

Special Issue

Advances in Evidence-Based Literacy Instructional Practices

Message from the Guest Editors

A growing corpus of evidence demonstrates that well-designed teacher professional development and literacy instruction can positively and significantly impact students' reading performance, including those with great difficulty with literacy development. The aim of this Special Issue is to disseminate advances in knowledge about evidence-based literacy instructional practices for students from preschool to middle school. Themes include the following:

- New advances in the teaching of reading and writing;
- Teacher education and the take up of new, effective literacy instructional practices;
- The role of AI in literacy practice and strategy development;
- Social and /or political issues that impact instructional practices.
- Advances in research methodology.

Submissions may include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Classroom literacy instructional practices;
- Literacy assessment practices;
- Disciplinary literacy/content literacy instruction;
- Teacher preparation and professional development;
- Multimodal reading and writing strategies;
- Differentiated instruction;
- Literacy interventions.

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