

Investing for Success

**Under this agreement for 2020
Ipswich West State Special School will receive**

\$73,125*

This funding will be used to

- Continue to increase all students' reading and writing levels – set targets for semester 1 and 2
- Increase all students' numeracy levels – set targets for semester 1 and 2
- Work collaboratively with local schools to improve pedagogical practices
- 100% of students in Year 10/11/12 engaged in VET Certificate 1 courses
- Support student health and wellbeing and engagement in learning - decreasing major behavior incidents across the whole school
- Support the health and wellbeing of teachers and their ability to manage their workload

Our initiatives include

- Participation in professional learning communities including Special Education Training Alliance (SETA), Berry Street Education Model (BSEM) training
- Teachers accessing 1 day/semester of Health and Wellbeing NCT to assist in managing work load
- Case Management – literacy and numeracy
- Supporting inclusive practices with local cluster schools
- Establish partnerships with local schools delivering Japanese to enhance IWSSS Language program
- Review of individual student communication systems to ensure all students have access to their communication domain - Alternative and Augmentative Communication (AAC) - in all locations in the wider school community

Our school will improve student outcomes by

Health and Wellbeing NCT release for Teachers	\$19,200	Teachers
Literacy/Numeracy/AAC resources	\$11,945	HODs/Teachers
Collaboration with professional organisations and local cluster schools	\$8,500	School and teachers
SETA Membership	\$12,000	Senior School
BSEM training	\$21,500	Identified Staff
Total:	\$73,125	



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