



Contextual Word Recognition

Today's Standard

2.RF.4c - Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Reading a storybook and using pictures to understand words.; Using surrounding words to figure out the meaning of a new word.; Rereading a sentence to understand a tricky word.; Using clues in a sentence to confirm word meaning.

Today I Learned

Today I learned how to use context clues to understand words better. This means looking at the words around a tricky word to figure out what it means. I also learned that rereading a sentence can help me understand it better.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes kids think they only need pictures to understand words, but pictures and text together give better clues. Another mistake is thinking rereading is only for when you don't understand something. Rereading can also help you make sure you got it right.

Quiz Me

- What does 'context' mean?
- Why is rereading important?
- How can pictures help you understand a word?
- What are context clues?
- Can rereading help you even if you understand the sentence?

Help Me

When you read a book, sometimes you find a word you don't know. Look at the words around it to help you understand. If you still don't get it, try reading the sentence again. This can help you figure out what the word means.

