



## Complete Sentences for Clarity

### Today's Standard

3.SL.6 - Speak in complete sentences when appropriate to task and situation in order to provide requested detail or clarification. (See grade 3 Language standards 1 and 3 here for specific expectations.)

### Real-World Applications for this Standard

Classroom discussions; Presentations; Group projects; Storytelling; Answering questions in class

### Today I Learned

Today, we learned about speaking in complete sentences. This means using sentences that have all the parts needed to make sense, like when we write.

### Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids think they only need to use complete sentences when writing, but it's important for talking too. Also, complete sentences don't have to be long and complicated; they just need to be clear.

### Quiz Me

- What is a complete sentence?
- Why do we use complete sentences?
- Can you give an example of a complete sentence?
- When should you use complete sentences?
- Are complete sentences always long?

### Help Me

Using complete sentences helps us talk clearly. For example, when telling a story or answering a question, complete sentences make sure everyone understands what we mean.