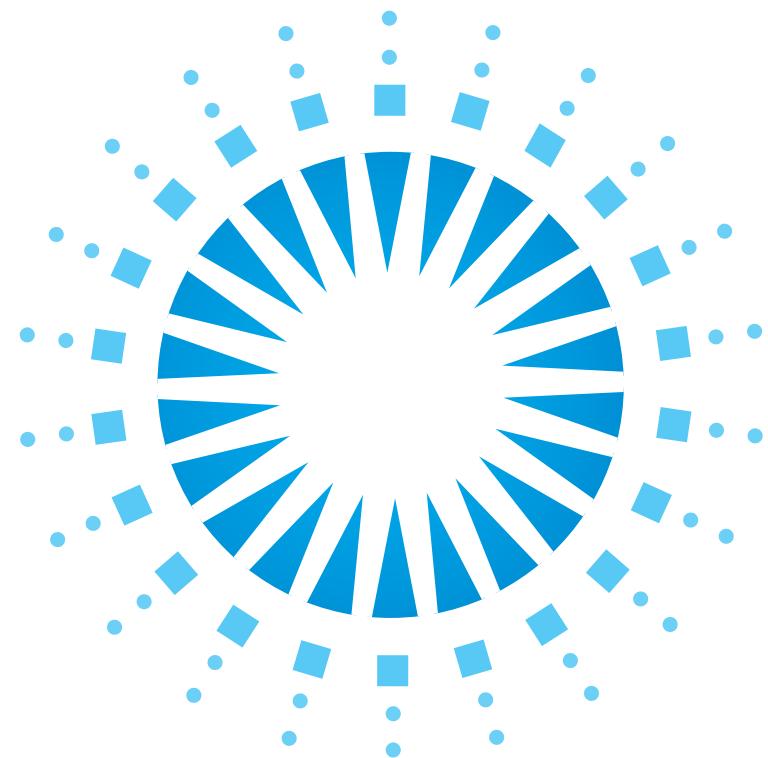


# Northeast Ohio Regional Library System

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## VISUAL IDENTITY ASSESSMENT



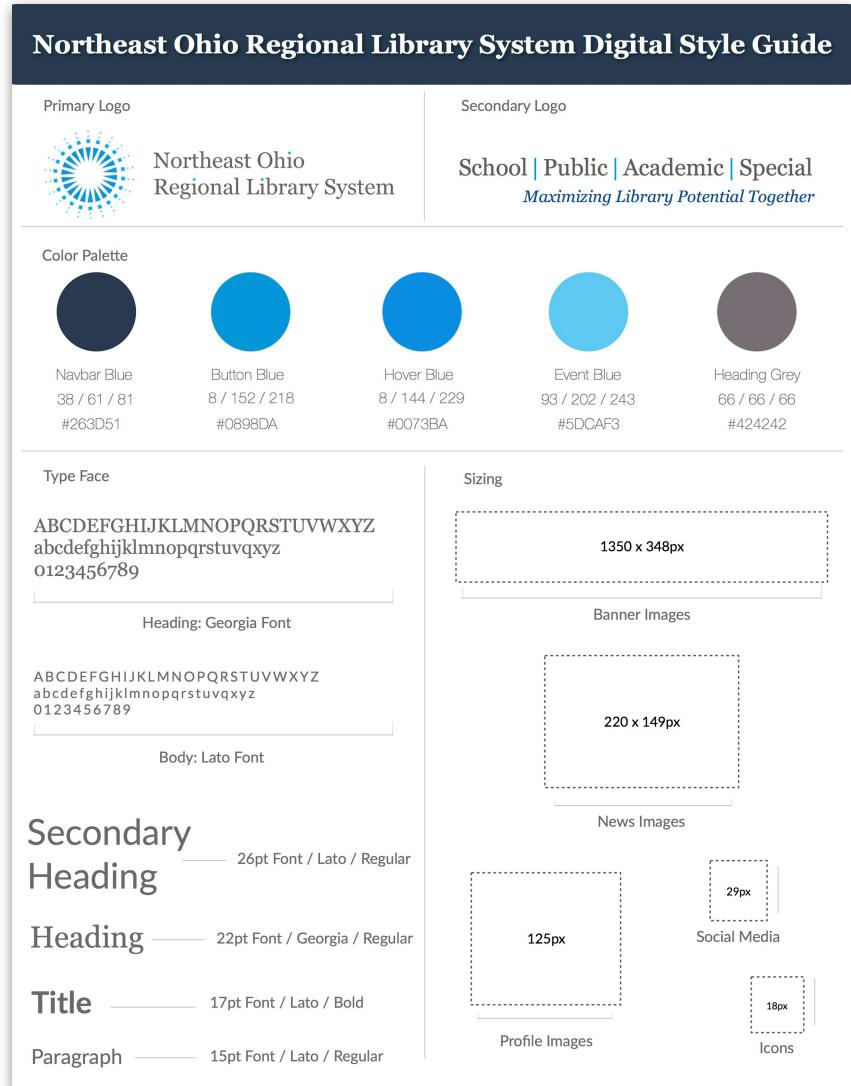
# Your library depends upon its communication with the community to convey information, create engagement and foster a lifelong relationship.

Creating and maintaining a consistent digital and print visual message can be difficult when responsibilities and tasks are spread among departments or individuals.

NEO-RLS Visual Identity Assessment helps ensure that your graphic message is consistent by providing a comprehensive assessment of your library's print and digital communication, and making recommendations as needed to strengthen and unify your visual messaging.

The NEO-RLS Visual Identity Assessment:

- **Provides a detailed audit of your visual communication and brand, noting clear areas of strength and advising on methods to reduce visual fragmentation**
- **Outlines a clear and consistent graphic communication strategy with specific guidelines for typography, color usage, image sizing and more**
- **Can be implemented immediately by all staff using the visual design software with which they are comfortable**



The Northeast Ohio Regional Library System Digital Style Guide is a comprehensive document designed to help libraries maintain a consistent visual identity across all digital platforms. It includes sections for Primary Logo, Secondary Logo, Color Palette, Type Face, Sizing, and various image dimensions. The Primary Logo features a blue sunburst icon and the text "Northeast Ohio Regional Library System". The Secondary Logo includes categories for School, Public, Academic, and Special, with the tagline "Maximizing Library Potential Together". The Color Palette provides hex codes for Nav Bar Blue (#38/61/81), Button Blue (#0898DA), Hover Blue (#0073BA), Event Blue (#5DCAF3), and Heading Grey (#424242). The Type Face section shows examples of Georgia and Lato fonts. Sizing details include banner images at 1350 x 348px, news images at 220 x 149px, social media images at 29px, profile images at 125px, and icons at 18px. Font styles range from 15pt to 26pt.

The Visual Identity Assessment will vary in terms of time dependent upon the extent of digital and print materials in use. Contact Betsy Lantz, Executive Director, at [betsy.lantz@neo-rls.org](mailto:betsy.lantz@neo-rls.org) or 330-655-0531, ext. 101.

## Visual Identity Assessment Cost

NEO-RLS charges an hourly fee for consulting. The total cost is based on the number of hours involved and the level of library membership.

2017-2018 (begins July 1, 2017) charges are as follows: \$100.00 per hour for Gold Member libraries. Gold Members receive a total of four (4) hours of free consulting which may be applied to any consulting costs. The hourly cost for Silver Member libraries is \$125.00 per hour, \$150.00 per hour for Bronze Member libraries and \$200.00 per hour for Geographic Member libraries.