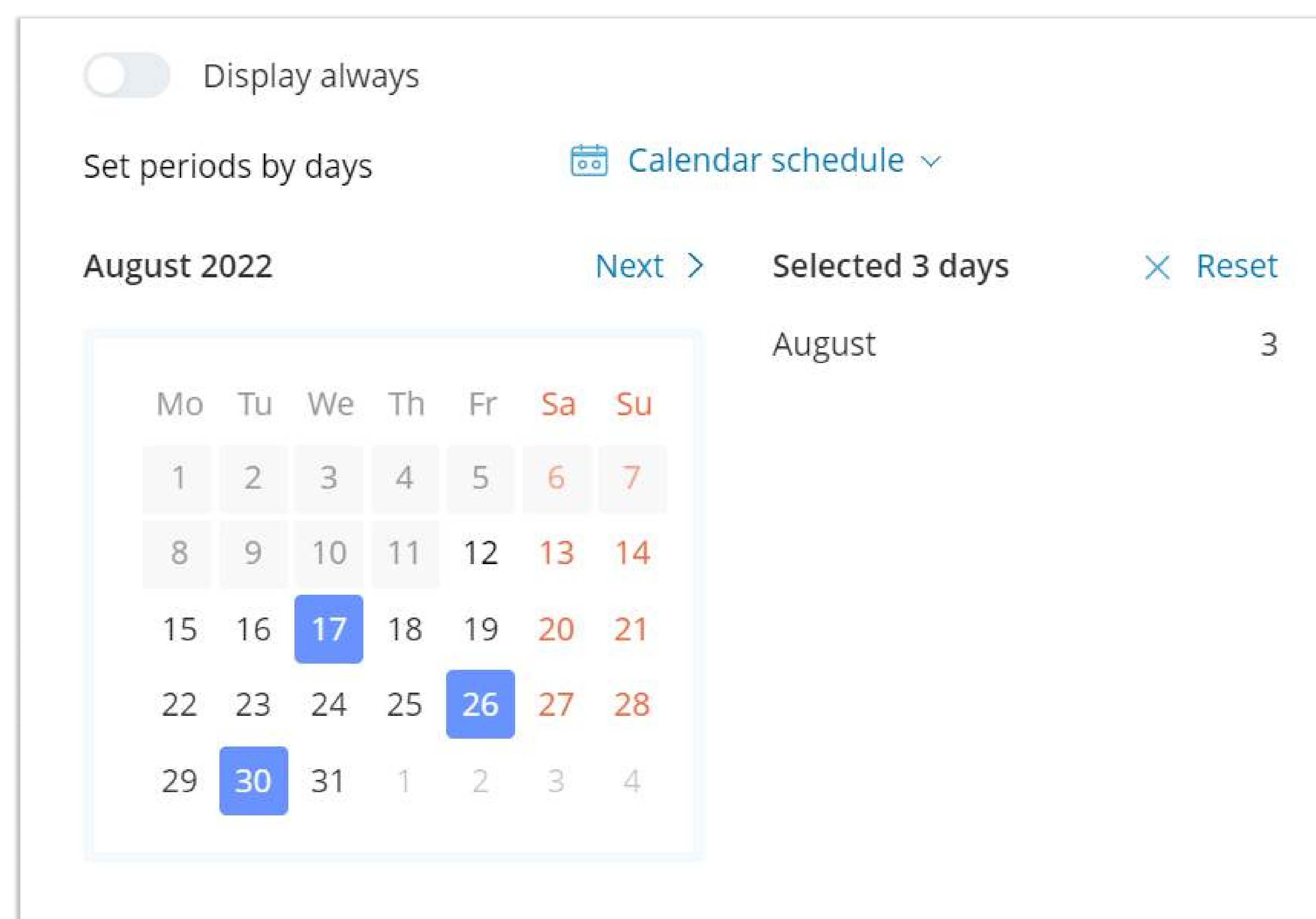
Setting the periods by days gives you the flexibility to schedule your content on specific days of the week.

