

Cornell Motes

## **Descriptive Speaking**

## Today's Standard

1.SL.4 - Describe people, places, things, and events with relevant details, expressing ideas and feelings clearly.

Cues	Notes
What is descriptive speaking?	Descriptive speaking involves explaining people, places, things, and events with clear details.
Why are details important?	
	Details help listeners understand the speaker's message more clearly.
How can simple words be	
effective?	Simple and clear words can effectively convey a message without confusing the listener.
What are common	
misconceptions?	Common misconceptions include thinking descriptions should be short and that big words are necessary.
What is subsequent knowledge?	
	Subsequent knowledge includes advanced speaking skills and engaging in collaborative conversations.

## Summary

Descriptive speaking is about clearly explaining people, places, things, and events with relevant details. Using simple words can be very effective. Avoid common misconceptions by encouraging detailed descriptions and using everyday language. This skill leads to more advanced communication abilities.