



## Research Skills

### Today's Standard

6.W.7 - Conduct short research projects to answer a question, drawing on several sources and refocusing the inquiry when appropriate.

### Real-World Applications for this Standard

Creating a presentation on a historical event; Writing a report on a science experiment; Developing a biography on a famous person; Investigating a local environmental issue; Preparing an argument for a debate

### Today I Learned

Today, we learned how to do short research projects. We find answers to questions by looking at different sources, like books and websites, and we make sure to check if the information is good.

### Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids think that all websites have good information, but that's not true. They also might stop looking for more answers too soon. We help them learn to find the best information and keep looking until they understand really well.

### Quiz Me

- What is research?
- Why do we look at more than one source?
- How can we tell if a source is good?
- What should we do if we find new information?
- Can you tell me a project you might do with research?

### Help Me

Research helps us find answers to questions by looking at many sources like books and websites. We use research to learn about things like history, science, and famous people. It's important to check if the information is good and keep looking until we understand well.