

# **TEACHING LANGUAGE THROUGH LITERATURE**

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## **ABSTRACT**

The goal of any language should be to equip the student for a lifetime of communication through the written and spoken word. This paper aims at emphasizing the use of literature as a popular technique for teaching both basic language skills (i.e. reading, writing, listening and speaking) and language areas (i.e. vocabulary, grammar and pronunciation) of our times. It is asserted that Learning Language through Literature is an exciting and different approach to language learning and it facilitates the language learning processes. It is a fully integrated language plan through which the effective and creative teachers teach grammar, reading, spelling, vocabulary, writing mechanics, creative writing, thinking skills and more. To be honest, this method has been proven highly effective.

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