



Gilgandra Public School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the 2023 school year. This year, your child is in 1/2 Dingoes. My name is Mr Adam Smithers, and I will be the classroom teacher for the year. A bit about myself: I grew up in Sydney, where I worked as a carpenter for over ten years. I play cricket and field hockey and have an interest in most sports. Community is an important aspect of my life. Since moving to Gilgandra, I have become an active member of the Gilgandra State Emergency Service Unit and the Gilgandra Rural Fire Service Brigade.

Our Student Learning Support Officer this year is Mrs Michel Prout. Each week your child will attend Science with Mrs Amanda Bunter, Library and Digital Technologies with Mrs Chantel Chandler and Cultural Studies with Mrs Faye Goodwin.

Library and Digital Technologies	Monday
Cultural Studies	Tuesday
Science	Wednesday
Sport	Friday
Assembly	Friday - 12:00 pm in the school hall. Award winners will be notified by text message.

Homework will be provided to the students every Monday and collected on Friday, starting mid-term. This will include home readers, which can be changed over when finished. Although homework is not compulsory, it is strongly encouraged, along with independent reading each day by your child. Students can also choose to borrow books from the school library.

The school will provide all required classroom materials required for the year. Students may choose to bring their own pencil cases. However, this is not expected.

Please contact me to arrange a time to discuss any requests or concerns.

Kind regards,

Adam Smithers
Classroom Teacher
Gilgandra Public School