

Objective vs. Subjective Notes for Power Point

1) Subjective thinking or writing is about your personal _____, emotions, judgements, _____, and ideas.

2) Why is a statement like “My foot is hurting” considered subjective?

3) Write your own example of a subjective statement and explain what makes it subjective.

Subjective statement: _____

Explanation: _____

4) Subjective thinking and writing appears in texts like personal essays, _____, online blogs, and in the _____ section of newspapers or _____.

5) Think about how someone might be considered “lucky” What is subjective about thinking that another person is a lucky person?

6) Objective thinking or writing is based on evidence and _____ that you can see for yourself. It emphasizes things like _____, figures, percentages, _____, and numbers. No _____ or personal _____ are allowed!

7) Instead of saying that your foot hurts (because that's subjective), what could you say to make that statement objective?

8) How might a biographer use both subjective and objective statements in a biography he or she is writing?

9) If your subjective opinion is that a football game was awesome, then what else could add to that to make it more objective, and therefore more believable?

10) Write your own sentences about the same topic or issue. Make one of them subjective and one of them objective. Share your two sentences with a partner.
