

Using precise language in writing

Today's Standard

6.W.2d - Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Writing a science report using accurate scientific terms.; Creating a historical essay with correct historical terminology.; Drafting a technical manual with specific technical language.; Composing a persuasive essay with clear and precise arguments.

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about using precise words in writing. This helps us explain things clearly and correctly.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids think using big words makes writing better, but it's more important to be clear. Also, special words are useful in all subjects, not just science or math.

Quiz Me

- What does precise mean?
- Why is it important to use the right words?
- Can you give an example of a special word for science?
- How can clear writing help us?
- What should we do if we don't know a big word?

Help Me

Using the right words helps us explain things clearly. For example, in science, we use words like 'photosynthesis' to talk about plants making food. This makes our writing easier to understand.