



Effective Presentation Skills

Today's Standard

11-12.SL.4 - Present information, findings, and supporting evidence, conveying a clear and distinct perspective, such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning, alternative or opposing perspectives are addressed, and the organization, development, substance, and style are appropriate to purpose, audience, and a range of formal and informal tasks.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Delivering a persuasive speech in a debate club; Presenting research findings in a science fair; Leading a discussion in a book club; Pitching a project idea in a business meeting

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about how to present information clearly and make sure we think about what other people might say against our ideas.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, students think just being clear is enough, but they also need to think about what others might say. Another problem is not changing how they talk depending on who they are talking to.

Quiz Me

- What should you do before you present?
- Why is it important to think about what others might say?
- How should you change your presentation for different people?
- What is one way to make your presentation better?
- Can you give an example of presenting to different people?

Help Me

When you present, think about who you are talking to and why you are talking to them. Make sure you are clear, but also think about what others might say against your ideas. This will help you be a better communicator in real life.

