This week has been hectic for all the staff as they have gone above and beyond to accommodate 6 visitors from Special Schools in Queensland. Rosella Park SS and Rockhampton SS have both sent staff to partake in the 4 Blocks Literacy and Communication experience at our school. Our staff have stepped up and left a lasting, very positive impression on the visitors. I would like to particularly thank Janelle and Amanda for the time and effort they have put into spreading the communication word – I could have sold them both for big money but decided they were too valuable to lose!

Wendy

REMEMBER
GREAT BOOK SWAP
and
BOOK CHARACTER DAY
NEXT FRIDAY 28th August
What to do:
• Students bring a gold coin to help raise money to buy books for Indigenous children and families in remote communities.
• Students can come to school dressed as a book character.
• Students bring one of their books from home to swap with one that another student has brought in to swap. Students can bring these books in now! Your support is appreciated.

Please keep sick children at home and don’t be offended if we ring you to pick them up.

We are a ‘Nut Aware’ school. Please do not send food to school that has nuts. This includes Hazlenut spreads.

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Emily Baldwin is our WOW of the Week

Emily is progressing in leaps and bounds in all areas. She is editing her writing to make sure it makes sense and writing longer paragraphs. She is recognising large, unfamiliar words and showing determination to do her best by doing homework at her own instigation. Great job!

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These books light up our world because...

Is it fun?
Yes!

Is it your favourite?
Yes.

Is it cool?

It is the best!

It’s really great.

It’s sad and then happy.

It’s the best!

It’s wonderful!

It’s my favourite.

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Favourite.

What books light up your world?