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Dear Parent/Guardian

## **The NDIS has arrived in Wodonga.**

As of April 1 2017, people in the Wodonga area are able to register as participants (clients) in the **National Disability Insurance Scheme**.

To be eligible to register as a participant in the NDIS, the participant must:

- Be an Australian resident
- Be under 65 Years old
- Live in an area where the NDIS is (like Wodonga)
- Have a lifelong disability, impairment of condition that stops you doing everyday things by yourself, for example
  - o understand and be understood by other people; or
  - o make and keep friends and cope with feelings and emotions; or
  - o understand, remember and learn new things; or
  - o get out of bed and move around the home and outside the home; or
  - o take a bath or shower, dress and eat; or
  - o do daily jobs, handle money and make decisions

To register for the NDIS, you should call

**National Disability Insurance Agency on 1800 800 110**

Once you are registered and approved as a participant in the NDIS, you will be contacted by and NDIS worker who will develop a plan for the participant.

Wodonga Senior Secondary College encourages you to seek a face-to-face meeting and we are able to support and advocate for your child as a participant in this process.

If you would like support in your planning meeting, please contact the Inclusion Coordinator on 60437500.

Yours sincerely,

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Inclusion Coordinator