

Editor's Notes

You are reading the second issue of *IJELS* in 2025, volume 13. Our articles in this issue cover Digital, Health, Information, Linguistic, Music and Art, Management and Leadership, Numeracy, and Sports Literacy. Our articles in this issue are related to research settings related to literacy studies in Bangladesh, China, Iraq, Malaysia, Mongolia, Nigeria, Philippines, Thailand, and The United States. Covering a diverse range of educational contexts, from urban to rural settings and from primary to tertiary levels, the articles in the current issue are as related to the following topics:

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- Literacy Preservation and Transmission of Yangzhou Folk Songs
- Developing Vocal Literacy: The Efficiency of Basic Vocal Training
- Enhancing Musical Literacy through the Guqin in Contemporary China
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- Yulin Xiao Qu: Chinese Folk Songs of Northern Shaanxi Province
- Preservation Literacy in Yi Ethnic Wedding Folk Songs by Axi Axi
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- Educational Perspectives on the Transmission of Jin-style Laoting Dagu as Musical Literacy
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- International Folk Dance Skills in the Subject of Rhythmic Activities
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- Liuzhou River Snails Rice Noodle: Development of Local Wisdom and Educational Literacy
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- Manchu Ice Frolicking: Presenting Digital Games to Promote Cultural Learning and Dissemination
- Cultural Identity and Aesthetic Value of Anyue Stone Carving Creative Product Design
- Enhancing Realistic Art Literacy for Understanding Chinese Painting Traditions in Art Education
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- Aesthetic Literacy for Educator Excellence: A Competency Development Framework
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 - Influence of Plant Landscape Colors on Educational Environments

This issue concludes with an outstanding interview by Hui Geng with Yudi Yap, a humanistic vocalist and songwriter on music, life, and cultural expression.

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