Handout 2  The role of the media in the Freedom Ride

Item 1

Item 2

Item 3

Item 4

For Items 1–4 on this page refer to Commonwealth of Australia 1998, Discovering Democracy Upper Primary Units, Curriculum Corporation, Melbourne, page 130.

Activities

1 Write a headline for your item (up to six words).
2 What effect might your item have on readers? Write down two or three words in your item that create this effect.
3 Draw a cartoon to accompany your item. Your cartoon and its caption should communicate a message about the Freedom Riders.