

# Investing for Success

## Under this agreement for 2016 Palm Beach State School will receive \$164 125

### This funding will be used to

In alignment with the Palm Beach State School 2016 school improvement agenda this funding will be used to:

- Increase the percentage of students to reach a target of 45% in the upper two bands in reading
- Increase the percentage of students to reach a target of 40% in the upper two bands in number

### Our initiatives include

1. Establishment of four Teaching /Learning Coordinators who will be responsible for:
  - ensuring whole school programs and initiatives are implemented in the intended manner (line of sight)
  - coordinating all teaching and learning across two year levels, including assessment, data analysis, term targets
  - providing U2B extension and individual intervention to identified students
  - coordinating and participating in across year level journey groups for guided reading and number (three x 40mins lessons per year level per week for both guided reading and number)
  - improving teacher instruction through coaching, modelling and differentiated support for individual teachers
2. Provide professional development to build teacher capacity in reading and numeracy practices
3. Implement whole school intervention and extension strategies to all students through differentiated journey groups in reading and number

### Our school will improve student outcomes by

1. Employ two graduate teachers fulltime for the 2016 school year to enable experienced classroom teachers to fill two of the four Teaching Learning Coordinator (TLCs) roles at PBSS	\$143000
2. Create a professional development program that builds teacher capacity in the teaching of reading and numeracy	\$ 2125
3. Purchase a teacher for 4hrs a day x 3 days a week to provide support in Year 4 and 5 differentiated journey groups in reading and number	\$19000



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