## Gilgandra Public School

Safe, Respectful, Learners



Principal
Michael Darcy

Phone: 02 68472 043 Email: gilgandra-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

7/2/25



Dear Parents and guardians,

Welcome to another exciting school year! I am thrilled to be your child's teacher and to work with this wonderful class of 21 students. Together, we will set and achieve meaningful goals throughout 2025.

As a mother of three with nearly 20 years of teaching experience in various roles, I bring both knowledge and enthusiasm to the classroom. Having grown up locally and married to a local farmer, I'm deeply connected to our community.

Each week, your child will participate in core subjects such as Science with Mrs Amanda Bunter (Wednesday 12.45 to 1.45), Digital Technology/Library with Mrs. Chantel Chandler (Tuesday 10.15 to 11.15), and HSIE with Ms. Fay Goodwin (Thursday 10.15 to 11.15). These subjects will provide a well-rounded education, supporting both academic and personal growth. In addition to these, your child will also take part in Scripture, Sports, and Assembly each week.

Home readers will be sent home daily or as often as your child needs them. Reading is highly encouraged, and we will have weekly rewards in place. Home reading doesn't have to be limited to school-provided texts; your child can also enjoy books from home, a magazine, or even the newspaper. Weekly homework will be provided as well—while not compulsory, it is encouraged, and I look forward to discussing this with you during our personalised learning planning afternoon later in the term.

I look forward to a year full of growth, learning, and joy. Please don't hesitate to reach out if you have any questions. Let's make this a fantastic year for our Pandas!

Warm regards,

Amy Spora Classroom Teacher