Monday 15\textsuperscript{th} April 2013

Dear Premier’s Reading Challenge Participant,

Firstly, well done on accepting to take on the challenge for 2013!

Students have now been registered and the challenge is ready to begin! The challenge for GIPS’ students will end on \textbf{Friday 30\textsuperscript{th} August 2013}. This will allow me two weeks to verify books and data entered.

To begin the challenge, go onto the website \url{www.education.vic.gov.au/prc/}

To find your own name, click on Student Log In, on the left hand side.

Enter your details as follows:

Username: for most students, the username will be their first name and surname, all lower case, with no space. \textit{Some students have a ‘non standard username’ and these will be written on the top right of this page.}

Password: all students have the same password. \textbf{Gips1148} Please ensure you use a capital ‘G’ for Gips.

Students from Foundation- 2 are required to read 30 books (20 or more must be from the ‘Challenge List’- see website). You may read by yourself or with an adult or friend.

Students from 3-6 are required to read 15 books (10 or more must be from the ‘Challenge List’- see website).

You can find the list of books on the challenge by clicking ‘Books’ on the left hand side of the homepage. This will then take you to the booklists for the various book levels. If you have borrowed a book from the school library (with the PRC logo on it) yet you cannot seem to find it on the booklist, please do a search on the website. NB- it is always a good idea to ‘Add books to my list’ before reading and then click on ‘finish’ once you have completed reading the book.

For the ‘free choice’ books, you will need to use the ‘add the books to my list’ link.

If you have any queries at all, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Happy reading!

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