

Cornell Notes

Active Listening and Adaptation

Today's Standard

7.SL.1d - Acknowledge new information expressed by others and, when warranted, modify their own views.

Cues	Notes
What is active listening?	Active listening involves fully concentrating, understanding, and responding to what is being said.
Why is acknowledging new	
information important?	Acknowledging new information helps in understanding different perspectives and improving communication.
How can you modify your	
views?	Modifying views involves being open to new information and willing to adjust your perspective.
What are common	
misconceptions?	Misconception 1: Acknowledging means agreeing. Misconception 2: Changing views is a sign of weakness.
How can you overcome these	
misconceptions?	Overcome misconceptions by practicing active listening and understanding the value of perspective-taking.

Summary

Active listening and acknowledging new information are crucial for effective communication. Students should understand that acknowledging does not mean agreeing and that modifying views shows strength.