



Writing Improvement Techniques

Today's Standard

6-8.WHST.5 - With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on how well purpose and audience have been addressed.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Creating a research report on a historical event; Writing and revising a science lab report; Drafting and editing technical instructions for a simple task; Collaboratively planning and revising a group project report; Rewriting a narrative to better address the intended audience

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about how to make our writing better by planning, revising, editing, and rewriting. It's important to think about who will read our writing and what we want to say.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids think their writing is done after the first draft, but it needs more work to be clear and good. Also, editing is not just fixing spelling; it's making the whole story better.

Quiz Me

- What do you do after writing a first draft?
- Why is it important to revise your writing?
- What does editing help with besides fixing spelling?
- Who can help you make your writing better?
- Why should you think about who will read your writing?

Help Me

When we write, we need to plan and think about what we want to say. After writing, we should look at our work again to make it better. This helps us write clear and good stories or reports that people can understand easily.

