

Investing for Success

**Under this agreement for 2017
Ayr State High School will receive**

\$264,305*

This funding will be used to

- Improve Reading outcomes for all students Years 7-10.
- Improve Numeracy outcomes for all students Years 7-10.
- Narrow the gap between indigenous and non-indigenous student achievement Year 7-12.
- Improve Year 11&12 student outcomes focused on QCE/QCIA attainment and high level OP scores.

Our initiatives include


- Continue to embed the whole school reading strategy through Directed Reading-Thinking Activities framework utilising Pat Hipwell.
- Continue to embed numeracy development strategy and continuing work with outside expertise.
- Continue to Improve teacher capacity through focused professional development focused directly to the Whole school Pedagogical Framework.
- Below benchmark student intervention.
- Structured case management and intervention strategies to ensure high level QCE/QCIA attainment.
- Intensive QCS preparation program for all OP eligible students in Years 11&12.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Employing external consultant(s) to continue our analysis and response to literacy performance, with a special focus on Mathematics Years 7-9 **\$50,000**
- Provide teacher release to ensure collaborative curriculum unpacking and development supported by Master Teacher. **\$40 000**
- Provide teacher release to support the delivery of a focused Teacher development program that includes, targeted Professional development sessions, Coaching and Peer observations. **\$80,000**
- Engage extra staffing to provide intervention for students below benchmarks **\$42,000**
- Support employment of additional indigenous aide to support improved indigenous outcomes **\$42,000**
- Provide high level QCS preparation programme that is tailored to individual student needs. **\$10,000**



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