



### Connecting Information in Texts

#### Today's Standard

1.RI.3 - Describe the connection between two individuals, events, ideas, or pieces of information in a text.

#### Real-World Applications for this Standard

Discussing historical events and their impacts; Comparing two characters in a story; Relating scientific ideas to everyday life; Understanding cause and effect in news articles

#### Today I Learned

Today we learned how to find and describe connections in texts. This means we can see how different people, events, and ideas are related to each other.

#### Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes kids think all connections are equally important, but some are more central to the story. Another common mistake is thinking all connections are clearly stated, but some are implied and need to be figured out.

#### Quiz Me

- Can you tell me how two characters in the story are connected?
- What happened because of the big event in the story?
- How are these two ideas related?
- Can you find a cause and effect in the text?
- What do you think is the main connection in this piece of information?

#### Help Me

When we read, we often find connections between different parts of the text. For example, one event might cause another event to happen. Understanding these connections helps us understand the text better. We see these connections in real life too, like how brushing your teeth helps keep them healthy.