A screenshot of the "Set Periods By Days" settings panel. The "Display always" toggle is turned off. The "Set periods by days" dropdown menu is open, showing a list of days with checkboxes. The days selected are Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. The days not selected are Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday. There is also a "Calendar schedule" option at the top of the dropdown and a "Select all" link at the bottom.



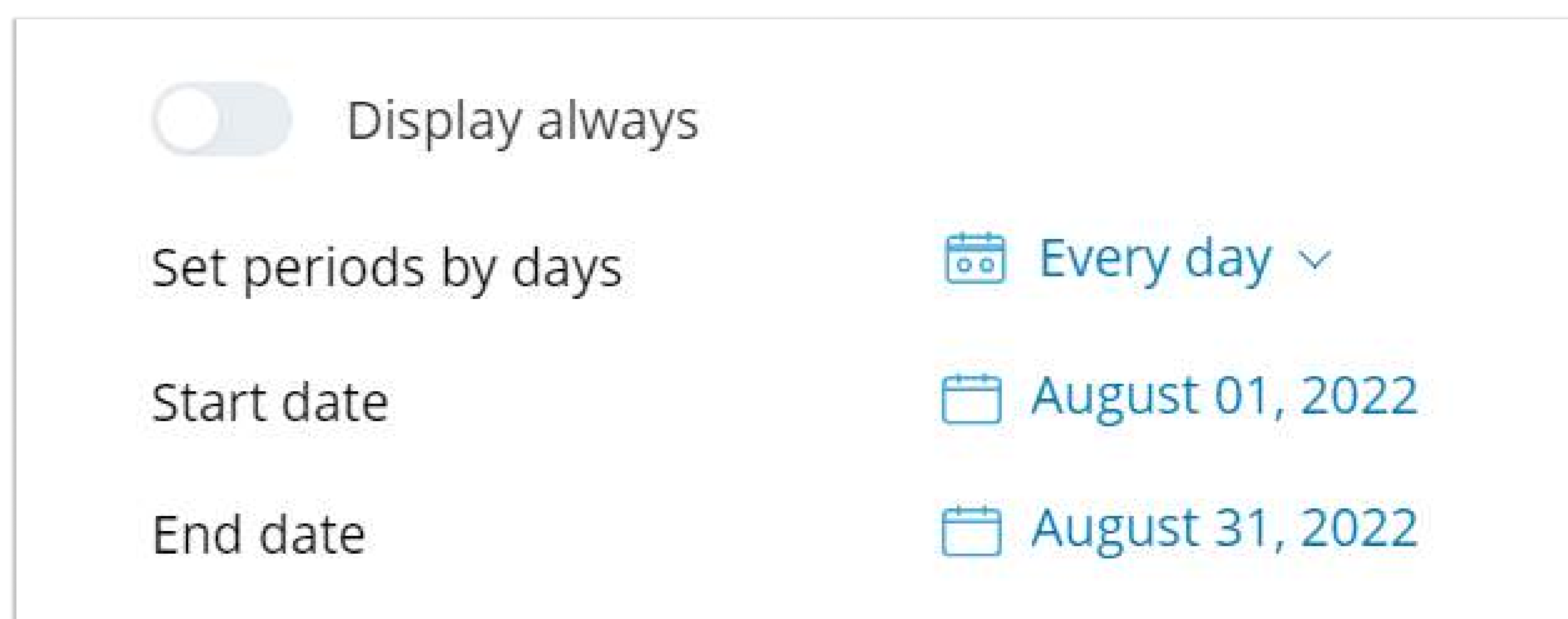
## Calendar Schedule

This scheduling option allows you to schedule your content on a specific day on the calendar.

