

Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2018
Hamilton State School will receive

\$54,450*

This funding will be used to:

- maintain 100% of Year 3 and Year 5 students achieving the National Minimum Standard in Writing in NAPLAN
- increase the percentage of students in the Upper Two Bands in Writing (NAPLAN) to 50% in Year 3 and Year 5
- increase the percentage of students achieving a 'B' or higher in English.

Our initiatives include:

Initiative	Evidence Base
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Employing Executive Coach – Australian Curriculum, to work across Brisbane Small Schools Cluster and provide professional development and coaching to develop teachers' understandings of the Australian Curriculum: English. 	Sharratt, L & Fullan M 2012, <i>Putting FACES on the Data: What Great Leaders Do!</i> , Corwin, California, USA.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establishing a professional learning community of teachers across cluster schools to collaboratively plan units of work and share and evaluate strategies and their impact. 	Fisher, D, Frey, N & Hattie J 2016, <i>Visible Learning for Literacy</i> . Corwin, London, UK.

Our school will improve student outcomes by:

Action	Cost
Purchase Executive Coach – Australian Curriculum.	\$26 929
Purchase TRS teachers to release classroom teachers to participate in cluster planning days (20 days).	\$9 000
Purchase TRS teacher to release classroom teachers for coaching and feedback with Executive Coach (12 days).	\$5 400
Purchase of teacher aide to support writing.	\$7 121
Professional Development – Writing.	\$6 000
Total	\$54 450



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