**Homework Week 1 Term 4 Due Wednesday October 15th**

Students are to complete the compulsory activities from the shaded box and at least 2 of the optional activities in your homework book. Remember to keep each answer neat and separate by using headings and dates.

**Compulsory Activities:**

**Read** a book alone or with a family member 5 times a week for 20 minutes. Record as specified by your teacher each day.

**Math:**
Find the population of each state and territory and add them together using formal written methods to find the total population of Australia.

**Integrated:**
A) **Answer the following questions in full sentences.**
1) Who is the Premier of Victoria?
2) Who is the Leader of the Opposition?
3) Who is the Prime Minister of Australia?
4) Who is the federal Opposition Leader?
5) Who is the federal Treasurer?
6) Who is your local Member of Parliament?
7) Which political party governs Australia?
8) Which political party governs Victoria?

B) **Trace a map of Australia in your homework book and complete the following:**
1) Draw in the state boundaries
2) Write in the capital cities
3) Colour each state and territory according to the present government
   - Liberal/National – Blue
   - Labor – Red
   - Democrat – Green
   - Other – Yellow
4) **CHALLENGE – Name the leader of each state and territory**

**Optional Activities**

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<td>Go on to the blog at home and write a good comment with a family member. Edit your work before you post. Initial ____________</td>
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| **Collect three newspaper photographs of an Australian political person or event. Write a caption, or the caption, underneath. Identify the newspaper and date.** | **Find and read a poem written by an Australian.**
   What does it mean and what makes it or its author special? |
| **Find a task and make it your responsibility. E.g. Doing the dishes, tidying your room each day. Ensure you complete this task EACH day and keep a record in your homework book of what you have done. Have your parents score you out of 10.** |