# **Investing for Success**

## **Under this agreement for 2019** North Rockhampton State High School will receive

\$545,136

| Target  | Measures  |
|---|---|
| Attendance  1. Increase student attendance to above 87%  2. Increase Indigenous student attendance to above 80%   | Baseline/endpoint: Whole school student attendance Semester 2 2018 OneSchool Data (85%) Indigenous student attendance Semester 2 2018 OneSchool Data (77%)  Comparison: Whole school student attendance Semester 1 2019 OneSchool Data Indigenous student attendance Semester 1 2019 OneSchool Data Indigenous student attendance Semester 1 2019 OneSchool Data  Monitoring: ID Attend/OneSchool Year Level Coordinators Community Education Counsellor (CEC) Heads of Department (HODs) – Social Justice/Junior Secondary 8 Senior Schooling Head of Special Education Services (HOSES) |
| <ul> <li>Wellbeing &amp; Successful Transitions</li> <li>1. Improve student perceptions towards the school</li> <li>2. Reduce the number of school disciplinary absences</li> <li>3. Guarantee that 99% of students exiting Year 12 will achieve either a QCE, QCIA or VET qualification</li> </ul> | o School Opinion Survey student response 2019   |
| <ul> <li>4. Improve teacher capability through the establishment of Professional Learning Communities in the areas of: <ul> <li>Reading</li> <li>Writing</li> <li>Indigenous Education</li> <li>Teaching trauma affected students</li> </ul> </li> </ul>  | I Leachers at MV school treat stridents tairly  |

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- HODs
- Support staff/ Academic coaches
- TrackEd used to monitor student progress
- Case management records

#### Our initiatives include:

#### Initiative

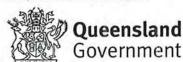
- Implementation of Professional Learning Community inquiry cycles to further develop staff capacity using evidence based practices in reading, writing, Indigenous education and teaching trauma affected students.
- Employing a Head of Department – Social Justice/Junior Secondary to develop and lead the explicit improvement agenda in Years 7-9.
- Professional development for all teachers and teacher aides in the identified focus areas.
- Purchase of resources to support the identified focus areas.
- Provision of teacher aide support within classrooms to assist students with literacy, numeracy and engagement.
- Provision of planning time for teachers to - review data, develop intervention strategies, plan collaboratively and observe other teachers.
- Case management of identified students in Years 7
   12 to ensure successful completion of program of study.
- Use of TrackEd and academic coaches to provide regular monitoring of student progress to ensure early intervention for students

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identified 'at risk'.

- Employing an additional 0.5
   Full Time Equivalent (FTE)
   Guidance Officer to provide
   intervention and support
   measures for students in Out
   of Home Care and those at
   risk of early disengagement
   from learning.
- Employing Administrative
   Officer (AO2) to support to
   collate tracking data to
   support teachers to monitor
   student progress and provide
   early interventions for those
   identified as 'at risk'.
- Purchasing release time to allow identified teachers to meet with identified students to provide support and case management to improve attendance and completion.

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### Our school will improve student outcomes by:

Attendance, Wellbeing and Successful Transitions

| Actions   | Costs     |
|---|-----------|
| Employing a Head of Department – Social Justice/Junior Secondary  | \$145,000 |
| Employing additional teacher aides to support classroom teachers and faculty HODS to assist with targeted interventions and the tracking of student outcomes.   | \$130,000 |
| Purchasing teacher release time to enable staff to; develop and interpret school based and systemic data (National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN), Progressive Achievement Tests in Reading (PAT-R), behaviour, attendance); collaboratively use the enquiry cycle to plan appropriate targeted interventions and also Case Management of identified students. | \$56,764  |
| Employing additional AO2 support to assist with the monitoring and tracking of student outcomes.  | \$127,000 |
| Employing an additional part-time (0.5 FTE) Guidance Officer to provide intervention and support measures for Students in Care and those at risk of early disengagement from learning.  | \$36,372  |
| Professional development and resources to unite and build capacity of<br>the leadership and management teams to support the school<br>improvement agenda.   | \$10,000  |
| Participation in the "Berry Street Education Model" professional development for identified staff to support the teaching of students affected by trauma.   | \$20,000  |
| Purchasing resources to support the Professional Learning Communities implementation plan. Focus areas are Indigenous Education, Writing, Reading and Teaching Trauma Affected Students.  | \$20,000  |

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