

**THEMATIC DEVELOPMENT ON READER'S LETTER
"FALLING IN LOVE WITH INDONESIAN'S CULTURE"
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The data analysis shows that there are 3 types of theme used in this research. Those are topical, interpersonal and textual themes. Topical theme is mostly used theme in this research. The use of personal pronouns such as it, you, and they shows that the editor wants to explain the cases and the person involved in the crime. The data analysis also shows that there are 3 types of Thematic Progression Patterns in this study, those are Reiteration, Zig-zag and Multiple theme patterns. The zig-zag pattern is thematic progression pattern that is most frequently used by the writer. Meanhile, most of the paragraph on the reader's letter are not coherent because there are many sentences are not interrelated.

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