Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2020
Miami State High School will receive

$418,351*

This funding will be used to

- Increase the percentage of students meeting NMS in literacy and numeracy
- Increase the percentage of year 7 and 9 students in the U2B of literacy and numeracy
- Increase the capacity of Instructional Leadership capability to ultimately improve student learning outcomes
- Build capacity in teaching staff to continue to implement The Art and Science of Teaching framework to become a High Reliability School
- Ensure students have their choice of subjects and pathways to maximise their potential and future success

Our initiatives include

- Implement targeted programs and a flexible timetable for students from years 7 - 10 that focuses on improving the literacy and numeracy achievements of all students
- Embed the ‘Cracking the Alphabet Code’ with students, and engage the parents of students who are below NMS in Reading and Spelling
- Increase teacher capability, and student engagement, through coaching and professional development of The Art and Science of Teaching for all staff to reduce the level of variance in classroom practice
- Implement a structured proactive Values Education program underpinned by Human Resources that targets the wellbeing of all students in years 7 - 9
- Generating a Senior and Junior DEAN HUB to track student wellbeing, attendance and engagement across all year levels
- Expanding student study center to incorporate additional tutoring support for HOH and Deaf students

Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Employ 3 additional Deans of Students
- Employ a Professional Growth Coach to build capacity in teachers to align with the AITSL Teacher Proficiency Continuum – specifically HAT and Lead Teacher
- Employ a Speech Language pathologist to work with students and to coach parents and teachers in the “Crack the Alphabet Code”
- Employ 2 x teacher aides to ensure sustainability of the “Crack the Alphabet Code” and work with students below NMS in reading on a regular basis
- Employ additional Guidance Officer to support the growing needs of our students in junior school in the area of mental health
- Employ 3 additional teachers to support the personalised timetables for students in senior years
- Engage and appoint Professional Consultancy Companies to grow Instructional Leadership, Team Building and Parent Engagement across the school community
- Employ A Team Tuition to facilitate Student Study Centre 2 afternoons per week

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*Funding amount estimated on 2019 data. Actual funding will be determined after 2020 enrolment data are finalised. Actual expenditure may vary due to changes in finalised 2020 enrolment data and student learning needs.