

Parent Guide to the "

Evaluating Media Sources

Today's Standard

9-10.SL.2 - Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse media or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) evaluating the credibility and accuracy of each source.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Analyzing news articles for bias; Comparing scientific data from different studies; Evaluating the credibility of a documentary; Assessing the reliability of online information; Cross-referencing information from multiple news outlets

Today | Learned

Today, we learned how to check if information from different places is true. We looked at news, videos, and charts to see if they are telling the truth.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids think everything they read or see is true. But, it's important to check who made it and if they have good reasons. Also, just because something looks nice, doesn't mean it's always right.

Quiz Me

- What is media?
- How do you know if something is true?
- Why is it important to check different places?
- What can happen if we believe wrong information?
- Can nice looking things be wrong?

Help Me

It's important to check if information is true by looking at who made it and if they have good reasons. We can compare it with other trusted places to make sure it's right. This helps us make good choices and not be tricked.