

Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2020
Silkstone State School will receive

\$517,638*

This funding will be used to

- Increase the number of Year 3 and Year 5 students achieving National Minimum Standard in Reading to 95%.
- Increase the number of Year 3 students and Year 5 students achieving Upper 2 Bands in Reading to 40%.
- Increase the number of students achieving National Minimum Standard in Year 5 Writing to 90%.
- Increase the number of students achieving grade C or higher in English to 88% and in Mathematics to 92%.
- Increase the number of Students With Disability achieving C or better in English and Mathematics to 70%.

Our initiatives include

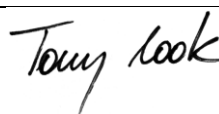
- Ensuring all students, including those with disability, are supported with appropriate adjustments so that they can access all subjects in the Australian Curriculum.
- Introducing an evidenced-based Synthetic Phonics teaching sequence (Little Learners Love Literacy) in Prep and Year 1.
- Providing appropriate intervention for Prep students in reading and writing from early in the year.
- Providing teachers with additional opportunities to collaborate in a case-management approach so that deeper understanding of each student's instructional needs is enhanced.
- Providing additional opportunities to engage with the Head of Curriculum and other specialist teachers to build capacity in classroom teachers to differentiate teaching and assessment more effectively across the Australian Curriculum.
- Providing professional development in the evidenced-based '6+1 Traits of Writing' framework.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

Continued Investment in a full-time Speech Language Pathologist.	\$31,671
Investment in an additional Deputy Principal (0.5 From FTE staffing and 0.5 from I4S)	\$57,827
Investment in Teacher Release Time for collaborative planning, collaborative case management and professional learning.	\$199,428
Investing in additional teacher aide Hours to support high quality literacy teaching.	\$150,000
Investing in an additional teacher (1.0) to provide additional support to students at risk.	\$78,712
Total	\$517,638



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