



Investing for Success

Snapshot report

Under the Investing for Success Agreement for 2018

Harristown State School received (finalised amount)

\$267,680

Our full 2018 agreement can be found at:

<https://harristownss.eq.edu.au/Supportandresources/Formsanddocuments/Documents/investing-for-success.PDF>

Our school initiatives are showing substantial progress toward our targets

After reviewing our 2018 *Investing for Success* agreement, it is clear that we have made progress toward our targeted student outcomes. We will continue to focus on maximising the benefits of this funding for our students, and adjust our initiatives as needed to ensure every student succeeds.

Initiatives implemented include:

- Providing a consistent whole-of-school focus on improving literacy outcomes for all students including targeted reading intervention for the students identified as likely to fall below benchmarks and National Minimum Standard (NMS).
- Ensured that all students are supported to reach NMS in areas of Reading and all literacies.
- Increased the number of students achieving the NMS for literacy and numeracy particularly students in reading. Develop Individual Curriculum Plans (ICPs) for students achieving 2 year levels below their age appropriate peer cohorts and below benchmark levels in all strands of the English Learning Area.
- Created an engaging curriculum that contributes to improved attendance rates - above 90%, a drop in SDAs - below 50 and a drop in Major Behaviour incidences.
- Continued a focus on Mental Health and Wellbeing for staff and students to cater for the Mental Health needs of students and staff-evident in School Opinion Survey results and Behaviour data.
- Maintained the Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) to manage students' behaviour.
- Improved student attendance rates focusing on students with below 85% attendance.
- Built relationships with Pre-Prep families providing smooth transitions to school for Prep age students.