



Vocabulary Acquisition and Use

Today's Standard

11-12.L.6 - Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Creating research papers with precise terminology; Engaging in debates using domain-specific language; Writing college application essays with advanced vocabulary; Reading and analyzing complex texts; Presenting findings in science or social studies using accurate terminology

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about the importance of using new words correctly. We practiced using these words in speaking, writing, and reading.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids think they only need new words for reading and writing. But we need them for talking and listening too! Another tricky part is thinking they don't need special words for certain subjects. But those words help us understand many things.

Quiz Me

- Can you tell me a new word you learned today?
- How can you use that word in a sentence?
- Why is it important to learn new words?
- Can you think of a time when you used a new word while talking?
- What does 'domain-specific' mean?

Help Me

Learning new words helps us talk, read, and write better. We can use these words in school and everyday life. For example, if you learn a new word in science class, you can use it to explain things better to your friends or

family.