# **Investing for Success**

# Under this agreement for 2019 Upper Coomera State College will receive

\$787,191<sup>\*</sup>

## This funding will be used to

- Ensure that 100% of college students meet the National Minimum Standards in Reading with any students not meeting the benchmark having a current Individual Curriculum Plan
- Increase average college student attendance rate by 2% from the current level
- Improve college students' mastery of curriculum achievement standards and syllabi criterion as demonstrated by improved performance in school-based (A-C achievement) and systemic assessment (NAPLAN U2 bands, NMS and MSS, and QCE attainment and QCS mean)
- Enhance the tone and culture of the college through a decrease in student disciplinary absences of 5%

#### **Our initiatives include**

- Implementing the college Explicit Instruction Lesson Structure and Mastery of Achievement Standards/ Cognitive Verbs agendas with consistency and fidelity
- Consistently delivering the college's Reading and Writing Frameworks in every classroom from preparatory year to year twelve
- Building and sustaining a consistent positive behaviour for learning (PBL) culture across the college campus
- Supporting college student and staff implementation of AIP priorities through provision of additional targeted roles to achieve success

### Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Employing additional college leadership team members including Junior School Deputy Principal (0.5) and Reading Coach \$192 800
- Employing student support team members including Speech Language Pathologists and Chaplain \$74 000
- Employ student Positive Behaviour for Learning strategies and Attendance engagement and pre- Prep enrolment strategies through college enhancement and revitalisation program \$177 000
- Contributing to a cluster Alternate Learning Centre initiative to support disengaged students \$16 000
- Employing a College Support Officer to foster the college community volunteer reading program \$26 000
- Providing staff access to world class teaching training expertise (Dr Anita Archer) \$70 000
- Employing additional Junior School Curriculum Support and Secondary School teaching staff to support student learning improvement \$15 391

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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.



