

# Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2021  
Musgrave Hill State School will receive

**\$315 000\***

## This funding will be used to

Improve student outcomes through an unwavering commitment to our 2021 Explicit Improvement Agenda

- Improve student achievement in English and Mathematics resulting in:
  - Continual improvement and increase in the percentage of students performing at NMS in Years 3 and 5
  - Continual improvement and increase in the percentage of students performing in the U2B in Years 3 and 5
  - Increase in the percentage of students meeting or exceeding year level targets
- Continue Early Start Prep, Year 1, Year 2 and ensure identified students are meeting age appropriate targets within.
- Build a collective capacity of staff in quality assessment practices that differentiate instruction and have a collective ownership of all students
- Continue to strengthen “Launch into Learning” program in the first 2 weeks of the school year. Focus continues to be on building positive relationships, teaching routines, structures and expectations
- Ensure our Early Years programs incorporate age-appropriate pedagogies that engage our students and achieve effective learning outcomes.
- Actively participate in the Lyn Sharratt Regional Initiative, which will assist drive and develop our Whole School Data Plan
- Ensure Indigenous and EAL/D learners improve their reading, comprehension and writing abilities and are able to access the curriculum at age appropriate levels.
- Implement a sustainable whole school approach to the health and well-being of staff and students.
- Providing high quality professional learning that aligns with the school’s Explicit Improvement Agenda.

## Our initiatives include

- Utilise Early Start data across Prep, 1 and 2 to inform teaching and learning and to track student improvement,
- Build teacher capacity for inclusive practices while building an inclusive school culture whereby all students are supported to achieve to their fullest potential.
- Support teachers in data collection, analysis and utilisation of different data sources to improve outcomes for students.
- Provide focused and intensive targeted teaching programs for students requiring additional support, inclusive of all students.
- Introduce profiling of all students in English and Mathematics to ensure a balanced judgement and completed picture of a student’s abilities are captured accurately, consistently and effectively.
- Further develop collaborative data inquiry processes (to build teacher ability to interpret and analyse data on a regular basis and scale – up effective teaching practices to personalise student learning)
- Whole school approach to investing in the health and well-being of all staff and students.



## Our school will improve student outcomes by

| Initiative   | Cost             |
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| Funding additional staff including teachers and teacher Aides, to provide release for targeted teaching programs with a focus on the Early Years, inclusion, students with learning difficulties and our high performing students. | \$200 000        |
| Providing teaching staff with collaboration year level planning time to ensure quality teaching and learning, consistency in curriculum delivery, moderation, assessment and reporting.  | \$45 000         |
| Purchased appropriate resources and provide professional learning opportunities for staff to support with the administration of Early Start Testing and delivery of Age Appropriate Pedagogy in the Early Years                    | \$10 000         |
| Support inclusion for all students through targeted teaching programs, quality Professional Development for staff and purchasing appropriate resources to support students and programs.   | \$25 000         |
| Investing in programs and initiatives to support the health and well-being of staff and students   | \$10 000         |
| Support the funding of our Chaplain 3 days a week to support school program and student/staff health and well-being  | \$25 000         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>   | <b>\$315 000</b> |



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