

## Linking texts

Look at these examples of linking the area of study to texts.

Example 1: Area of study: Culture and conflict

Aspect of the area of study	Related text	Links to other text(s)
Growing concerns about the ways communities are in conflict in society. Differences in values between cultural groups in society.	<i>Insecurities</i> is a short documentary film that looks at the ways Australia has reacted to the threats of global terrorism. The film uses voice overs to present the views of people who value the Australian way of life.	The SBS current affairs program <i>Dateline</i> , reported a growing number of people who see terrorism as the biggest threat to the Australian way of life. The expert guests argued, often in highly emotive language, that the growing conflicts were highly exaggerated by governments and the media.

Example 2: Area of study: Power and struggle

Aspect of the area of study	Related text	Links to other text(s)
Economic and cultural power of nations and power blocks. The growing control of western ideas in small communities in third world countries.	The speech by the UN High commissioner for human right Mary Robinson, passionately argued for the rich nations to share their wealth with poorer countries. Her highly persuasive presentation and challenging photographs of hardship and suffering had an immediate effect on the delegates.	The TV documentary, <i>Low Risk, High Returns</i> , showed the extent of the influence and control of western manufacturers in the everyday lives of Jamaican people. The use of hidden cameras to record managers threatening the young workers in sweat shops led to a call by consumers groups to boycott Gap clothing in the US.