



Understanding Verb Tenses

Today's Standard

1.L.1e - Use verbs to convey a sense of past, present, and future (e.g., Yesterday I walked home; Today I walk home; Tomorrow I will walk home).

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Writing daily journal entries using different tenses.; Reading stories and identifying verb tenses.; Role-playing activities to describe actions in different tenses.; Creating timelines of daily activities using past, present, and future tenses.

Today I Learned

Today we learned about verb tenses. Verbs are action words that change to show when something happens: in the past, present, or future.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Some kids might think verbs don't change with time, but they do. Others might mix up irregular verbs because they don't follow the usual rules.

Quiz Me

- What is a verb?
- Can you give an example of a past tense verb?
- What verb would you use for something happening now?
- How do you say 'walk' if it will happen tomorrow?
- Why do we change verb tenses?

Help Me

Verbs tell us when something happens. For example, 'walk' changes to 'walked' for the past and 'will walk' for the future. You can practice by talking about what you did yesterday, what you are doing today, and what you will do tomorrow.