

Organizing Written Information

Today's Standard

4.W.2a - Introduce a topic clearly and group related information in paragraphs and sections; include formatting (e.g., headings), illustrations, and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Writing a report about a science experiment with clear sections for hypothesis, methods, results, and conclusion.; Creating a travel brochure with headings, images, and multimedia to describe different attractions.; Developing a class newsletter with articles grouped by topics such as school events, student achievements, and upcoming activities.

Today I Learned

Today, we learned how to write clearly by using paragraphs and sections. We also learned to use headings, pictures, and videos to make our writing better.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Some kids might think they should put all their information in one paragraph, but this can make their writing confusing. Others might not know that using headings, pictures, and videos can help people understand their writing better.

Quiz Me

- What should you use to make your writing clear?
- Why are headings important?
- How can pictures help your writing?
- What does a section do in your writing?
- Why should you use videos in your writing?

Help Me

When you write, think about how you can make your information clear. Use headings to show different parts of your writing. Add pictures and videos to help people understand what you are saying. This will make your writing more interesting and easier to read.