

I never really thought to myself what “Literature” actually meant. I kind of just accepted it as part of our everyday lives and a part of the language comprehension. But really thinking about it not every written piece is considered literature. It is similar to an artist, when an artist completes their work, whether it is considered art or not it all depends on the artist. Literature is similar in a way. When a written piece is completed and published. Whether it is considered “literature” or not it all depends on the audience of the work and not the author however. If majority of the audience loves the piece or makes them feel a certain way about the piece. Then they would consider it “literature.” Which could also mean that “literature” is something that triggers critical thinking and makes the reader feel, question and think a certain way. Just like modern art, if one feels disturbed, angry, confused or sad at a piece of artwork. Then it is considered a great piece of art and placed in a museum. Which I feel is similar to literature which makes readers feel a certain emotion.