



Clear and Coherent Writing

Today's Standard

9-10.WHST.4 - Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Writing a research paper on a historical event; Creating a lab report for a science experiment; Drafting a technical manual for a new software; Composing a persuasive essay on a social issue; Developing a business proposal for a new product

Today I Learned

Today we learned about writing clearly and in an organized way. This helps make sure our writing is easy to understand and fits the task we are doing.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes kids think using big words makes writing better, but that's not always true. Clear and simple words are often best. Another mistake is thinking that one way of writing fits all tasks. It's important to change how we write depending on what we are writing about.

Quiz Me

- What does clear writing mean?
- Why should we think about who will read our writing?
- How can we make our writing better?
- What is a writing style?
- Can you give an example of something you wrote clearly?

Help Me

Writing clearly and in an organized way helps us share our ideas so others can understand. For example, writing a clear story or a simple how-to guide can make it easier for others to follow what we mean.