



Text Evidence Analysis

Today's Standard

4.W.9 - Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Writing a book report using quotes from the text.; Creating a research project with cited sources.; Analyzing a story to discuss character motivations.; Reflecting on a historical event using primary sources.

Today I Learned

Today, we learned how to use evidence from books and articles to support our ideas and research.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Some kids might think they can just use their opinions instead of evidence from the text. Others might think only quotes from the text count as evidence. Both are not true.

Quiz Me

- What is text evidence?
- Why do we need to use text evidence?
- How can you show text evidence?
- What is a direct quote?
- What is paraphrasing?

Help Me

Using text evidence means finding information in books or articles that supports your ideas. You can use quotes, paraphrasing, or summaries. For example, if you say a character is brave, you can show a part of the book where the character does something brave.