



## Vocabulary Acquisition and Usage

### Today's Standard

7.L.6 - Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.

### Real-World Applications for this Standard

Reading and understanding science textbooks; Writing essays with advanced vocabulary; Engaging in discussions using precise language; Interpreting historical documents; Solving word problems in math

### Today I Learned

Today, we learned about using new words correctly. It's important to know and use words that help us understand and explain what we read and write.

### Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids think they only need to learn words taught in class. They also think they don't need to practice words they already know. But, learning new words all the time and practicing them helps us get better.

### Quiz Me

- What is a new word you learned today?
- Can you use that word in a sentence?
- What does it mean to use a word correctly?
- Why is it important to know many words?
- How can you find out what a new word means?

### Help Me

Knowing and using new words helps us understand what we read and talk about. We can find new words in books, on TV, and even when talking to friends. Practicing these words helps us remember them.