

Cornell Motes

Using Visuals to Enhance Descriptions

Today's Standard

1.SL.5 - Add drawings or other visual displays to descriptions when appropriate to clarify ideas, thoughts, and feelings.

Cues	Notes
What is the purpose of visual aids?	Visual aids enhance and clarify verbal descriptions.
How should visuals be chosen?	Choose visuals that directly relate to the spoken words.
Can drawings replace verbal descriptions?	Drawings should support, not replace, verbal descriptions.

Summary

Using visual aids helps clarify and enrich verbal descriptions. It is important to choose relevant visuals and use them to support spoken words.