Dear Families

Term 2 has concluded with an enormous amount of enquiry-based play punctuating much of each day. These are very exciting times!! Next term we hope the use of mirrors facing to the sky will continue to help us learn more about weather and the seasons. Lotto and memory games continue to be popular and we will progress into more challenging board games soon too. Space themes are of interest in the playdough area and we all know that the Sun is actually a star that’s very close to us. This and the idea that people float in space have been big topics of investigation. We are planning for internet research to extend understandings in these areas further next term. We may even make rockets and count backwards from 10! The recent rain inspired us to experiment with collecting rain samples and we hope to see more rain after visiting Umberumberka this Week. The low level of our town’s water storage has provided much food for thought. Fine motor skills for writing readiness are extending with eye-dropper play and we all are impressed by the many new colours that can be made from just red, yellow and blue! The Potato people continue to grow horns (eyes) on the windowsill and we will be planting them after the holidays. Photos of the Silverton bus trip will be available to view on our school’s website before the end of term and we remind everyone that all past newsletters, calendars and information about what’s happening at Central Preschool and Primary School can all be found online at www.brokenhill-p.schools.nsw.edu.au.

We wish everyone a safe and enjoyable Winter school holiday break.

We look forward to seeing you all from Tuesday 14th July.

Love Andrea and Lyndal.