

Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2017

Maryborough State High School will receive

\$426,274*

This funding will be used to

- Increase the percentages of students getting an A, B or C in Mathematics, English and Science to greater than 80%.
- Increase student attendance to greater than 90%.
- Maintain results of Numeracy and Reading at equal to or greater than similar Queensland state schools.
- Improve the teaching of reading in the classroom through targeted intervention and extra support for students.
- Maintain students attaining Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE) in Year 12 at 100%.
- Improve Upper 2 Bands results for students to greater than 30% in Year 7 Reading, Spelling, Grammar and Punctuation and Numeracy and to greater than 20% in Writing.
- Improve Upper 2 Bands results for students to greater than 20% in Year 9 for all strands.
- Improve the confidence in state education in the local and wider community.
- Increase participation and direction of the school's REAL Agenda (Reading, Attendance and Engagement, Effective Teaching, Learning).

Our initiatives include

- Employ and train teacher aides in reading comprehension strategies for the Year 7 - Year 9 Literacy program.
- Engage attendance officer to monitor and implement strategies for improved attendance.
- Employ school community officer to promote state education and provide opportunities to liaise with the school community and promote the school as a community learning hub.
- Provide improvements to the school environment to engage learners and bolster confidence in public education
- Employ teacher aide to monitor QCE engagement.
- Invest in technology services to develop digital pedagogy within the classroom and to service the incorporation of technology into the classroom.
- Implement a social and emotional wellbeing learning program through Year 7 to Year 9 which aligns with the attributes of PBL (Positive Behaviour for Learning - previously Schoolwide Positive Behaviour Support [SWPBS]) Program.
- Provide administrative assistance to support the welfare of students through assessment completion, proactive welfare referral and the identification of students at risk of disengagement.
- Employ teacher aides in order to assist in proactive behaviour modification strategies to maximise the learning environment for all engaged students.

* Funding amount estimated on 2016 data. Actual funding will be determined after 2017 enrolment data are finalised.

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Our school will improve student outcomes by

Attendance and Engagement

- Providing extrinsic motivation for improvements in 'relative gain' in attendance - \$10 000
- Providing training and support for engaging students via the 'Reboot' Initiative - \$10 000
- Engaging students with extension and engineering programs via the school's participation in the Human Powered Vehicle program - \$10 000
- Providing opportunities for students to engage with extra-curricular activities by providing school-leased buses for student transport - \$46 000
- Providing staff development in engagement with the Positive Behaviour for Learning program - \$4 000
- Monitoring and tracking of engagement through enlistment of attendance and engagement officers - \$132 000
- Provision of a Student Welfare Youth Worker - \$41 935
- Provision of improvements to school environment via upgrades to the school Multi-Purpose Hall - \$35 000

Effective Teaching

- Engagement of staff in provision of the Art and Science of Teaching - \$1 000
- Engagement of staff in the Education Changemakers program - \$10 000

Learning

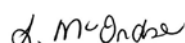
- Subscription for staff to participate in the New Pedagogies for Deep Learning International Program – \$ 4 000
- Purchase and development of the school Resource Centre - \$10 300

Reading

- Support of the school Master Teacher with provision of resources for reading and literacy programs – \$5 200
- Provision of intensive reading teacher aides to enhance reading outcomes – \$93 839



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