

Vocabulary Acquisition and Usage

Today's Standard

8.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

Using new vocabulary in writing assignments; Understanding complex texts in other subjects; Improving communication skills in presentations; Enhancing comprehension in reading assignments

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about using new words correctly and understanding them better. This helps us read and write better!

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids think learning words is just about memorizing them. They might also think they don't need to review words after learning them. Both are not true.

Quiz Me

- What is a new word you learned today?
- Can you use that word in a sentence?
- What does it mean to use context clues?
- Why is it important to review words?
- What can you do to remember new words?

Help Me

Learning new words helps us understand what we read and say what we mean. We can use new words in our stories, talks, and even when we play games.