

Parent Guide to the

Effective Use of Digital Media

Today's Standard

9-10.SL.5 - Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence and to add interest.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Creating multimedia presentations for class projects; Using infographics to summarize research findings; Incorporating video clips to support arguments in debates; Designing interactive slides for engaging lectures; Utilizing podcasts to present audio reports

Today | Learned

Today, I learned how to use different types of digital media to make my presentations better and more interesting.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids think that adding more pictures and videos is always good, but it's not. They also might think that they don't need to do good research if they have cool media, but that's not true.

Quiz Me

- What is digital media?
- Why do we use digital media in presentations?
- Can too much digital media be bad?
- Should digital media replace good research?
- How does digital media help us understand better?

Help Me

Using digital media like pictures, videos, and sounds can make your presentations more fun and easier to understand. But remember, it's important to do good research and use the best media to help explain your ideas.