

# Investing for Success

## Under this agreement for 2017 Silkwood State School will receive

**\$25,155**\*

### This funding will be used to

At Silkwood State School we guarantee that every student will either achieve NMS in literacy and numeracy for their year level or have an evidence based learning plan in place to address their specific learning needs.

Outcome goals:

- Maintain the % of Year 3 and 5 students meeting NMS in reading at 100% in 2017
- Increase the % of Prep students achieving PM Level 9 in reading to 100% by the end of 2017
- Increase the % of Year 3 students in the U2B in reading to 35% in 2017
- Increase the % of Year 5 students in the U2B in reading to 50% in 2017

### Our initiatives include

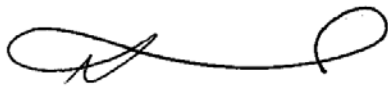
- Build teacher capability in explicit teaching and consolidations through embedding the culture, climate, processes and protocols of classroom observation and feedback, to support professional development and encourage reflective practice
- Principal to conduct classroom observations in every classroom at least twice per term. One English EI lesson and one Maths EI lesson.
- Principal and staff review, refine and embed the whole-school reading program
- Principal to meet with teachers twice per term to discuss and analyse individual student progress and set new achievable targets for those students requiring an Individual Curriculum Plan
- Focus intervention on those at risk of not meeting NMS in reading
- Invest more teacher aide time into the P-2 and 2-4 classrooms and intervention programs
- Review student performance data every 5 weeks

### Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Release classroom teachers to review and refine whole-school reading program
- Literacy mentor (highly skilled Teacher Aide) to assist in P-1 classroom 3 mornings a week in Reading Groups
- Release classroom teachers (2 days in total per semester) to conduct ICP development and review
- Release Teaching Principal to perform classroom observations and feedback

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| Purpose/Details   | Amount          |
|---|-----------------|
| Literacy Mentor (Teacher Aide)<br>Approx. \$30 per hour x 20 hours per week x 36 weeks per year | \$21,600        |
| Key NAPLAN Teacher<br>\$402 x 8 Days  | \$3,618         |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>\$25,218</b> |



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