

## Language Conventions in Communication

### Today's Standard

4.L.3 - Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.

### Real-World Applications for this Standard

Writing a clear and coherent story; Giving a well-structured oral presentation; Understanding and following written instructions; Engaging in meaningful conversations

### Today I Learned

Today, we learned about the rules of language that help us communicate clearly. These rules are important when we write, speak, read, or listen.

### Common Stumbling Blocks

Some kids think these rules are only for writing, but they are also for talking and listening. Others think the same rule works everywhere, but it can change depending on the situation.

### Quiz Me

- What are language conventions?
- Why are they important?
- Can you give an example of a language rule?
- Do language rules always stay the same?
- Where do we use language conventions?

### Help Me

Language conventions are rules that help us talk, write, and read clearly. For example, using proper punctuation helps people understand what we mean. These rules can change depending on if we are talking to a friend or writing a letter.