

Choosing Adjectives and Adverbs

Today's Standard

2.L.1e - Use adjectives and adverbs, and choose between them depending on what is to be modified.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Describing a favorite toy using adjectives.; Writing a short story and using adverbs to describe actions.; Creating sentences that describe family members using both adjectives and adverbs.; Playing a game where students choose the correct word to complete a sentence.

Today I Learned

Today, I learned about adjectives and adverbs. Adjectives describe nouns, like 'happy' or 'blue.' Adverbs describe verbs, adjectives, or other adverbs, like 'quickly' or 'softly.'

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids mix up adjectives and adverbs. They might use an adjective when they need an adverb, or think all adverbs end in '-ly.' We can help by practicing with lots of examples.

Quiz Me

- What does an adjective describe?
- What does an adverb describe?
- Can you give me an example of an adjective?
- Can you give me an example of an adverb?
- How do you know when to use an adjective or an adverb?

Help Me

Adjectives and adverbs help us make our sentences more interesting. For example, instead of just saying 'dog,' you can say 'happy dog' using an adjective. Or, instead of just saying 'runs,' you can say 'runs quickly' using an adverb. Practice by describing things around you!