##### DEECD Mail Message Summary (for School Bulletin only)

National Literacy and Numeracy Week 2014

For all schools and principals

National Literacy and Numeracy Week will run from 25 August – 31 August 2014. The Week highlights the importance of literacy and numeracy for all children and young people. This circular advises how schools can find information about national Literacy and Numeracy Week activities.

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Main Points

* This year’s National Literacy and Numeracy Week will run from 25 August – 31 August.
* National Literacy and Numeracy Week is a collaborative event encouraging all governments and school communities to highlight the importance of literacy and numeracy skills for all children and young people.
* The Week provides an opportunity to showcase the programs and learning opportunities on offer in Victorian government schools and early childhood settings.
* Schools are encouraged to become involved by taking part in national, statewide and/or local events and activities that demonstrate the skills, talents and achievements of their students.

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| Actions Required   * For information on activities associated with Literacy and Numeracy Week 2014, visit DEECD website at: <http://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/events/Pages/litnumweek.aspx>   or   * the National Literacy and Numeracy Week website at:   <http://www.literacyandnumeracy.gov.au/> |

Critical Dates

* National Literacy and Numeracy Week is **25 August – 31 August 2014**.

Additional Information

* For further information about National Literacy and Numeracy Week, email [studentlearning@edumail.vic.gov.au](mailto:studentlearning@edumail.vic.gov.au)

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