



Information Gathering and Summarization

Today's Standard

5.W.8 - Recall relevant information from experiences or gather relevant information from print and digital sources; summarize or paraphrase information in notes and finished work, and provide a list of sources.

Cues	Notes
What is paraphrasing?	Paraphrasing is rewriting information in your own words.
Why is summarizing important?	Summarizing helps condense information and highlight main points.
How can you evaluate a source's credibility?	Evaluate a source's credibility by checking the author's credentials, publication date, and purpose.
What are the steps to gather information?	Steps to gather information: identify sources, take notes, summarize/paraphrase, list sources.
What is plagiarism?	Plagiarism is using someone else's work as your own without giving credit.

Summary

This standard focuses on gathering and summarizing information from various sources. It includes skills like paraphrasing, evaluating source credibility, and avoiding plagiarism.