Links to your articles of the week:

<http://blogs.edweek.org/edweek/finding_common_ground/2013/11/coddling_the_common_core_a_response_to_frank_bruni.html>

This is the response to the article you read over the Thanksgiving Break.

This is the second one you’re reading this week (the first is REALLY short!):

[http://www.latimes.com/opinion/commentary/la-oe-1125-slack-hunger-games-covergirl-capitol-20131125,0,7122130,print.story](http://www.latimes.com/opinion/commentary/la-oe-1125-slack-hunger-games-covergirl-capitol-20131125%2C0%2C7122130%2Cprint.story)