

Investing for Success

**Under this agreement for 2016
Rockville SS will receive**

\$142,935

This funding will be used to

Measurable **targets** for improved student outcomes: Narrow and Sharp Focus

- ✓ **Numeracy** – A 5% increase in the Mathematics Mean Scale Score for Year 5 students when comparing 2015 (417) and 2016 totals. The target MSS for 2016 is 437+.
- ✓ **Attendance** – To increase from 85.3% in Semester 2, 2015 to 86% in Semester 1, 2016.

Indigenous student target: To increase from 80.6% in Semester 2, 2015 to 82% in Semester 1, 2016.

Our initiatives include

Rockville SS Initiatives:

Numeracy:

- ✓ The introduction of the 'Numeracy Lockdown' - 10am – 11am three times per week, school-wide.
- ✓ Employment of extra Teacher Aides to assist during Numeracy Lockdown.
- ✓ YUMI Deadly Maths training for teachers
- ✓ Introduction of *RAMR* methodology across the school (Reality, Abstraction, Mathematics, Reflection)
- ✓ The purchase of maths equipment to support YUMI Deadly Maths.
- ✓ Teacher-led professional learning within YUMI framework including modelling and reflective conversations
- ✓ Master Teacher modelling Warm-ups/Opening components of numeracy lessons and receiving Pedagogical Feedback – role reversals
- ✓ POMP (Peer Observation and Mentoring Program)
- ✓ Purchase and Introduction Introduction of PAT-M assessments
- ✓ Stephanie Alexander kitchen garden supporting numeracy program with practical hands-on approach e.g. weighing, measuring etc.
- ✓ Developing vocabulary and language skills by employing an SLP 1 day per week

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Attendance:

- ✓ Employment of a 'Community Liaison Officer' – 2 days per week
- ✓ Stephanie Alexander projects and incentives
- ✓ Breakfast Club provided 5 days week
- ✓ Lunch Club provided 4 days week
- ✓ Learning Club with Smith Family
- ✓ Community Café to celebrate attendance and community engagement
- ✓ Gold rewards – support Gold reward Fridays and GOLD days at the end of each term
- ✓ Gotchas
- ✓ 95% attendance ice-cream vouchers each term
- ✓ Food Assist, PEACH, The Smith Family partnerships
- ✓ Guidance Officer

Our school will improve student outcomes by

Investing in our narrow focus areas:

Numeracy:

- ✓ \$40 000 to train teachers in YUMI Deadly Maths, provide TRS, access QUT resources and support, mathematics resources
- ✓ \$40 000 – Teacher Aides to support Numeracy Lockdown
- ✓ \$22 000 – SLP

Attendance:

- ✓ \$22 000 – Guidance Officer
- ✓ \$18 935 – School Improvement / Attendance

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