

Investing for Success

**Under this agreement for 2017
The Willows State School will receive**

\$281,150

This funding will be used to

- Increase Mean Scale Score and Upper 2 Bands Data
- Increase Year 3 (100%) and year 5 (95%) of students achieving at or above National Minimum Standard in Writing
- Achieve 90% of students achieving C or better in English
- Achieve 90% of students achieving C or better in Mathematics
- Achieve 95% of Parents are satisfied that their child's English Skills are being developed at this school (Parent SOS S2107)

Our initiatives include

- Facilitating collaborative planning with teachers of year levels to plan and align curriculum, assessment with their instructional leaders at the table (Principal, Deputy Principals, HoC, HoSE and STLaN's) and identify the teaching with a Literacy Focus required for student's LOA's to increase to 90% or more C or above
- Targeting support for students of Prep-3 to achieve 90% or more of students achieving Reading Targets measured through PM Benchmarking
- Targeting intensive support through co-plan, co-teach, co-reflect (co-instructional model) to improve quality of student writing measured through collaborative inquiries and verified through moderation processes

Our school will improve student outcomes by

Employing up to 3.3 FTE Support Teachers Literacy and Numeracy co-instructional coaching in collaborative inquiries with a focus on Reading, Writing sitting within the curriculum	\$257 000
Facilitating Leaders alongside teachers - Professional Learning – through teacher release time	\$ 24,150



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