

Gilgandra Public School

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Swimming Carnival 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Students who are eight years old in 2025 are eligible to compete in our Swimming Carnival on Friday, 14 February 2025. While participation in swimming and wider physical activity is encouraged and supported, competing at the Swimming Carnival is not compulsory.

It is recommended that you consider how competently your child can dive in at the deep end of the swimming pool and complete at least one full lap unassisted. Our swimming carnival is a competitive event, where students are encouraged to compete in their aged races wherever they are able. Students who are not swimming, are not permitted to be in the smaller pool whilst races are being held, and often, due to a full schedule of events, time does not permit for novelty races or free-swimming time after the carnival has finished.

Please take this into consideration and make your child's teacher aware of your decision. If you prefer that they do not compete at the Gilgandra Public School Swimming Carnival, they can stay at school and participate in the Infants Water Fun activities

We ask you to complete the following permission slip if you deem your child capable of diving in at the deep end of the swimming pool and completing at least one full lap unassisted.

Yours kindly,

Mr Adam Smithers
Sports Coordinator
Gilgandra Public School

I _____ give permission for _____ to
compete at the Gilgandra Public School Swimming Carnival to be held on Friday, 14 February 2025.

Please sign and date.

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