



Writing Effective Conclusions

Today's Standard

4.W.3e - Provide a conclusion that follows from the narrated experiences or events.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Writing the ending of a personal narrative; Concluding a book report; Summarizing a field trip experience; Closing an opinion essay; Ending a creative story

Today I Learned

Today we learned how to write a good ending for a story. The ending should make sense with what happened in the story.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes kids think any ending is okay, but it should make sense with the story. Also, the ending should not just repeat the story.

Quiz Me

- What is a conclusion?
- Why is the conclusion important?
- Should the conclusion make sense with the story?
- Is a conclusion just a summary?
- How can you make a good conclusion?

Help Me

A good ending for a story helps make the story feel finished. It should make sense with what happened and give a final thought. For example, if you write about a fun day at the park, your ending could say how happy you felt.