‘Write A Book In A Day’ Competition

The Year 5 and 6 MacKillop Club students were very excited to again participate in the ‘Write A Book In A Day’ competition, where they have 12 hours (8.00a.m.-8.00p.m.) to create a book, based around some parameters emailed to us at 8.00a.m., for the Princess Margaret Hospital Children’s Library.

We were able to pose for a team photo, before revealing the parameters at exactly 8.00a.m.

Then it was into the planning stages, where students had to agree on a cohesive plot.
Next was typing a first draft of each chapter.

We were excited to be able to use the student laptops and new furniture in our extended library.

We did find time for an afternoon tea break.
Then it was on to illustrating.

Finally, at about 7p.m., the book was completed, printed and sent in!

A copy of our book, ‘Universal Nonsense’, will be available for viewing in our school library. The children are to be commended on the way they worked together so productively and enthusiastically. I am very proud of the way they conducted themselves on the day.

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