



### Scientific and Technical Vocabulary

#### Today's Standard

6-8.RST.4 - Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a specific scientific or technical context relevant to grades 6-8 texts and topics.

Cues	Notes
What are domain-specific words?	Domain-specific words are terms used specifically within a particular field.
How can context help in understanding terms?	Context can provide clues but may not always be sufficient for understanding technical terms.
What resources can aid in understanding technical vocabulary?	Resources like glossaries, dictionaries, and online databases can help understand technical vocabulary.
Why is it important to understand scientific symbols?	Understanding scientific symbols is crucial as they convey important information in a concise manner.
How does this standard apply to real-world scenarios?	This standard helps students engage with scientific and technical texts, enhancing their comprehension and critical thinking skills.

#### Summary

This standard focuses on understanding domain-specific vocabulary and symbols in scientific and technical contexts, using context clues and additional resources to aid comprehension.