



Grade-appropriate vocabulary usage

Today's Standard

5.L.6 - Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships (e.g., however, although, nevertheless, similarly, moreover, in addition).

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Using words like 'however' and 'moreover' in essays; Identifying contrasting words in reading passages; Creating sentences using domain-specific vocabulary in science or social studies

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about using words that are right for 5th graders. These words help us show different ideas, like adding new information or showing a difference.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids think that words like 'however' and 'moreover' can be used the same way, but they can't. Each word has a special job. Also, kids might think some words are only for certain subjects, but we can use them in many areas.

Quiz Me

- What does 'however' mean?
- Can you use 'moreover' in a sentence?
- Why do we use transitional words?
- What is a domain-specific word?
- Can you give an example of a word that shows addition?

Help Me

We use special words to make our writing clearer. These words help us connect ideas and show relationships, like adding new information or showing a difference. For example, you might use 'however' to show a contrast or 'moreover' to add more information.

