

Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2022

Biggera Waters State School will receive

\$353,257*

This funding will be used to

- Support a focus on the teaching of Reading and Writing to improve English A-C levels of achievement from 78% to 90% through Sharratt's 14 parameters and the inclusive teaching of reading.
- Build capability of teachers in Reading, Writing, 14 parameters, PBL, data literacy and leadership through collaborative data analysis and planning time.
- Maintain a focus on the teaching of STEAM in prep- year 6.
- Early intervention for students requiring support with reading to ensure 100% of students progressing at least 1 year's growth every year.

Our initiatives include

- Engagement with the South East Region's Leading Learning Collaborative based on the work of Dr Lyn Sharratt.
- Engagement with the South East Region's Inclusive Teaching of Reading project.
- 4 days per year per teacher release time for targeted capability and development sessions to increase capability in targeted areas.
- Dedicated STEAM program to build 21st century and problem solving skills.
- Additional Speech and Language Pathologist intervention for students and staff capability development to improve students' reading and oral language development.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

1. Employing a Pedagogy mentor to support staff in the focus of teaching reading and writing	\$100,000
2. Employing a STEAM specialist teacher to deliver STEAM classes P-6	\$120,000
3. Purchase an additional 2 days per week of a Speech and Language Pathologist to support early intervention within Reading	\$50,000
4. Fund 1 day per term per teacher for collaborative capability and development days focussed on Reading, Writing, 14 parameters, PBL, data literacy and leadership through collaborative data analysis and planning time	\$60,000
5. Ongoing professional development to support the 14 Parameters, leadership development, reading, writing and PBL.	\$23,257

TOTAL

\$353,257



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