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Dear Parent / Caregivers,

Welcome to Year 1/2 at Gilgandra Public School. My name is Jade Moore, and I will be teaching your child this year in 1/2 Dinawans. Dinawans is the Wiradjuri word for Emus. I am delighted to be guiding your child through their learning journey this year.

Miss Jessica Keogh and Mr Eric Priddis will be our SLSO (School Learning and Support Officer) assisting in our classroom.

Some important dates to remember this year are:

Library: Wednesday with Mrs Chandler- please make sure your child has a book bag each week for borrowing

Cultural Studies: Thursday with my Mrs Goodwin

Science: Tuesday with Mrs Bunter Scripture: Within our classroom Sports: Friday- Sports uniform

Assembly: Fridays 12pm. A letter or text message will be sent home to congratulate your child and

inform you when you child receives an award.

Materials needed this year:

Hat

Water bottle (school will provide students with their own bottle to keep at school) if you prefer to bring your own

Packed Tunch and recess (Lunch and recess also available to order at the canteen)

Fruit and/or vegetables for crunch and sip each day

Old shirt or paint smock (this will be left at school for art lessons)

Please make sure all items are clearly labelled with your child's full name to ensure they can be identified and looked after properly during the year.

Home Reading/Homework:

Home reading and Homework will commence week 3, as this will allow for students to settle into the classroom routines and structures. During Term 1, students will be expected to read their home reader daily and practice their sight words daily. Homework will be given at the beginning of each week and must be returned by Thursday for marking.

I am looking forward to a wonderful year with you all as well as the students of 1/2 Dinawans. I am always happy to discuss your child's progress within school, so please contact me at any time during the school hours on the above number, to arrange a time to meet.

Yours sincerely,

J. MOORE Miss Jade Moore

1/2 Dinawans Classroom Teacher