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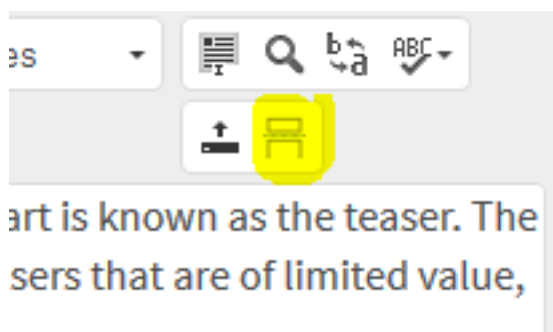
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And if you want to take control, put the cursor at the point you want the teaser to end, then click this button on the editor toolbar:



But sometimes all it takes is to omit that initial "Hi everyone!" paragraph. No-one is going to think you're being rude if you just get on with writing what you want to ask / tell us.

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