

Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2019

Pittsworth State School will receive

\$115,145*

This funding will be used to

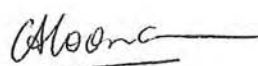
- Improve reading standards of all students measured through:
 - Department of Education (DoE) Literacy Continuum
 - Prep – Year 2 students achieve end-of-year-level expectation for critical aspects of 'Reading texts', 'Aspects of Speaking', 'Phonemic Awareness';
 - NAPLAN results
 - 100% of Year 3 and Year 5 students reach National Minimum Standards (NMS);
 - Darling Downs South West (DDSW) Regional Reading Benchmarks
 - all students reach or exceed end-of-year benchmarks.

Our initiatives include

Initiative	Evidence base
Implementing and monitoring the effectiveness of intensive multi-tiered speech language programs to support progression and improvement in reading standards in the early phase.	"Principals as Literacy Leaders", APPA Australia Primary Principals Association. "Understanding the Reading Process", Deslea Konza. "Oral Language", Anne Bayetto, Flinders University.
Providing focused and intensive teaching of reading to all students to demonstrate achievement against the NAPLAN National Minimum Standards, DDSW reading benchmarks (Progress for Meaning - PM) and DoE Literacy Continuum (clusters and critical aspects).	"Understanding the Reading Process", Deslea Konza. "Visible Learning for Literacy", D Fisher, N Frey, J Hattie.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

Employing a Speech Language Pathologist one (1) day per fortnight to implement multi-tiered speech language programs and build staff capability in delivering speech programs.	\$ 8,009
Employing an Early Years Co-ordinator 0.08 full-time equivalent to deliver a great start to learning and achieve growth in students learning.	\$ 9,629
Employing a full-time classroom teacher (temporary) to deliver a great start to learning and achieve growth in student learning.	\$ 89,676
Employing a Teacher Aide (temporary) ten (10) hours per fortnight to provide support in literacy (reading) blocks.	\$ 7,831
Total	\$ 115,145



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* Funding amount estimated on 2018 data. Actual funding will be determined after 2019 enrolment data are finalised. Actual expenditure may be varied due to changes in finalised 2019 enrolment data and student learning needs.



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