Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2022 Minimbah State School will receive

\$460,829*

This funding will be used to

- Increase the percentage of students meeting the National Minimum Standard (NMS) in Writing from 88.0% to 90% for Yr 5.
- Increase the Mean Scale Score of students in Yr 3 Numeracy from 387.1 to 400 in Yr 3.
- Increase the Mean Scale Score of students in Yr 5 Numeracy from 469.4 to 490 in Yr 3.
- Diagnose and address learning difficulties in Prep-Year 3 and increase the proportion of students in the U2B in Writing to 15% in Yr 5.
- Ensure students achieve the NMS for literacy and numeracy for their year level **or** have a school developed evidence-based plan, in place to address their specific learning difficulties.
- Improve teacher capability and pedagogical practices, in response to Trauma Informed Practice.
- Improve student outcomes based on early intervention with occupational therapy, speech pathology, and capacity building of Teacher Aides (TA) and Teachers with appropriate and targeted professional development.

Our initiatives include

- Review student data each term (ie NAPLAN, Reading levels, SAGE, attendance) and provide a learning plan for all Year 2, 3, 4 and 5 students below the NMS.
- Link with tertiary institutions and specialists to implement programs in Early Years Education, Speech Therapy and Hearing difficulties.
- TA delivered welfare programs based on social and emotional Wellbeing.
- Implementation of the Berry Street Education Model (BSEM), a trauma informed practice approach.
- Implementation of pedagogical strategies based on evidence from standardized testing, moderated school data and Effect Size measures, underpinned by the works of Dr Anne Bayetto, Dr John Hattie, John Fleming and Michael Fullen.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

Work with external providers in identifying and addressing Hearing Problems P-Yr 3 \$3000
 Speech Therapy services and support \$60000
 Additional Classroom teachers \$144000
 Coordinator/Teacher – Berry Street Education Model \$120000
 Gifted and Talented Coordinator 0.6 \$10000
 Additional Teacher or TA time to support students \$33 829

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