



## Digital Writing and Collaboration

### Today's Standard

8.W.6 - Use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing and present the relationships between information and ideas efficiently as well as to interact and collaborate with others.

### Real-World Applications for this Standard

Creating a blog to share book reviews.; Collaborating on a group research project using Google Docs.; Publishing a class magazine online.; Using social media to discuss literary themes.

### Today I Learned

Today, we learned how to use computers and the Internet to write and share our work. We also learned how to work with others online.

### Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes kids think that writing with computers is just typing. They also might think that working together online means copying others' work. Both of these ideas are not correct.

### Quiz Me

- What can you use the Internet for in writing?
- How can you share your writing online?
- What is one way to work with friends online?
- Why is it important to write your own words?
- How do you give credit to other people's ideas?

### Help Me

We use computers to write stories and share them with others. For example, you can write a story and post it on a class blog. This helps you learn how to work with others and share your ideas.