Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2019
Magnetic Island State School will receive $80,124*

This funding will be used to

- Increase the percentage of students achieving National Minimum Standards (NMS) in NAPLAN to 100% in Reading and Writing in Year 3 and Year 5.
  (Benchmark: 2018 NMS Y3- R94.7%, W94.7%; 2018 NMS Y5- W95.2%)
- Increase the number of students in the Upper 2 Bands (U2B) to 40% Writing and Spelling in Year 5.
  (Benchmark: 2018 U2B- W0%, S33.3%)  
- Increase the percentage of students achieving ≥B to 60% in English.
  (Benchmark: 2018 Semester 2: 49.3%)

Our initiatives include

- Implementing and embedding schoolwide pedagogical framework across all curriculum areas.
- Ensuring consistency in the teaching of reading, spelling and writing through the implementation of the Magnetic Island State School Teaching and Learning Handbook.
- Investing in a Literacy Coach to support best first practice teaching in the areas of reading, spelling and writing.

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Our school will improve student outcomes by

Investing in Human Resources:

- To ensure opportunities for collaboration and coaching across the school.
- To continue to invest in student support services across the school and to further develop a case management approach to supporting and/or extending all students.
- To continue to align teaching approaches for reading, writing and spelling.

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* Funding amount estimated on 2018 data. Actual funding will be determined after 2019 enrolment data are finalised. Actual expenditure may be varied due to changes in finalised 2019 enrolment data and student learning needs.