

# Investing for Success

**Under this agreement for 2021  
Millchester State School will receive**

**\$92,192\***

## This funding will be used to

- Track progress and measure growth in literacy and numeracy for students in Prep, Year 1 and Year 2 using Early Start tasks and the Literacy Continuum
- Identify, prioritise and support students 'at risk' of not achieving a 'C' standard in English through precise data-driven instruction
- Improve the percentage of students achieving an 'A-C' standard in English and improve the percentage of students achieving in the NAPLAN Upper Two Bands (U2B)
- Maintain and improve the relative gain (scale scores) in NAPLAN literacy domains for Year 3 and Year 5 students
- Regularly analyse, discuss and track the impact of enhanced classroom teaching practices on the learning growth of marker students using formative and summative data and the Literacy Continuum
- Build staff capacity to develop and embed effective and consistent classroom teaching practices that increase learning outcomes for all students.

## Our initiatives include

- Administering Early Start literacy and numeracy tasks at prescribed times for students in Prep, Year 1, and Year 2
- Enhancing high-impact classroom teaching practices and conditions for learning that focus on:
  - establishing high expectations for learning
  - checking for student understanding and mastery
- Providing differentiated coaching and feedback for teaching staff
- Improving the precision of targeted literacy teaching through regular analysis and discussion of formative and summative data
- Improving teacher and Principal capacity around data literacy and case management processes.

## Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Teacher replacement to administer Early Start literacy and numeracy tasks: \$5000
- School-purchasing additional teacher and teacher aide resourcing for targeted literacy teaching and case management: \$75,000
- Providing ongoing, targeted professional development and differentiated coaching for teaching staff: \$12,192.



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