

Literature Analysis Skills

Today's Standard

6.RL.8 - (Not applicable to literature)

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Comparing themes in different books; Analyzing character development; Understanding narrative structures in stories; Evaluating the impact of setting on a story; Identifying the author's purpose and perspective

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about how to look deeper into stories to understand what they really mean.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes kids think that understanding a story is just about telling what happened, but it's also about understanding why things happened and what the author is trying to say. Another common mistake is thinking their own thoughts don't matter, but they do as long as they can explain them with examples from the story.

Quiz Me

- What is a theme in a story?
- Why do characters do what they do?
- What is the setting of a story?
- How can you tell what the story is really about?
- Why are your thoughts about a story important?

Help Me

Understanding stories helps us see the world in new ways. It's like finding hidden messages in a treasure hunt. When we talk about stories, we learn to think carefully and explain our ideas with examples.