

Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2016

Mount Gravatt State High School will receive

\$367,485*

This funding will be used to

- Maintain the trajectory of continued improvement in literacy and numeracy skills measured by PAT diagnostic and NAPLAN standardised tests
- Support extension and enrichment for higher order learning application of literacy and numeracy
- Reduce class sizes to allow finer differentiation of learning through the employment of additional staff

Our initiatives include


- Maintain literacy and numeracy NAPLAN U2B targets of >30% in Reading, Grammar & Punctuation, Numeracy, and continue to exceed nation in Writing >20% U2B, and >35% U2B in Spelling
- Continue to exceed 97% of students above NMS in Reading, Spelling, Grammar & Punctuation, 95% in Writing and 98% in Numeracy
- Implement strategies to achieve 100% QCE attainment by Year 12 students

Our school will improve student outcomes by

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employing 2.6 FTE teachers above allocation to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ reduce class sizes and provide extension and enrichment options in Junior Secondary English and Mathematics ○ further support EALD students ○ supplement allocation of .8 HOD (Senior Schooling), Junior & Senior Deans of Students to align learning & wellbeing to student performance 	\$260000
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase teacher-aid support by up to 1000 hours to support <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ reading recovery and reading and writing fluency, ○ support school initiatives to optimise student engagement and attendance rates to above like schools 	\$34000
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue ACER PAT testing to benchmark and measure longitudinal student performance 	\$8000
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide on-line learning facility 'Maths on Line' 	\$3500
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide additional text and resources to aide reading and writing proficiency improvement 	\$31985
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support high achievers in school based U2B programs, promote and enrol students in ICAS Competitions and Readers' Cup Challenge and school based academic 'Edge' classes in Years 7 and 8 	\$9000
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue to conduct after-school homework and tutorial assistance 	\$15000
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide pathways support for senior secondary students including access to vocational courses, school based apprenticeships and traineeships that contribute to QCE credit and attainment 	\$6000



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