Under this agreement for 2015
Kedron State High School will receive

$749,252*

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

This funding will be used to

- Improve literacy outcomes for EALD students - in particular reduce students in the Lower Two Bands of Reading in NAPLAN to below 10% in Year 7 and Year 9.
- Improve the Upper Two Bands in Reading in NAPLAN across all students in 2015 (Year 7 to 45% and Year 9 to 30%).
- Improve numeracy outcomes for all students in the Upper Two Bands of NAPLAN (U2B) to 30%
- Up-skill staff in the areas of high impact literacy and numeracy strategies in 2015
- Increase QCE results to 100% in 2015

Our strategies will be to

- Embed the evidence-based plan, developed & commenced by the school in 2014, to address the specific learning difficulties of our students in 2015
- Include the employment of additional staff (teachers and teacher aides) to support students of greatest need, allowing for more direct and targeted teaching
- Increased tracking and academic coaching of students to ensure QCE attainment.
- Provide ongoing professional development for staff through co-coaching and direct training.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Targeted intervention to improve Literacy outcomes for EALD students $420,000
- Whole school Literacy strategies to improve outcomes for mainstream students $75,000
- Targeted intervention and whole school Numeracy strategies to improve outcomes for all students $65,000
- Improved tracking and coaching of students to improve QCE Attainment $50,000
- Professional development of staff with a clear focus on high impact literacy (reading and writing focus) and numeracy strategies $139,252

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