

# Investing for Success

## Under this agreement for 2018 Raceview State School will receive

**\$534,338\***

### This funding will be used to

- Improve the percentage of students achieving in the Upper Two Bands (U2B) in Reading in Year 3 from 29.5% to 35%.
- Improve the percentage of students achieving in the U2B in Reading in Year 5 from 33% to 37%.
- Extend targeted academic intervention in reading to ensure all eligible students in Year 3 and Year 5 meet the National Minimum Standard (NMS) in NAPLAN reading.
- Establish Professional Learning Teams (PLTs) to use an inquiry cycle approach to drive student improvement in reading.
- Improve student attendance rates from 91.8% to meet or exceed the state-wide average of 92.8%.
- Increase opportunities for active parent participation and decision making in the school from 83.0% to greater than 88.0%, as measured by the School Opinion Survey.

### Our initiatives include

- Appointing a Literacy Coach to support teachers in Years 1 to 3 to implement evidence-based strategies such as shared, guided and independent reading, to improve reading. Providing demonstrations lessons for teachers with reflection and feedback on teaching practice.
- Appoint a second Head of Curriculum to drive cross curricular literacies with a focus on reading in Years 4 to 6.
- Develop the capabilities of the school leadership team in the inquiry cycle to lead the development of professional learning teams of teachers.
- Develop a whole school attendance strategy using an action research approach facilitated by the Dean of Students.
- Increase parent community participation by extending opportunities for parent governance and decision making in the school, by involving parent groups, community members and staff.

### Our school will improve student outcomes by

Employ a Literacy Coach and an additional HOC to build teacher capacity across Years P-3 and 4-6 to support the teaching of reading	<b>\$230,000</b>
Employing a Dean of Students to drive the implementation of Positive Behaviour Support across the school and the improvement of student attendance	<b>\$115,000</b>



Provide additional speech language support by increasing the employment of the Speech Language Pathologist to one full-time position	<b>\$ 52,000</b>
Employ additional teacher aides to support student learning in the classroom in reading	<b>\$137,338</b>



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