

Discussion Rules and Roles

Today's Standard

5.SL.1b - Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions and carry out assigned roles.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Classroom debates; Group projects; Literature circles; Peer review sessions; Team sports strategies; Community meetings; Family discussions; Student council meetings

Today I Learned

Today we learned about the rules we need to follow when we talk in groups and how everyone has a special job to do.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes kids think their job in the group isn't important. Other times, they might think they don't have to follow the rules. Both of these ideas are wrong because everyone's part is important and rules help everyone talk and listen better.

Quiz Me

- What should you do when someone else is talking?
- Why is it important to take turns speaking?
- What should you do if you don't agree with someone?
- Why do we have rules for talking in groups?
- What happens if we don't follow the discussion rules?

Help Me

When we talk in groups, we need to follow rules like taking turns and listening to each other. This helps everyone share their ideas and makes the talking time fair and fun. We use these rules in school, at home, and even in sports teams!