



Precise Language and Vocabulary in Writing

Today's Standard

7.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 terminology.; Creating a history essay with specific historical terms.; Drafting a technical manual with precise instructions.; Developing a business letter with industry-specific language.

Today I Learned

Today we learned about using precise language and special words for different subjects to make writing clear and easy to understand.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Some kids think that using big words makes writing better, but it's more important to be clear. Others think special words are only for science, but every subject has its own special words.

Quiz Me

- What does 'precise language' mean?
- Can you give an example of a special word in science?
- Why is it important to be clear when you write?
- What is a common mistake kids make with big words?
- Can you name a special word in history?

Help Me

Using precise language means choosing the right words to explain something clearly. For example, in science, we use words like 'photosynthesis' to talk about how plants make food. In history, we use words like 'revolution' to talk about big changes. This helps us understand and explain things better.