



## Informative Writing for Kids

### Today's Standard

2.W.2 - Write informative/explanatory texts in which they introduce a topic, use facts and definitions to develop points, and provide a concluding statement or section.

### Real-World Applications for this Standard

Writing a short report about a favorite animal; Creating an informational poster about a community helper; Composing a simple 'how-to' guide for a class project; Writing a summary of a book read in class; Creating a fact sheet about a historical figure

### Today I Learned

Today, I learned how to write informative texts. This means I can write about a topic using facts and definitions and finish with a good ending.

### Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids might think they can put their opinions in informative texts, but it's all about facts. They might also forget to add an ending, which is important to wrap things up.

### Quiz Me

- What is an informative text?
- What should you include in your writing?
- Why is it important to use facts?
- What is a concluding statement?
- Can you tell me a fact about your favorite animal?

### Help Me

When writing informative texts, think about when you explain something to a friend. You tell them facts about it, like what it is and how it works. For example, you might write about how to take care of a pet or facts about your favorite animal. This helps you practice sharing important information clearly.