

Special Issue

Critical Mathematics Education: Bridging Theory, Practice, and Social Change

Message from the Guest Editor

Critical mathematics education (CME) accentuates the social, political, and ethical dimensions of mathematics and challenges the traditional views of the discipline as a neutral and objective field of study. Rather, CME holds that mathematics is deeply entangled with societal structures, power relations, and cultural values.

This special issue seeks to make further innovative contributions to the field of CME, and we invite original research articles or reviews that align with this objective. Potential topics of interest include, but are not limited to, the following:

Practical implementation of CME strategies
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Student agency and voice in CME
Policy and institutional barriers to the implementation of CME

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