

## Cambridge Books Photo Competition:

During Primary Science Week there will be a wide range of science activities and events happening both in and out of the classroom. National Primary Science Week wants to celebrate what science is being done and who is doing it. Therefore, we are pleased to announce that Cambridge Books has donated a set of books that will be awarded to the best photo entry.

To be eligible for this prize, the following will be required:

- A photo (approximately 1MB) that clearly shows what science is being done and by whom
- Acknowledgement of every individual visible in the photo that they agree to be in the photo - this can be done simply by printing the photo on an A4 sheet of paper and then having the parent/guardian of every person under the age of 18 stating:  
"I \_\_\_\_\_ give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ (name of child spelled out \_\_\_\_\_) to be included in this photo." Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
- Those over 18 only need to state:  
"I \_\_\_\_\_ (spell out full name) give permission for my image to be included in this photo." Signed \_\_\_\_\_

In addition to the photo, a statement as to what science is being done and why it is science will need to accompany the photo. This statement must to be written by the students. Younger students may be supported by an adult – but we want student voice of what they are doing and why they see it as science.

Although the Cambridge Books will be awarded to the overall winner, the top entries will be submitted to the *New Zealand Science Teacher* journal for inclusion. As a result of this possible inclusion in a published journal: NE-Yr 3 students should aim for 50-100 words, Yr 4 – 6 students for 100-150 words, and Yrs 7 – 8 for 150-250 words.

For submission:

1. Send photo and text in two separate files to [steven.sexton@otago.ac.nz](mailto:steven.sexton@otago.ac.nz)
2. Photos should be jpeg format and approximately 1MB – necessary if chosen for publication
3. Text should be in student writing as a word document.
4. Deadline for entry submission is noon Monday 14<sup>th</sup> May, publication of winner via <http://www.nzase.org.nz/primaryscience/index.php>
5. If any questions, email Steven Sexton.