

Great Results Guarantee

Under this agreement for 2014

Finch Hatton State School will receive

\$12,886*

This funding will be used to

- Ensure all students in Years 3, 5, 7 are meeting the National Minimum Standard (NMS) in Literacy and Numeracy OR are meeting individual goals/targets as set down in Individual Learning Guarantees.
- Increase the percentage of students in all year levels (Prep-7) achieving C or above in English from 50% to 70% OR meeting individual goals/targets as set down in Individual Learning Guarantees.
- Diagnose learning difficulties for students and develop learning plans for students below NMS.

Our strategy will be to

- Monitor and review students on Individual Learning Programs and the progress of students in Prep to year 7 every five weeks.
- Develop and implement Explicit Improvement plans, based on data analysis of individual students, to build staff capability to assist students to meet their guarantees and to lift students in the Upper Two Bands (U2B) in 2014 and beyond.
- Intervention (support and extension) targeted to Years 3/5/7 students (Semester One) and Years 2/4/6 students (Semester Two) and Prep-Year 1 students throughout the year using additional teacher aide hours to deliver these programs.
- Improve teacher and teacher aide capability through the use of a cluster pedagogical coach, support staff from Regional Capability Team and school expertise to provide relevant professional development in the delivery of the Explicit Instruction model to improve student performance.

EVIDENCE

Archer, Anita. L & Hughes, Charles. L. *Explicit Instruction: effective and efficient teaching*, Guildford, 2011

Our school will improve student outcomes by

• Employing additional hours for existing teacher aides to support intensive differentiated in class intervention programs.	\$10,000
• Building staff capacity with support from the cluster pedagogical coach, Regional Capability Team and identified school based expertise to enhance delivery of stated goals and outcomes in 2014.	\$2,886



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*Based on 2013 data. To be updated when 2014 enrolment data is finalised.

