Great Results Guarantee

Under this agreement for 2014
Yungaburra State School will receive

This funding will be used to

- Guarantee that every student will either:
  - achieve NMS in literacy and numeracy for their year level or
  - have an evidence based learning plan in place to address their specific learning needs
- Increase the number of Prep students reading at RRL 9 at the end of Prep to 100% in 2014
- Increase the percentage of students receiving A or B ratings in English in Years 1 and 2 from 32% and 39% respectively to 50% in 2014 and 55% in 2015
- Increase the number of students in the U2B in Year 3 Numeracy from 56% to 58% in 2014 and 60% in 2015

Our strategy will be to

- Systematically employ Early Years Tool to obtain base-line data for all Prep students in Literacy and Numeracy and develop individual learning plans.
- Collaborate with pre-prep service providers to develop foundational programs that promote a seamless transition to formal schooling.
- Utilise a whole school approach to programming and assessment that requires two- five weekly data collection across focus areas (ie sight words, reading levels, letters and sounds, and tables and number facts). This data will be mapped against school and regional targets and individual learning plans implemented as required using an enquiry cycle process (Sharratt & Fullan). Teachers will also moderate student work at a cluster level.
- Promote the development of an expert teaching team through formal lesson observations and feedback by principal (Archer & Hughes). Develop a culture of collaboration by sharing and reviewing school data at staff meetings and analyzing strengths of programs and teaching strategies and celebrating progress.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Employing a specialist teacher to conduct data collection and collaborate with teachers to analyse results and implement targeted intervention strategies $25,000
- Purchase Reading and Numeracy Resources both electronic and hard copy to support Early Years Reading Program and school and regional priorities (viz consolidations) and provide PD in the explicit teaching of $18,374

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Reading to staff (including teacher aides) and workshops to parents

Mrs Mandy Whybird
Principal
Yungaburra State School
*Based on 2013 data. To be updated when 2014 enrolment data is finalised

Dr Jim Watterston
Director-General

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