From the Classroom
Our science work for Term 3 in both classes has a focus on Earth and Space sciences. The JP’s unit is called Up, Down and All Around. The students will learn about natural, man-made and managed features of our environment that undergo change. The UP class will work on a unit called Earth's Place in Space and students will learn about the Solar System.

Nature Playground
The Mid Murray Council is investigating the possibility of building a Nature playground adjacent to the Collier Park Oval in Palmer. Last week reps from local community groups, (students from the school included) met to look at photos of other Nature playgrounds, to the space available and to discuss resources. In the coming weeks students from the school will be drawing up some plans to contribute to the consultation process, through their Student Council meetings.

BookWeek
Please remember that next week, the week beginning the 11th August is BookWeek. We have excursions planned. We have also been reading the books, short-listed for prizes during the last couple of weeks. Today, students voted for their preferred book from the shortlisted titles and if they are lucky enough to choose the book chosen by the Book Council judges, they will go into the draw for a book voucher from Big W. Winners will be announced in the Advertiser tomorrow (Saturday).

We will also have a BookWeek Parade next Thursday 14th Aug. at 9 am.

Students are invited to come along as their favourite book character.
We would love you to come along to watch the parade, share some stories with us and then stay on for morning tea.

Parent/Student/Teacher Meetings
Thankyou so much for your time at our recent meetings. When students see their families working with the school they are reminded of how much combined support they have as learners. We very much appreciate the opportunity to have conversations with you also.

Have a great weekend and take care! Lynne