



Effective Writing Techniques

Today's Standard

11-12.WHST.5 - Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Research papers in history classes; Lab reports in science courses; Technical documentation for engineering projects; Creating business proposals; Writing grant applications

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about how to make our writing better by planning, revising, editing, and trying new ways to write. This helps us write clearly and for the right audience.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Some kids think one draft is enough, but we need more drafts to make our writing good. Others think editing is just fixing grammar, but it's also about making sure the content is clear and well-organized.

Quiz Me

- What is the first step in writing?
- Why do we revise our writing?
- What should we check first when editing?
- How can friends help with our writing?
- Is one draft enough for good writing?

Help Me

Writing is important in real life, like writing reports for school or work. We need to plan, revise, and edit to make sure our writing is clear and easy to understand.