Under the agreement for 2015

Broadwater State School will receive

$18,630*

*Estimated on 2014 data. Actual funding will be determined after 2015 enrolment data is finalised.

This funding will be used to

- Ensure all students are supported in reaching NMS and Regional Benchmarks for Literacy and Numeracy (Years 3 and 5) for 2015
- Continue developing individual evidence based learning plans for those students at risk of not achieving NMS in Years 2-6 for 2015
- Continue to improve teacher capabilities, through professional development and focused feedback, to achieve improved student outcomes
- Continue to provide extra teacher aide support to at-risk students in Prep and Year 1 in 2015 and 2016
- Provide more information sessions for parents so that there is a collaborative improvement agenda
- Raise the number of students in the U2B of reading, writing and number by 25% 2015/2016

Our strategy will be to

- Continue to monitor and review cyclic assessment strategies (weekly, monthly, term, semester) to support and inform teaching practice and student progress
- Review and implement the schools Pedagogical Framework
- Continue to implement and review Archer and Hughes 16 Elements of Teaching to improve explicit teaching and learning (Archer, Anna; Hughes, Charles; - Explicit Instruction, Effective and Efficient Teaching, Guilford Press)

Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Employ additional teacher aide hours to work with individuals/small groups of students to provide intensive explicit teaching based on individual student learning needs and specific teaching strategies to ensure NMS are met. $12,630
- Using systemic (NAPLAN) and other data (Pedagogical Framework) to develop individual learning plans that incorporate specific targeted teaching strategies, targets and learning goals.
- Purchasing additional mathematics and literacy resources to assist students and teachers. $5000
- Ongoing work with the cluster Pedagogical coach to ensure consistency of practice and to further build teacher capability
- Professional Development for teacher aides to align mathematics as a key priority along with literacy $1000
Great Results Guarantee

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