

# Great Results Guarantee

## Snapshot report

Under the agreement for 2014

Elliott Heads State School received

**\$22,148**

Our full 2014 agreement can be found here:

<https://elliottheadsss.eq.edu.au/Supportandresources/Formsanddocuments/Documents/great-results-guarantee.pdf>

**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:**

- Gathering evidence of Prep student's current literacy levels using the Early Start materials.
- Gathering evidence of Year 1 student's current literacy levels using the Early Start materials.
- Benchmarking Year 1 and 2 students' reading levels
- Using this data to develop Individual Learning Plans and providing targeted intervention for individual students and small groups of students. Intervention will include:
  - developing letter/sound knowledge
  - developing sightword knowledge
  - providing intensive, high frequency reading opportunities.
- Providing additional teacher aide support in classrooms to allow for small groups during reading lessons.

**Our school has improved student outcomes by**

- Gathering data about students' current literacy levels by releasing class teachers to implement Early Start assessments and to gather current PM benchmarks.
- Developing students' letter/sound and sight word knowledge by purchasing multiple iPads and appropriate software and peripherals to facilitate student learning.
- Developing students' letter/sound and sight word knowledge by employing additional teacher aides to reduce group sizes during reading lessons and to implement small group and individual intervention programs.