Under this agreement for 2016
Yeppoon State School will receive $131,185*

This funding will be used to

- Ensure that 100% of year 3, 5 & 7 students attain national minimum standard or higher in Literacy and Numeracy or achieve their targets and goals as identified in their individual support plan (I4S support plan)
- Improve the mean Scale Score of students in Spelling in Year 3 (354.4 in 2015) & 5 (462.8 in 2015) from statistically below Nation 2015 to equal to or above Nation in 2016.
- Increase the percentage of students achieving a C or above in English across all year levels from 66.6% Semester 2, 2015 to 75% Semester 1/2016 and to 85% in Semester 2/2016.

Our initiatives include

- Review student achievement on a five weekly cycle in Literacy & Numeracy to assess students’ current performance, with fortnightly review of achievement for those students identified as at risk of not achieving national minimum standard. (Sharratt & Fullen)
- Use the above reviews to inform teaching and learning, to plan specifically for the needs of students and to create individual improvement plans. (Masters)
- Discuss individual learning goals with all students, monitor improvement and provide feedback (Hattie).
- Develop and Implement (and record on One School) Individual Support Plans for students identified as ‘at risk’ of not meeting national minimum standard in NAPLAN Reading, Writing or Number (2016)
- Continue to implement our whole school curriculum program across all year levels using agreed models of delivery with a specific focus on our Whole School Reading, Writing and Spelling programs as outlined in our Annual Improvement Plan.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Purchase increase in support staff fraction. 40,000
- Provide consistent teacher aide support to classrooms through the employment of 7 extra teacher aides for 10 each per week. 91,185

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* Funding amount estimated on 2015 data. Actual funding will be determined after 2016 enrolment data are finalised.