GRADE 5 HOMEWORK
DUE: FRIDAY 26th April 2013

Spelling:

discovery settlement convict transportation hardship
Australia federation labour difficulty opportunity

1. Write each of your spelling words 3 times in your homework book.
2. Write each word out again, this time write the vowels in red pen and the consonants in blue pen.
3. Write each word out again breaking it into syllables eg. ex-plor-a-tion.
4. For 3 of the words identify the base word, then see how many suffixes you can add to the word to expand it eg. science, scientific, scientist etc

Language: “Our Australia”

At school we will be learning about the early settlement of Australia with a focus on the Gold Rush. Australia is considerably young in its current settlement when compared to other countries, but how knowledgeable are you with your own family history?

Task: Spend time discussing your family history in Australia with family members. You will develop a timeline outlining the settlement in Australia by your family up to the present day. Important features to include:
- Date your family settled Australia, where they settled, movement of settlement, generations, dates etc.

Be sure to plot your family history and settlement on a timeline. Pay close attention to dates and labelling the timeline with accuracy. Neatness and presentation are important!!