



Writing Development and Editing

Today's Standard

3.W.5 - With guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, and editing. (Editing for conventions should demonstrate command of Language standards 1-3 up to and including grade 3 here.)

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Peer review sessions; Teacher-led writing workshops; Using graphic organizers for planning; Editing drafts for grammar and punctuation; Revising stories based on feedback

Today I Learned

Today I learned how to make my writing better by planning, revising, and editing with help from my friends and teacher.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes kids think their first draft is perfect and doesn't need changes. They might also think editing is just about fixing spelling mistakes. But it's important to check for grammar and punctuation too.

Quiz Me

- What are the steps in the writing process?
- Why should you revise your writing?
- What does editing help you fix?
- How can friends help you with your writing?
- What should you check for when editing?

Help Me

When you write a story, you first make a plan. Then you write it down. After that, you read it again to see if you can make it better. You also check for grammar and punctuation mistakes. This helps you write clear and correct stories, just like authors do.