Welcome back to the new year. I trust everyone had an enjoyable break.

We welcome the Josephs family to the school this year. Sophia will be working in the SAM position this year.
We extend a big welcome to Toby who is in Year 4 and Ruby in Year 2.
We also welcome Jasmine Thornton to Kindergarten.
Our new students are settling in well to school life.

All students have made a fantastic start to the school year, all 5 of them!

**Dates this term:**

- Friday 13th Feb – Small Schools swimming carnival. Starting at 9am in Nyngan.
- Friday 27th Feb – 2nd March, mid term break.

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**Staff Training**

All staff are to complete anaphylaxis e-training next Wednesday. It is a mandatory online course.

**Supercamp**

In week 8 we will be joining the other small schools in the Bourke region for a “Supercamp” to be held at the Nyngan showground.

Activities will include sports, arts and a fantastic opportunity to see our friends from the other schools. Anglicare and Knox Grammar School, Sydney have both made substantial donations to enable this week to happen and will be helping to implement the activities, bringing with them a range of helpers and coaches. It should be a great week.

**Bogan Bush Mobile**

The session for the Marra venue has had a new day assigned.
It is now Mondays starting from 10-12noon.

The first session will be Monday 9th February. Everyone who has children in the 0-5 age range are welcome to attend.
Please feel free to spread the word to anyone you feel may be interested in this invaluable service.

Marnie Hibbins
Relieving Principal