

Unit 4 Area of Study 2

Explanatory Statement

After writing your piece, answer/complete the following tasks in order to prepare for writing your explanatory statement.

Language Choices

Language choice includes- sentence length and types, tone, word choice- the use of emotive/powerful/aggressive etc verbs and adjectives, use of imagery (similes/metaphors/personification/alliteration), persuasive techniques or language devices- (remember metalanguage from AoS 1 and 3)

Discuss at least 6 language choices you made in your piece. Explain what you did and WHY you did it.

Context

Q. How does your piece respond to the prompt?

(In your answer, you will need to 'explain' the prompt and what it means AND then explain how your piece 'fits into' the 'explanation' of the prompt.)

Q. How does your piece explore the idea of Identity and Belonging?

Q. How does your piece reflect the writing of Bruce Dawe? How does it link (explicitly) to at least TWO to THREE Bruce Dawe poems?

Audience

Q. Who has this piece been written for? Be specific.

Q. How have you altered/adapted the language/tone/context/prompt in order to suit your audience.

Purpose

Q. Why have you written this piece. What was the intent? What did you want to achieve?