



Discussion Rules for Speaking & Listening

Today's Standard

K.SL.1a - Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., listening to others and taking turns speaking about the topics and texts under discussion).

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Classroom circle time discussions; Sharing stories or experiences in a group; Collaborative projects or art activities; Playground conversations; Family dinner table discussions

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about the rules for talking in a group. We need to listen to others and wait our turn to talk.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids think it's okay to interrupt if they have something important to say. They might also think that only their ideas are important. Both of these can make it hard for everyone to have a good conversation.

Quiz Me

- What should you do when someone else is talking?
- Why is it important to wait your turn to speak?
- What does it mean to listen actively?
- How can you show that you respect someone else's idea?
- Why do we need rules for talking in a group?

Help Me

Remember, when we're talking in a group, it's important to listen to others and wait our turn. This helps everyone feel heard and makes our conversations better. For example, at the dinner table, you can wait until your sibling finishes talking before you share your story.