

# Investing for Success

## Under this agreement for 2022 Severnlea State School

**\$16,799\***

### This funding will be used to

- Improve to 75% the students in Prep-6 at or above regional reading benchmark.
- Improve to 75% the students in Prep-6 achieving at or above year level standard in spelling.
- Improve to 80% the students in Prep-6 achieving C (or equivalent) in English and Maths.

### Our initiatives include

- Establish a rigorous Student Support Services process to monitor student progress on ICPs and to identify and assess at-risk students, and to plan and implement targeted interventions based on a differentiated model of teaching and learning.
- Teachers receiving release days to: work with the Principal and specialist inclusion staff to interrogate student data; plan individualised intervention and extension goals and strategies; engage in targeted professional learning in the teaching of reading in the Australian Curriculum, engagement and wellbeing; and for coaching and peer mentoring.
- Engage a specialist inclusion teacher (Reading Recovery) for 1 day/week during term 2 and 3 to work with teachers and the Principal to prepare individualised intervention and extension goals and learning strategies, and to liaise with teachers and teacher aides to support the implementation of targeted individualised learning.
- Evidence base includes:
  - Sharratt, L, & Fullan, M. 2012, *Putting FACES on the Data. What Great Leaders Do!* Corwin, California, USA
  - Archer, AL & Hughes, CA. 2011, *Explicit Instruction: Effective and Efficient Teaching.* Guilford Press, NY, USA.
  - Cameron, S. 2009 *Teaching Reading Comprehension Strategies: A Practical Classroom Guide.* Pearson Education Australia, Sydney.

### Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Capacity building for teachers and teacher aides through release days for curriculum planning, coaching, and targeted professional learning. \$4,500
- Engage a Reading Recovery Teacher in Terms 2 and 3 to support improved results in reading and spelling. \$12,299



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