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Literacy/Numeracy Tidbits for the Classroom

"Knowledge of things and knowledge of the words grow together. If you do not know the words, you can hardly know a thing."

Henry Hazlitt

Did you know...











Vocabulary is important for reading comprehension. Readers cannot understand what they are reading without knowing what most of the words mean. As children learn to read more advanced texts (like in high school) they must learn the meaning of new words that are not part of their oral vocabulary. We call these <u>TIER 3</u> words.

Word Walls are one strategy that can help students build their vocabulary. They provide students with a **visual cue** on words they are learning in specific classrooms. In particular, word walls support ALL learners in English & French use new targeted vocabulary in their writing and their discussions.

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Interactive Word Wall

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Science Word Wall

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