

Great Results Guarantee

Snapshot report

Under the agreement for 2015
Marian State School received

\$168144

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 include:

- Consolidation of teachers' repertoire of effective strategies for teaching text processing and comprehension in reading as detailed in our whole school reading framework.
- Increased teachers' repertoire of effective strategies for the teaching of writing and spelling as detailed in our whole school writing Framework.
- Developed collaborative data and enquiry processes to build teachers' ability to interpret data, identify and scale-up successful teaching practices to meet the differentiated learning needs of students.

Successes of the Program.

- Over 50% of year 3 students were in the upper 2 bands in the areas of reading and writing while over 40 % of year 3 students were in the upper 2 bands in spelling. These results indicated that our school surpassed the targeted goals of 30%.
- In the year 5 areas of reading and spelling, the results indicated close to 30% of students reached the target in the upper 2 bands. Although the writing target was not reached, there was an improvement of 10% from 2014 – 2015.
- 100% of the year 3's achieved at or above the NMS for reading writing and spelling.
- Relative to our reading and writing program, the G & P results indicate an achievement of students in year 3 as being above the nation.