

Investing for Success

**Under this agreement for 2019
Mountain Creek State School will receive**

\$265,098

This funding will be used to

- Increase the school's achievement mean scores for Year 3 and 5 NAPLAN above the Queensland State School mean score for reading, writing, spelling, grammar and punctuation, and numeracy.
- Attain a higher mean score for Year 3 and 5 NAPLAN in comparison to the Queensland State School and National Means for the targeted area writing.
- Attain higher Year 3 and 5 NAPLAN Upper 2 Bands achievement than both the Queensland State School and National Means for the targeted area writing.
- Increase the percentage of students whose English results are a 'B' rating or higher as they move across the school. (Achieve above 40% of students from Prep to Year 6.)

Our initiatives include

- Developing links to local early childhood centres and kindergartens to enhance knowledge of on-entry to Prep expectations and to assist in a smooth transition of children into Prep and Year 1.
- Providing professional development for teachers and school leaders to support innovative practices in English including the Big Write, use of data and common schoolwide writing practices.
- Implementation of targeted intervention programs to cater identified needs of students using MiniLit, Support-A-Reader, speech therapy programs and social / emotional programs.
- Collecting relevant data to support staff deepen knowledge of student levels and their use for targeted intervention.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

Promoting digital literacies, undertaking data collection and analysing student learning to support specific needs.	\$ 45,000.00
Increasing teacher aide staffing and resources for direct instruction programs or year level intervention.	\$ 97,000.00
Purchasing curriculum resourcing for targeted improvement areas including writing and other priorities.	\$ 36,000.00
Employing staffing for transition to school, attendance and support of students' emotional and wellbeing needs.	\$ 87,098.00

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* Funding amount estimated on 2018 data. Actual funding will be determined after 2019 enrolment data are finalised. Actual expenditure may be varied due to changes in finalised 2019 enrolment data and student learning needs.



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