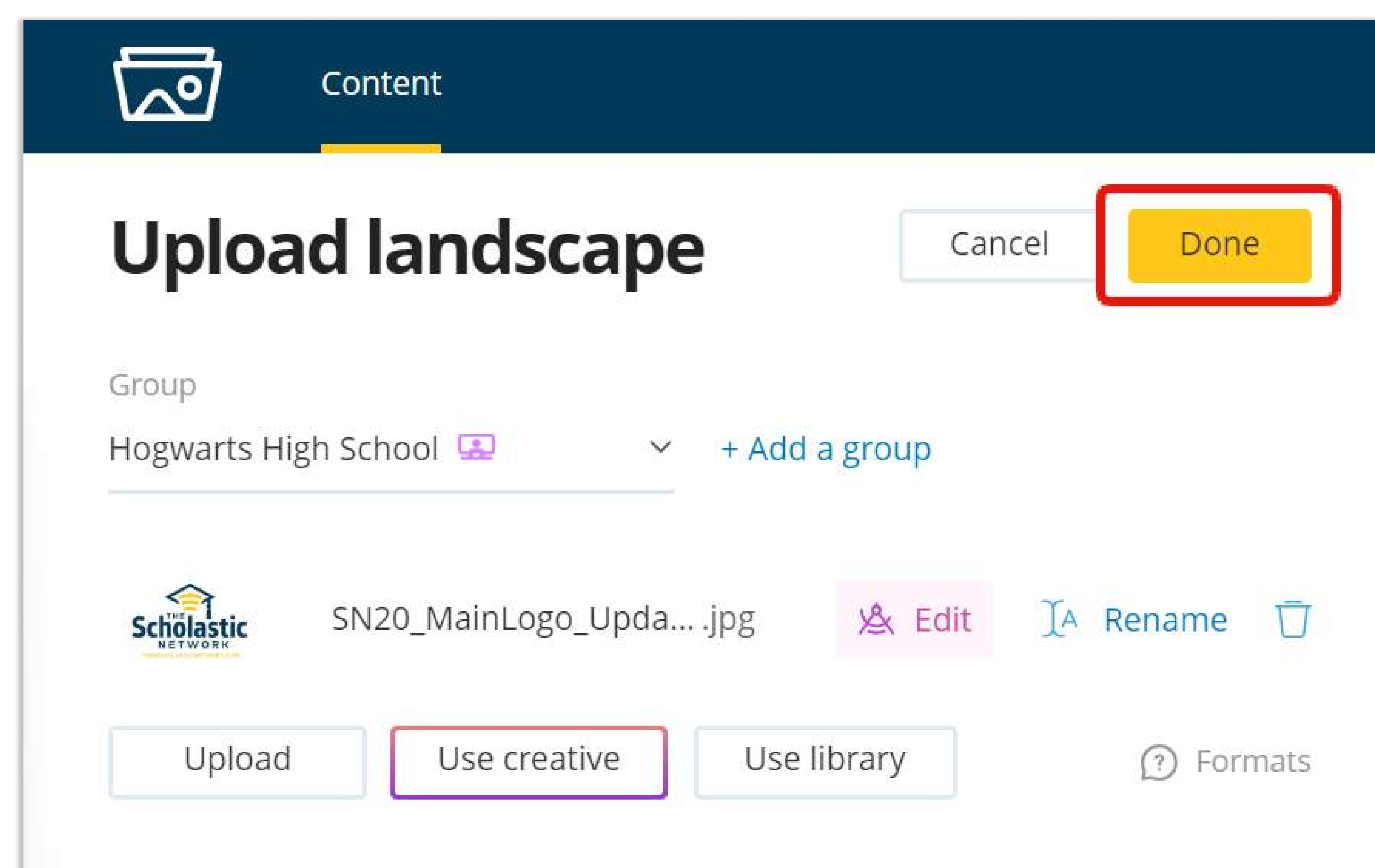


## Start Date and End Date

You also have the ability to select a start date and end date for your content. This controls when your content is shown on your screens and when it is taken off.



