

Investing for Success

Under this agreement for 2020 Alger State School will receive

\$360 924*

This funding will be used to ensure

- That 90% of students in all Year levels achieve a C or above in academic reporting for English, Maths & Science each semester.
- That 50% of students achieve in the top two grades, e.g., A, B in each class per semester in English and Maths.
- That 90% of students achieve the Year level semester reading benchmark as outlined in the School's Assessment Framework each semester.
- That at least 40% of students in Year 3 and Year 5 will achieve in the top two bands in Reading and Numeracy in NAPLAN.

Our initiatives include

- Implementation of targeted intervention programs to support students with reading difficulties:
 - Rip-It-Up Reading
 - Mini-Lit
 - Macq-Lit
 - Oral Language Programs
- Provision of extra adult support to develop the reading capabilities of students through the Flying Squad. Trained teacher aides delivering guided reading, decoding and comprehension skills in small groups as part of reading programs developed by classroom teachers.
- Building teacher capability through coaching, mentoring and watching others work.
- Enhancing case management and program design with additional Speech Language time (1 day/week) and teacher aide time.
- Development of higher order thinking through STEM & Technology Programs and the engagement of a full time STEM Teacher.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

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| • Funding Targeted Intervention Programs: | \$90 000 |
| • Employment and training of Teacher Aide Reading 'Flying Squad': | \$53 424 |
| • Teacher release for Coaching and mentoring Program: | \$87 500 |
| • STEM Teacher | \$100 000 |
| • Speech Language Program supplementation: | \$30 000 |

Total: \$360 924



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