

Parent Guide to the Standards

Visual Information Integration

Today's Standard

6-8.RH.7 - Integrate visual information (e.g., in charts, graphs, photographs, videos, or maps) with other information in print and digital texts.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Analyzing historical maps alongside textual descriptions; Comparing statistical data in graphs with written reports; Interpreting photographs within the context of historical events; Using video documentaries to complement textbook information

Today I Learned

Today, we learned how to use pictures, charts, and videos to understand more about what we read in history and social studies.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids might think that pictures and videos can tell the whole story by themselves. But, they need to look at the words too. Also, not everything you see in pictures or videos is always true.

Quiz Me

- What are some types of visual information?
- Why is it important to look at both pictures and words?
- Can pictures sometimes be wrong or tricky?
- What should you do if you don't understand a picture?
- How can videos help you learn more about history?

Help Me

We learned that using pictures, charts, and videos can help us understand history better. For example, a map can show us where something happened, and a video can show us what it looked like. But we need to read the words too, because they help explain the pictures.