



Comparing Mediums for Information

Today's Standard

8.RI.7 - Evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of using different mediums (e.g., print or digital text, video, multimedia) to present a particular topic or idea.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Analyzing news articles in print and online formats; Comparing documentaries to written reports; Evaluating social media posts versus traditional news sources; Examining multimedia presentations in educational settings

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about different ways to share information, like books, websites, and videos. We talked about what makes each way good or not so good.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes kids think all ways of sharing information are just as good. But that's not true. Also, they might think websites are always better than books, which isn't always right.

Quiz Me

- What are some ways we can share information?
- Why is it important to think about how we share information?
- Can the same story look different in a book and a video?
- Is a website always better than a book?
- What is one good thing about videos?

Help Me

We use different ways to share information, like books, websites, and videos. Each way can be good for different reasons. For example, a book might give us lots of details, while a video might be fun to watch. Knowing which way to use helps us understand and share information better.