



Text and Illustrations Relationship

Today's Standard

K.RI.7 - With prompting and support, describe the relationship between illustrations and the text in which they appear (e.g., what person, place, thing, or idea in the text an illustration depicts).

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Identifying characters in a picture book; Connecting a map to the text in a story; Describing an animal in a science book using illustrations; Explaining a historical event with the help of pictures; Matching objects in a story to their illustrations

Today I Learned

Today, we learned how pictures in a book help us understand the story better. We talked about how pictures show us what the words mean.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes kids think pictures are just for looking at and don't help tell the story. They might also think pictures always match the words exactly. We need to help them see that pictures give extra information.

Quiz Me

- What does the picture show?
- How does the picture help you understand the story?
- Can you find something in the picture that is not in the words?
- What do you see in the picture that tells you more about the story?
- How do the words and pictures work together?

Help Me

Pictures in books help us understand the story. For example, if a book talks about a dog, the picture can show what the dog looks like and what it is doing. This helps us know more about the story.