How has learning to read and write changed in the past 100 years? Or 10 years? What does it take to be “literate” in the age of social media? Who is a digital native and who is left out? (And who is better off?) Which are you more likely to use today: cursive or Snapchat? And just what the heck is this: http://bit.ly/2aWasU2?

All this and “Dick and Jane” too in an interactive digital Childhood Studies adventure! “Children’s Literacies” will examine what reading and writing means, historically and today. We will look at old school ABC books, interactive fiction, novels written in 180 character tweets, and examine our own literacy practices.