

Informit TVNews Videos: Library Linking and Embedding Guide

This guide will help you enrich your courses with videos from **Informit TVNews**. All material in **TVNews** is licensed content and can be used in Canvas, Google Sites, or in Lecture Capture.

Informit TVNews allows you to browse, search, and retrieve news and related current affairs stories broadcast by free-to-air networks in Australia. Content is updated daily and can be viewed and downloaded.

Go to rmit.edu.au/library > **Databases A-Z** > scroll down to **Videos** > [Informit TVNews](#)
To gain full access to **TVNews** you need to login with your RMIT username and password.

Linking to Canvas

You can Link the video into Canvas.

1. **Search** for a video on a topic of interest.
2. From the results list, click the **Video title** to view a synopsis and example of how to cite the video.
3. Highlight the link in the **'To Cite this article'** area.
4. Once the link is highlighted click **Ctrl C** to copy the link.

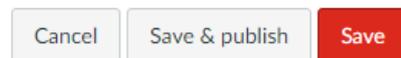
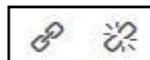
To cite this article: Schools plus fund: Business leader David Gonski launched a new fund for needy schools at the State Library. [online]. Seven News (SEVEN NETWORK); Time: 18:00; Broadcast Date: Friday, 14th October 2016; Duration: 29 sec. Availability: <http://search.informit.com.au.ezproxy.lib.rmit.edu.au/documentSummary:dn=TSM201610140064:res=TVNEWS> [cited 26 Oct 16].

Linking to a video in Canvas

Start from the Page where you want to link to the video.



1. Click the **Edit** Button, and in the Rich Content Editor mode type the name of the video or relevant text in the required page.
2. Select/highlight the text.
3. Click on the **'Link to URL'** button.
4. Paste the link in the **'Link to Website URL'** box.
5. Click **Insert** Link.
6. Click **Save**. The link is inserted in your Canvas course and will open in a new tab.



Link to Website URL ×

This will make the selected text a link, or insert a new link if nothing is selected.

Paste or type a url or wiki page in the box below:

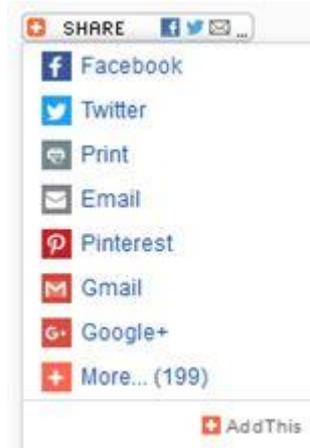
Share

You can share the video via the **Share** functions on the left hand side of the **Summary** record screen. This allows you to share the record via **Facebook**, **Twitter**, **Email** or other social media.

Note: Only RMIT staff and students can access this content.

Quick menu options:

1. From the **Summary** record screen, move your mouse over the **Share** button to see **quick options** in the drop down menu.
2. In the drop down menu, click on your preferred option, (Facebook, Twitter, email, etc) to open the application and share the link to the video record.
3. Follow the steps as required for your application.



Full list options:

1. From the **Summary** record screen.
2. Click on the **Share** button.
3. From the new **Share** screen, either **search** for a service, or click **Load More** to view all available sharing applications.



4. Click on the icon for your required application to open it and share the link to the video record.
5. Follow the steps as required for your application.

Embed

InformitTVNews currently does **not** provide embed codes for video content. If you want to embed news content, e.g. 7:30 Report, Four Corners, Insight etc, check **EduTV**. You can embed content from EduTV. See the EduTV 'how to' guide for details on embedding this content in Google Sites and Canvas.

Swap between TVNews and EduTV databases

It is easy to swap between TVNews and EduTV databases.

1. At the top of the Search, Results and Records screens you will see links to EduTV and TVNews. Click on the **EduTV** link.
2. From the EduTV page, Click on the '**Click to show URL**' button.
3. **Copy** the URL that will now be showing.
4. **Paste** it into the browser address bar and hit the **Enter** key. EduTV will open.



Download Video

Informit TVNews allows you to download the video file.

1. Click on the **Video button**, a **Copyright** notice will pop up on the screen.
2. Click on the **arrow** next to the Video button. A pop up will appear on screen asking you where you would like the downloaded video to be saved. This can be saved onto your computer or USB.
3. Click **Save**.

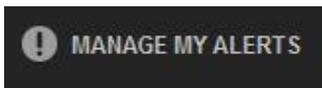
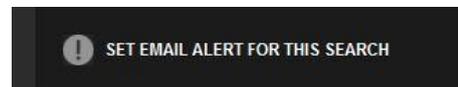
Note: Provision has been made under Screenrights Licence for use of downloaded video from Informit TVNews in Canvas. The Part VA warning notice **must** be displayed before the video. The notice is not included in the downloaded video file and will need to be added. For further advice and assistance contact the ereserve team: eReserve.library@rmit.edu.au.

Create Alert

Informit TVNews allows you to set up alerts for specific content. These alerts are sent to your email address and can be created for a specific topic or search term. The email alerts can be for a period of 1 month up to 12 months.

1. Click on the **Set Email Alert For This Search** link.
2. Fill out the form with your email address.
3. Write a description about your alert.
4. Set the expiry date and click on the **Create Alert** button.

Note: If you no longer need the Alert you can **Manage My Alerts** by clicking on the button and deleting your preference.



Create Alert

Email
To manage alerts, you must use an email address.
Please type your email address in the box provided.

“Q” antarctica

Database/s
TVNews
Note: Alerts available for the currently open databases

Description
antarctica from TVNews

Expiry
Set new expiry date. Expire in: 3 months ▼

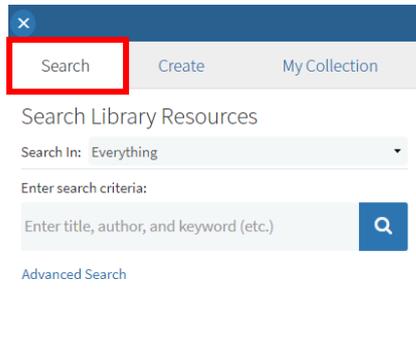
Create alert ✓ **X CANCEL**

Linking to a video or course in Reading Lists

You can search for a LinkedIn Learning course or create a video in Reading Lists.

To add a **video** in Reading Lists:

1. In Reading Lists, click **Add Items** from the ellipsis.
2. Search for the **video** that you would like to link to.



The screenshot shows a search interface with a blue header bar containing a close button (X) and three tabs: 'Search' (highlighted with a red box), 'Create', and 'My Collection'. Below the header, the text 'Search Library Resources' is displayed. A dropdown menu labeled 'Search In:' is set to 'Everything'. Below this is a text input field labeled 'Enter search criteria:' with the placeholder text 'Enter title, author, and keyword (etc.)'. To the right of the input field is a blue search button with a magnifying glass icon. At the bottom left of the search area, there is a link for 'Advanced Search'.

3. Click the relevant **course**, select the **Week** you want the video to be used in.
4. Click **Add**.

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