Great Results Guarantee

Under this agreement for 2014

Elliott Heads State School will receive $22,148*

This funding will be used to

- Provide support for all students in Prep to Year 2 to ensure students, in the future, reach or exceed NMS in literacy.
- Provide quality and researched student support learning programs in literacy for those who will not reach NMS.
- Ensure as many Prep students as possible achieve the Regional Reading PM Benchmark of Level 6-8 in 2014
- Increase the percentage of Year 1 students achieving Regional Reading PM Benchmarks of Level 16-18, from 7% to 40% in 2014
- Increase the percentage of Year 2 students achieving Regional Reading PM Benchmarks of Level 20-22, from 20% to 50% in 2014

Our strategy will be to

- Gather evidence of Prep student’s current literacy levels using the Early Start materials.
- Gather evidence of Year 1 student’s current literacy levels using the Early Start materials.
- Benchmark Year 1 and 2 students’ reading levels
- Use this data to develop Individual Learning Plans and provide 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.
- Provide additional teacher aide support in classrooms to allow for small groups during reading lessons.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

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| $3000.00        | $7000.00        |
| $12148.00       | $12148.00       |

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