

Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2016 Berrinba East State School will receive

\$308,245*

This funding will be used to

- Raise the percentage of students in the Upper Two Bands (U2B) of NAPLAN Reading from 26.8% to above 35% (Year 3) and from 9.4% to above 20% (Year 5).
- Raise the percentage of students above the National Minimum Standard in NAPLAN Reading and Numeracy to above 95%
- Raise the average reading level for each year level to above the regional benchmarks.
- To raise the school attendance rate from 88.9% to 93%.
- Develop oral language proficiency of students in the lower school. This will be measured by the application and analysis of the Early Start Assessment schedule.
- To develop teacher capacity from proficient to highly accomplished using the Australian Professional Standards for Teachers.

Our initiatives include

- Implementation of Explicit Instruction as a whole school pedagogical approach.
- The continued implementation of the PrepSTART and OneSTART initiatives to develop oral language in the early years.
- The creation and review of a whole school curriculum plan with an explicit focus on aligning assessment tasks to content and teaching.
- The continued implementation of Professional Learning Teams that facilitate collegial engagement, data analysis and student goal setting for the teaching of Reading.
- The creation of the student services hub with the aim of engaging and improving attendance of the culturally diverse communities of Berrinba East State School.
- Engaging all staff in pedagogical coaching cycles.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Employment of a second fulltime Head of Curriculum - \$101 000.00
- Employment of a fulltime Pedagogy Coach - \$101 000.00
- FTE contribution for a fulltime Guidance Officer - \$48 300.00
- 0.4FTE Speech Language Pathologist - \$49 000.00
- 0.2FTE Pacific Islander liaison officer - \$8 500.00



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