

# Investing for Success

## Snapshot report

### Under the Investing for Success Agreement for 2016 Murphys Creek State School received

Our full 2016 agreement can be found at:

<https://murpcreess.eq.edu.au/Supportandresources/Formsanddocuments/Documents/16%2089948%20%20Investing%20for%20Success%20-%20Murphy%20s%20Creek%20State%20School.pdf>

#### Our school initiatives are on track to meet or exceed our targets

During 2016, we focused on maximizing the benefits of this funding for our students. After reviewing our 2016 *Investing for Success* agreement, it is clear that we are on track to meet or exceed our targeted student outcomes. We continue to implement our initiatives to ensure that every student succeeds.

Initiatives implemented include:

- Whole school writing focus to improve student NAPLAN results in the area of writing. To reach 90% in 2016, currently 83.3% for year 3 – Actual result Year 3 100% NMS
- Whole school numeracy focus to improve the student NAPLAN results in the area of number. To reach 93%, currently 71.4% for both year 3 & 5. Year 3 actually reached 100% in NMS & Year 5 92.9% reached NMS
- Whole school reading comprehension focus. Student reading improvement to achieve Upper 2 Band of 40% -Actual achievement in U2B for Year 3 was 44.4%.

#### Our school initiatives are showing substantial progress toward our targets

After reviewing our 2016 *Investing for Success* agreement, it is clear that we have made progress toward our targeted student outcomes. We will continue to focus on maximizing the benefits of this funding for our students, and adjust our initiatives as needed to ensure every student succeeds.

Initiatives implemented include:

- Increase attendance to 95% attendance annually. Semester 1 was a huge improvement on 2015, however illness has hit the school hard in Term 3 & 4 resulting in lower attendance. Unexplained absences have reduced significantly. Current year to date total is 92.2%
- Whole school writing focus to improve student NAPLAN results in the area of writing. To reach 90% in 2016, currently 62.5% for year 5. Actual result for NMS was 85.7%.

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- Whole school reading comprehension focus. Student reading improvement to achieve Upper 2 Band of 40% currently 0% for year 5 students. Year 5 actually U2B was 28.6%
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