



## Unit 7 – Focus on

### 2. There's a story behind everything you buy

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**Boy 1:** We Americans consume too much. The US is only 5% of the world's total population, but we consume 33% of the world's resources.

**Boy 2:** The other problem is, most of the toys, electronics or clothes, even cigarettes, everything we buy come(s) from other countries such as China, India, and even Bangladesh. Have you ever asked yourself who made your clothes?

**Boy 2:** A lot of workers in the fashion industry earn under a dollar an hour (*a day*). They often work long hours, twelve hours a day, every day. Sometimes even kids have to work under these conditions.

**Boy 1:** More than 200 million children around the world! They work in sweatshops and make designer clothes they will never wear.

**Boy 2:** Too right! Small children, small pay! And they aren't even treated very well. They should go to school like us but they don't have a choice. They have to bring money home.

**Boy 1:** So, either you accept it or you can do something about it!