

Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2021

Mount Tyson State School will receive

\$22 187*

This funding will be used to

- Increase the percentage of Year Three and Year Five students achieving NAPLAN national minimum standard (NMS) to 100% in reading and writing in 2021
- Achieve 70% of students attaining a "C" or above, in English across all year levels
- Increase the percentage of students in Prep to Year 6 achieving at or above Reading Benchmarks from 80% to 85%

Our initiatives include

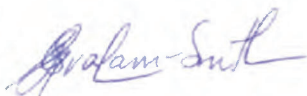
- Developing a whole school approach to teaching reading, ensuring intervention and extension
- Increasing teachers' repertoire of effective strategies for teaching reading and comprehension across key learning areas
- Developing staff capability in the teaching of writing by providing professional development and fostering quality lessons by providing staff with regular peer feedback
- Deepening teacher pedagogical content knowledge and understanding of writing, in all learning areas of the Australian Curriculum

Evidence


- Fisher, D and Frey, N and Hattie, J – *Visible Learning for Literacy*, Implementing the Practices That Work Best to Accelerate Student Learning, Corwin, 2016
- Sharratt, L and Fullan, M – *Putting Faces on the Data*, Corwin, 2012

Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Implementing a targeted reading intervention program to support students across Prep to Year 6 identified as requiring intervention in reading, by employing additional teacher aides. **\$20 000**
- Developing staff capability by allocating additional time for all teaching staff and leaders to engage in professional conversations around collaborative data inquiry, action learning and moderation, to collectively plan evidence based lessons with informed curriculum and pedagogical decisions. **\$2 187**
- Providing professional development and collaboration to build capacity of teachers and teacher aides in developing literacy skills in all students. **\$0**



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