



Understanding Basic Grammar and Usage

Today's Standard

1.L.3 - (Begins in grade 2)

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Identifying correct verb tense in sentences.; Using punctuation marks correctly.; Recognizing and correcting simple grammatical errors in writing.

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about grammar and punctuation. We talked about how sentences need to have subjects and predicates, and how punctuation marks like periods and commas help make sentences clear.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Some students think that punctuation isn't important, but it helps make the meaning of sentences clear. Others might think that verb tense doesn't need to match the time of the action, but it helps us understand when things happen.

Quiz Me

- What is a complete sentence?
- Why do we use punctuation marks?
- What does verb tense tell us?
- Can you give an example of a subject in a sentence?
- Can you give an example of a predicate in a sentence?

Help Me

Grammar and punctuation help us write and speak clearly. For example, using the correct verb tense helps us know when things happen. Punctuation marks like periods and commas make sentences easier to understand.