



Narrative Writing Techniques

Today's Standard

4.W.3 - Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, descriptive details, and clear event sequences.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Writing a personal story about a memorable event; Creating a fictional story inspired by a picture prompt; Describing a day in the life of a historical figure; Writing a diary entry from the perspective of a book character; Composing a short story that includes a beginning, middle, and end

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about writing stories. We practiced making our stories interesting with lots of details and making sure they have a beginning, middle, and end.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids think stories are only made up, but they can also be about real things that happened. Another mistake is not making the story in order, like starting with the end.

Quiz Me

- What is a story?
- Can a story be about something real?
- What should a story have at the beginning?
- What should a story have in the middle?
- What should a story have at the end?

Help Me

A story can be about something real or made up. It's important to tell the story in order, with a clear beginning, middle, and end. Stories are everywhere, like in books, movies, and even our own lives!