DATA ENTRY OPENS SOON – 7 July to 19 September. Please note – Catholic and independent schools will have their passwords and usernames sent on 30 June for access from 7 July. Government schools will be able to enter data via EDSAS from the afternoon of 7 July.

Updated instructions on how to enter your data are available on the website for government and non-government schools. Please note: government schools are no longer required to enter enrolled numbers of students. August census figures will be automatically dropped in to the database on your behalf.

Features for the Premier's Reading Challenge Website
1. **Top 10 Lists**
   In response to requests for a “popular” list, we have created **Top 10 lists** for all books and each age bracket (R – 2, 3 – 5, 6 – 9 and Mature). Utilising the “like” feature we introduced last year, the data for the Top 10 list is generated by the number of times a title has been “liked” on our website. This feature is live, so will give an up to date representation of what the students are reading – and loving! We hope students, educators and parents alike will find it to be a useful resource.

   You can access the Top 10 lists from the ‘booklists’ section of our website from the main menu on the left hand side. Please encourage students to make use of these features as great opportunities to explore informed appreciation of literature.

2. **Recommend a Read**
   Students - primary and secondary, families and teachers are able to recommend a book that they would like to see on the Challenge booklists – send us in your recommendations for the booklist panel to consider.

Ambassador Visits
One of the most motivational and enjoyable aspects of the Premier’s Reading Challenge is the ambassador school visits. Visits for Term 3 and 4 are rapidly filling up, so if you think you might like to have an ambassador visit your school, please send us a request as soon as possible. You can find the information about ambassador visits [here](#). A list of our ambassadors can be found [here](#).

Once you have read the information, please fill out and submit the ambassador request form either [online](#) or by [fax/email](#). Upon receipt of your request we will determine who is available and liaise with you further. Please note that for various reasons we may not be able to fill your first ambassador/date request, but we will do our best to find someone for you on a mutually agreeable date. At this late point in the year though, we may need to look ahead to 2014.

Visits are generally not organised until the final weeks of the term prior, so if you have already requested a visit from us for Term 3 or 4 of this year, please do not be alarmed if you haven’t yet heard from us.

You can also read about the visits we have made to other schools this year on our [school visits page](#) and see some of the great photos and quotes from excited students.

Ambassador visits for May/June 2014
Since our last update we have visited:
- Paralowie School – Keyvan Abak
- Tyndale Christian School – Janeen Brian
- Greenwith Primary School – Janeen Brian
- Our Lady of Hope School – Janeen Brian
- Belair Primary School – Sue Harris
- Endeavour College – Ben Gray
- St Joseph's School, Kingswood – Juliet Haslam
**Rate – a – Reads**  
Don’t forget to encourage your students to submit a ‘Rate-A-Read’, through ‘Kidspace’ for primary students and ‘Teenspace’ for secondary students. The highest quality book review each month will receive a book prize. Open until September!

**Reading ends on September 5!**  
Make sure your students have their Student Reading Records in order. Forms can be found online [here](#).

**Banner bookings**  
We have various promotional items to help you promote the Premier’s Reading Challenge to your school community. If you are interesting in borrowing one of our banners for a week for in-house promotion, please fill out [this form](#).

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