

Investing for Success

**Under this agreement for 2021
Palm Beach Currumbin SHS will receive**

\$938 537*

This funding will be used to

- Improve A to C levels of achievement in Maths and English for year 10 students by 5%.
- Improve the levels of student engagement with school, demonstrated by an increase in attendance (2%) and a decrease in disciplinary absences (10%).
- Improve the academic achievement of junior secondary students in aspects of literacy and numeracy, leading to improved Standardised Test Scores as expressed in NAPLAN and ACER PAT-R as well as in A to C Levels of Achievement on student Report Cards.

Our initiatives include

- Implementing effective and consistent pedagogical practices in the implementation of engaging and high quality Reading (Tactical Teaching of Reading) and Writing (school-developed) Programs.
- Developing teacher skill in utilising effective pedagogical practices through embedding the New Art and Science of Teaching (NASoT) into regular teacher practice.
- Employing a range of student support staff including an Attendance Officer, Teacher-Aides, Year Coordinators and House Leaders designed to drive student engagement, wellbeing and school experience.
- Implementing specific intervention strategies for identified target student groups e.g. Academic Excellence Students, Essential English / Maths courses and Quicksmart Literacy and Numeracy for identified learning support students.
- Expand the number of and access to proactive student support programs including Growing Good Humans

Our school will improve student outcomes by

Creation of a dedicated Pedagogical (NASoT) team. Two Heads of Department positions.	\$260000
Supporting students to increase their attendance and engagement with school through providing support in employing an (1) Attendance Officer, (2) Six Heads of Year and (3) Additional Guidance Officer resourcing. (4) Four Heads of House providing adequate resourcing to student welfare programs including CARE and House initiatives.	\$423000
Directly supporting students through the employment of three teacher-aides and a teacher to implement teaching and learning programs. Purchasing of educational support programs and software.	\$255537



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