Snapshot report

Under the agreement for 2014
Sunnybank Special School received $12,910

Our full 2014 agreement can be found here:

Our school strategies are showing substantial progress toward our targets

After reviewing our Great Results Guarantee agreement, it is clear that we have made progress toward our targeted student outcomes. We will continue to focus on maximising the benefits of this funding for our students, and adjust our strategies as needed to ensure every student succeeds.

Strategies implemented included:

- Implementation of the Four Blocks Literacy Model to increase student engagement and participation in literacy
- Engagement of a Literacy Support Teacher to collect and record 'non-biased' baseline and scheduled literacy data on all students using evidence based diagnostic assessment tools
- Reviewed each student's performance and engagement based on data collected and recorded in the specified areas at the end of each term
- Improved staff capability to plan, teach and assess literacy through professional development, mentoring and coaching, as identified in their Developing Performance Plan
- Skilled staff in the use of diagnostic literacy assessment tools to support collection and analysis of literacy data and set individual student goals for improvement
- Purchased additional specialised learning tools and resources to support the diagnostic assessment, teaching and reporting of communication and literacy
- Built teacher knowledge and understanding of the Four-Blocks Literacy Model by providing specific professional development, mentoring, coaching and observation
- Supported teachers to implement the Four Blocks Literacy Model through the provision of additional teacher aide support