



Evaluating Speaker's Claims

Today's Standard

6.SL.3 - Delineate a speaker's argument and specific claims, distinguishing claims that are supported by reasons and evidence from claims that are not.

Cues	Notes
What is a claim?	A claim is a statement or assertion that something is true.
What is evidence?	Evidence includes facts, statistics, and examples that support a claim.
How to distinguish between supported and unsupported claims?	To distinguish between supported and unsupported claims, look for concrete evidence backing up the claim.
Why is it important to evaluate a speaker's argument?	Evaluating a speaker's argument helps determine the validity and reliability of the information presented.

Summary

Understanding how to delineate a speaker's argument involves identifying claims and evaluating the evidence provided. This skill is crucial for critical thinking and effective communication.