

# Investing for Success

## Under this agreement for 2022

Yarrabilba State Secondary College will receive

**\$220,697\***

### This funding will be used to

- Improve Reading Comprehension, Writing, Speaking and Numeracy skills of students (one years' growth for one years' instruction). PAT Test measures
- Increase the proportion of students achieving a C or better in English and Maths.
- Develop individual curriculum plans for all students achieving two or more years below cohort in English, Maths, HASS and Science.
- Implement targeted interventions for students identified through diagnostic testing as below year level in reading, numeracy and wellbeing indicators.
- Improve student attendance and engagement by continuing to implement Whole School Learning Wellbeing Framework – with a target of 95% attendance in 2022 including Year 10 engagement.
- Improve teacher capability and quality of instruction through focused coaching and professional development to improve student performance in Literacy and Numeracy and A-E achievement – 100% of students achieving C or better in English, Maths, Science and HASS in 2022.

### Our initiatives include

- Implementing targeted interventions for all students below expected year juncture Reading, Writing and Numeracy as indicated by PAT testing and formative assessment.
- Implementing School-Wide Reading Comprehension Strategies, Higher Order Thinking Skills, and Writing in Years 7, 8 and 9.
- Accessing Literacy Professional Development for teachers across all curriculum areas.
- Developing staff capability in implementation of school-wide teaching framework across all Junior Secondary curriculum areas.
- Providing support to teachers to implement College's school-wide learning and wellbeing framework
- Provide support to teachers to implement inquiry-based learning in Junior Secondary classrooms.
- Provide support and resources for outdoor learning and loose-parts play to promote student engagement and wellbeing.
- Support implementation of Junior Secondary Literacy Framework across all curriculum areas to support and challenge reading skills of students - DEAR.
- Tracking, monitoring and supporting students using data walls, case management meetings targeted intervention – (teacher release time). Implement *Clarity* 14 parameters.
- Embed a positive culture of learning and wellbeing to minimise school disciplinary absences – early intervention (Zones of Behaviour) for students with challenging and under-developed learning behaviours and a rewards system to re-inforce positive behaviours (Implement ZEAL Framework).
- Employment of two additional teachers for semester 1 to support transitions of students and staff into the new College and to allow for enrolment growth throughout the year.
- Continue funding Literacy Coach to support staff capability development.
- Funding of release time for Indigenous Champion
- Funding of release time for Wellbeing Champion
- Funding Cyber Safety Education for all students, staff and parents
- Fund Youth Support Coordinator to assist students transitioning to Senior Phase to engage with learning.



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- DEAR = Drop Everything and Read
- ZEAL = Zones of Behaviour, Engagement, Attitude and Attendance for Learning
- *Clarity* – Lyn Sharratt – Intentional Collaboration through Leading Learning Collaborative
- MULTI Lit = Making up for lost time in literacy (Macquarie University)

## Our school will improve student outcomes by

Multi-Lit Program Materials and PD for staff	\$6,000
Tutors for Multi-Lit program	\$24,500
Cyber-safety Program – whole school	\$7,500
2 x additional teachers – Sem 1 to facilitate release time for Literacy Coach & Indigenous Champion	FTE credits & \$50,000
Diagnostic Tools (PatR, PatM, Probe)	\$2,000
Positive Behaviour Program resources and rewards	\$3,197
Student wellbeing programs & release time for Wellbeing Champion	\$23,500
Reading books for DEAR Program	\$7,000
Professional Learning for Staff – Reading Comprehension, Trauma-informed Practice	\$5,000
'Clarity' PD and release time for Teachers and Leaders	\$5,000
Writing PD – cross curricular staff	\$5,000
Indigenous Cultural Advisor	\$10,000
Hands-on Numeracy Resources	\$7,000
Outdoor Learning PD	\$5,000
Project-based Learning units, PD and Coaching	\$10,000
Fund Youth Support Coordinator	\$50,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$220,697</b>



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