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This issue is focused around issues of reading and literature. Although we will consider any articles about the teaching of literature and reading in the classroom, we particularly encourage essays and articles that describe any of the following

- Innovative approaches to teaching literature
- Reading programs, projects, and ideas
- Literary programs that expand or define the concepts of the literary canon
- Responses to prescriptive and legislated approaches to literature
- School events and projects that celebrate literature
- Reading in the content areas and cross curricular/cross-grade level reading projects

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- Innovative approaches to audience and purpose
- Projects or classroom environments that encourage writing
- Ways to teach students about issues of audience, purpose, and context and other higher-order concerns in writing
- Innovative approaches to standards and testing in written communication
- Discussions that expand writing into new realms, audiences, or genres

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