



Supporting Claims with Evidence

Today's Standard

6.W.1b - Support claim(s) with clear reasons and relevant evidence, using credible sources and demonstrating an understanding of the topic or text.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Writing persuasive essays; Debating with classmates; Research projects; Analyzing news articles

Today I Learned

Today, we learned how to support our ideas with strong evidence. We need to use reliable sources and make sure our reasons are clear.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Some kids think any source is okay to use, but it's important to check if it's reliable. Others think just saying what they believe is enough, but they need to use facts.

Quiz Me

- What is a fact?
- What is an opinion?
- Why do we need evidence?
- What makes a source reliable?
- How can you check if a source is good?

Help Me

When you write or talk about something, it's important to use facts to support what you say. This helps people believe you and understand your point. For example, if you say eating vegetables is healthy, you can use information from doctors to show why.