



Coonabarabran High School

ASSESSMENT NOTIFICATION

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Subject:	Year 7-8 Mandatory LOTE: Gamilaraay Language
Teacher:	Mr Craig Ashby
Topic:	Colours, Numbers, Greetings, Locative Suffix, Ergative Suffix, Verb Suffix (-FUT, PAST and -COMM), Adjectives and Body Parts.
Weighting:	20%
Total Marks:	50 Marks
Date of Notification:	Friday 9 th September 2022
Due Date:	Wednesday 21 September 2022 – Friday 23 September 2022 The in-class test - TWO Sections – Part 1 written (without dictionary), and Part 2 Written (with dictionary) and open book.

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Outcomes Assessed - A student

- 4.UL.1: Demonstrates understanding of the main ideas and supporting detail in spoken texts and responds appropriately.
 - 4.UL.2: Demonstrates understanding of the main ideas and supporting detail in written text and responds appropriately.
 - 4.UL.4: Experiments with linguistic patterns and structures in Aboriginal languages to convey information and to express own ideas effectively.
 - 4.MLC.2: Explore the diverse ways in which meaning is conveyed by comparing and describing structures and features of Aboriginal languages.
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Assessment Description: Task - There will be a dictionary of required words included, as well as a suffix, verb class and other related suffixes located on Pages 340 - 343. Students will have access to a dictionary and their workbooks after Part I is completed.

You will need to know vocabulary for basic greetings, family names, colours and numbers. You will be required to translate sentences and words from Gamilaraay to English and from English to Gamilaraay. To prepare for this assessment, you should make sure all work is up to date and completed in your books, revise your notes, create study aids such as dot point summaries, flash cards and graphic organisers, and complete the attached practice task.

The Gamilaraay test gives you a chance to demonstrate your knowledge and understanding of the technical conventions within Gamilaraay language. It will further showcase your understanding of Gamilaraay phonemes and your ability to identify phonotactic sequences within the Gamilaraay language.

NOTE: Late submission will attract a penalty of 10% per day for the first five days. Failure to complete the In-Class Examination within the allocated timeframe may result in communication with family, lunchtime detentions, and other academic penalty.



THE EXAMINATION

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PART I - Without Gamilaraay Dictionary (10 Minutes)

Topics:

- Family
- Colours
- Numbers
- Greetings
- Phonemes

PART II - Use Gamilaraay Dictionary / Open Book (30 Minutes)

Topics:

- Verb Classes (Verb Class Endings)
- Locative Suffix
- Ergative Suffix
- Adjectives
- Instrumental
- Source

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STUDENT STUDY TIME LOG

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Complete this table below to log your study times. (5 Marks)

Date	Time: Start and Finish	Notes: What did I achieve this study session? What did I do during this time?
THUR 8 September 2022	6:30pm – 7:40pm	Tonight for exam revision I practiced writing three complete sentences using the locative suffix. The structure I used; The <u>SUBJECT</u> <u>VERB</u> <u>-LOC</u> the <u>ADJECTIVE</u> <u>PLACE</u> .

NOTE: Mr Ashby will be available for after school during study session every Tuesday. 3:40 – 5:00 pm in the school library. PLEASE let Mr Ashby know if you are interested in attending and would like language tutoring.

To receive an additional 5 marks, students are to LOG their study times when revising for the examination at home. SEE the example in the table.

NOTE: Parent/guardian MUST sign each study session to ensure that you have completed this revision at home.