

Parent Guide to the

Understanding Literature

Today's Standard

1.RL.8 - (Not applicable to literature)

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Discussing favorite storybooks; Identifying characters and settings in stories; Describing the plot of a story read aloud; Drawing scenes from a story

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about understanding literature. We talked about characters, settings, and plots in stories.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Some kids think all stories need pictures, but they don't. Others think stories are just for fun, but stories can teach us lessons too.

Quiz Me

- What is a character in a story?
- Can a story have no pictures?
- What is the setting of a story?
- What is a plot?
- Why do some stories have lessons?

Help Me

Stories are everywhere, like in books, movies, and even games. They help us learn new things and understand the world better. Next time you read a story, think about who the characters are, where the story happens, and what happens in the story.