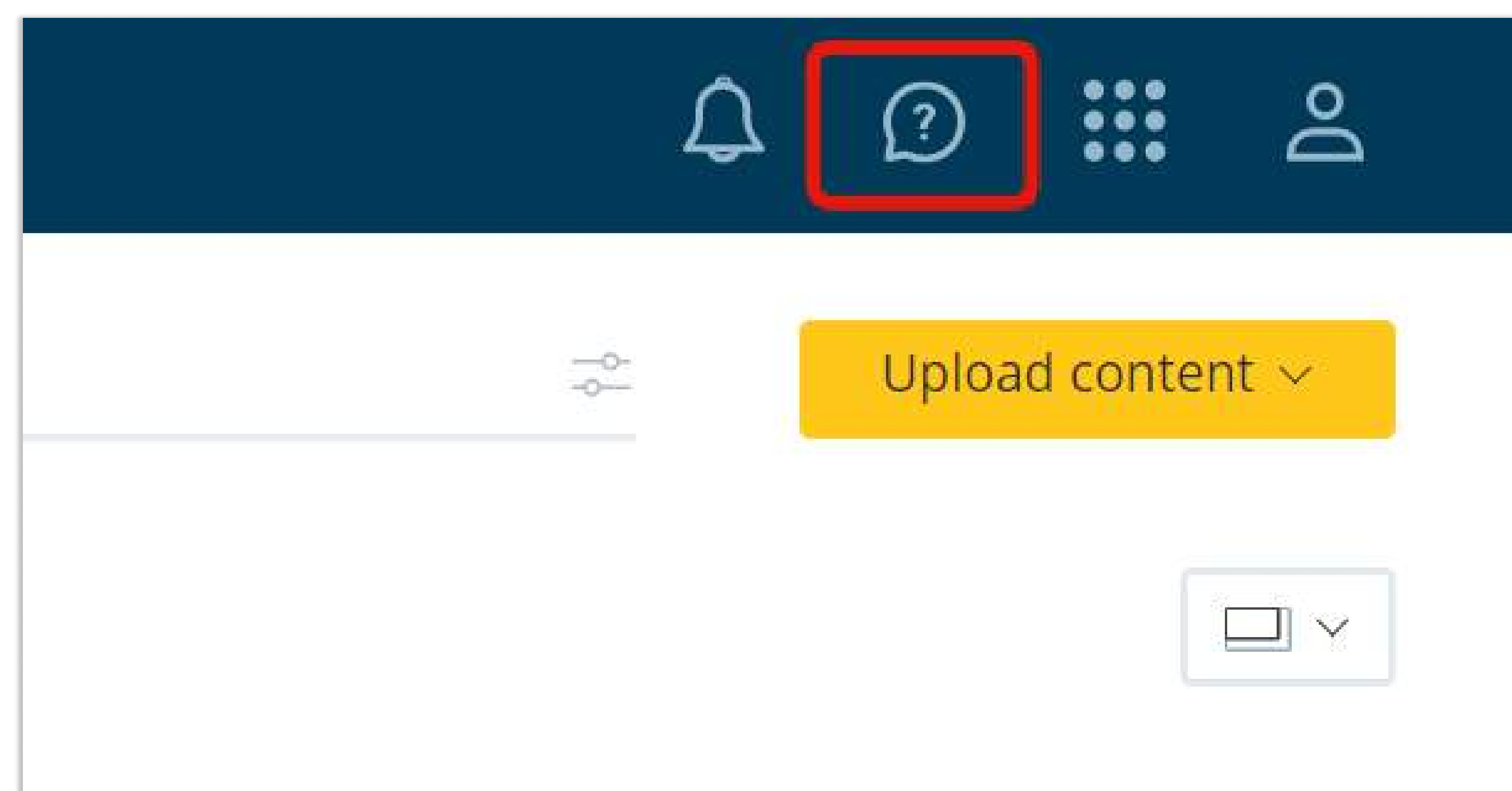
Once the scheduling is set for your new content pieces, click “Done” to finalize uploading your new content.





## Help Bubble

Inside of your TSN portal, for whichever portal you're inside of, you will find a help bubble in the top right corner.



Anytime you need help, click the help bubble and you will find guides, videos, and other helpful documents for the exact portal that you're inside of.



## Submit Ticket

If you cannot find the answer you're looking for, reach out! Inside of the help bubble, you will find a button at the bottom that says "Create request". Click that and fill out the form and someone from our support team will be happy to help you.

