

# Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2019

Alexandra Bay State School will receive

**\$15,661**

## This funding will be used to

Instruction: Use this space to state what you expect from your improvement initiatives.

- Ensure >90% of Prep to Year 6 students attain at least a 'C' standard/'working with' result in English in 2019.
- Ensure >60% of Prep to Year 6 students attain an A or B standard/'Making Connections' or 'Applying' standard in English in 2019.
- Ensure the P-10 Literacy Continuum is used for goal setting and feedback in C2C Reading and Writing to ensure improvement in A-C data in English.
- Ensure Year 3 and 5 students meet the National Minimum Standard (NMS) in Reading and Writing in 2019 or have an evidence-based intervention learning plan or an Individual Curriculum Plan (ICP) in place to address their specific learning needs.
- Align whole school reading program with regional initiative to support reading within the curriculum to improve A-E data with support from Zarah-Rae Budgen.

## Our initiatives include

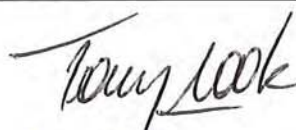
- Improving student outcomes in English through capability-building of all staff through the following:
  - Building capacity of teachers to utilise the P-10 Literacy Continuum to inform their teaching.
  - Developing teachers' capability to embed feedback and goal setting using the P-10 Literacy Continuum.
  - Providing focused and targeted intervention for students to attain a 'C' standard or higher in English.
  - Provide professional learning opportunities around reading, writing, phonics and intervention to all staff including teacher aides to build an expert teaching team with clear role descriptions.
  - Align whole school curriculum units using the Digital Guides to ensure assessment accuracy and consistency.
  - Refine teachers' pedagogical practice with the Gradual Release of Responsibility and best research-based practices.
  - Developing coaching cycles with the co-plan, co-teach, co-reflect and co-assess framework to support school Strategic Plan, Regional initiatives and Staff Professional Development plans.

## Our school will improve student outcomes by

Actions	Costs
Providing targeted professional learning to teachers and teacher aides to build capacity for quality teaching and learning through coaching and feedback, collaborative planning, moderation, professional development and implementing inquiry cycles.	\$4 500
Increasing support for students with identified/targeted needs. Allocation of additional teacher/teacher aide support across the school in targeted intervention sweeps.	\$11 161



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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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