Welcome to Term 3 everyone. It’s hard to believe we have been working together with your children now for more than 100 days. How confidently we have launched into our now familiar routines, busily continuing with our many and varied learning goals, extending our knowledge and embracing new challenges.

Communication Book
Each week Homework will either be posted through Showbie or sent home through the Communication Book. Please take the time to read the communication sheet and find out what your child is learning about at school. It may have links to the Level or class blog and provide the opportunity for you to be involved in their schoolwork.

Premiers Reading Challenge
The challenge ends in August. All children need to register their books online and then teachers are able to verify them. Don’t forget the login is your child’s name with no spaces and all lower case and the password is rangeview1. Congratulations to those students who have already finished the challenge!

LEVEL 3 and 4 Incursion – Forces and Motion
The Hands On Science Incursion was held for all Level 3 and 4 students last week. This was a perfect introduction to foster our students (and teachers) understanding of how forces, including gravity, create movement. The students also had valuable experiences exploring magnetism and static electricity. We look forward to completing more activities in our classrooms over the upcoming weeks, as we learn how to create a toy that moves.

Level 4 Camp – Camp Weekaway
The countdown has begun for the eagerly awaited Grade 4 Camp which commences from 10th-12th of August, 2016. Level 4 students accompanied by 8 staff members will travel to ‘Weekaway,’ in Lancefield, for a two night camp. There are a wide variety of challenging outdoor activities planned, including hut building and canoeing, presented by the wonderful staff there. The students will all return as more resilient people, having coped with unfamiliar situations including taking care of themselves and their belongings, sleeping away from home and trying many new things. They might make new friends and really come out of their shells, too. During the next few weeks families are requested to keep a close eye on notices which will come home. Medical Forms and Permission Slips were sent last week and are now due back. Please talk to Mrs Barnes or Mrs