

Cornell Motes

Clarifying words in text

Today's Standard

1.RI.4 - Ask and answer questions to help determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases in a text.

Cues	Notes
What is the standard?	The standard is about asking and answering questions to understand words and phrases in a text.
Why is asking questions	
important?	Asking questions helps students engage with the text and seek clarification, improving comprehension.
How can context clues help?	
	Context clues provide hints within the text that help determine the
What are common misconceptions?	meaning of unfamiliar words.
·	Misconception 1: Students should know every word without asking.
What are some strategies to clarify word meanings?	Misconception 2: Context clues are not helpful.
,	Strategies include using context clues, asking questions, and discussing words with peers or teachers.

Summary

The standard focuses on asking and answering questions to clarify word meanings in a text. This skill enhances reading comprehension by encouraging active engagement with the text and using context clues.