

# Investing for Success

**Under this agreement for 2017**

**Eight Mile Plains State School will receive**

**\$122,328**

## This funding will be used to

- Increase the percentage of Prep students reaching Regional Benchmarks in Reading to 90%.
- Increase the percentage of students in NAPLAN attaining National Minimum Standards to 90% in Reading and Upper Two Bandings to 30%
- Improve teacher capability through focused literacy coaching, mentoring, collaborative planning, data conferencing to ensure continued improvement in student achievement.

## Our initiatives include

- Provide coaching and modelling of explicit teaching in Reading for teachers and teacher aides.
- Increase teachers' repertoire of effective strategies for teaching text processing and comprehension across learning areas.
- Provide identified students with targeted intervention as determined by STL&N, SEP and SLP.
- Support teacher aides to consolidate student learning in literacy (including oral language and Metalinguistics and Guided Reading) through coaching and weekly professional development.
- Conduct student performance data conferences every term with class teachers and Curriculum Leaders

## Our school will improve student outcomes by

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| • Employing additional STL&N (.2) to coach teachers and teacher aides in the teaching of reading practices and assessment.                                              | <b>\$ 20,000</b> |
| • Employing Teacher Aides (21 hours per week) to support literacy teaching in classrooms                                                                                | <b>\$ 25,000</b> |
| • Employ Teacher Aide for Targeted Intervention initiatives (25 hours)                                                                                                  | <b>\$ 30,000</b> |
| • Providing TRS to enable teachers to engage in collaborative planning, data conferencing, classroom visits, coaching and professional conversations. (90 days x \$440) | <b>\$ 40,000</b> |
| • Undertake Hearing Screeners provided by University of Queensland Health clinic (1 day for 50 students)                                                                | <b>\$ 825</b>    |
| • Purchase literacy and numeracy resources to support explicit teaching in oral language, reading and numeracy.                                                         | <b>\$ 6,503</b>  |
| • Purchase annual subscription to Literacy Pro.                                                                                                                         | <b>\$ 2500</b>   |

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