

# Investing for Success

## Under this agreement for 2018 Nambour Special School will receive

**\$80,753\***

### This funding will be used to

- Implement robust communication systems for students with Complex communication Needs (CCN).
- Engage Special Education Training Alliance (SETA) as a school partner for Vocational Education and Training (VET) subject delivery in the Senior Secondary Phase.
- Renew iPad resources and applications to meet curriculum and student communication needs.
- Engage a Communication Coach.

### Our initiatives include

- Establishing staff as 'smart communication partners' through a systematic training framework.
- Progressing staff skills and knowledge in developing student communication using Proloquo2Go and Pragmatic Organisation Dynamic Display (PODD) books.
- Expanding the parent Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) network.
- Continuing to partner with SETA as our RTO.
- Ongoing staff certification to assess Vocational Education and Training (VET) programs.
- Implementing four blocks numeracy program with focus on Manipulative Maths block.
- Purchasing additional Numicon resources as school-wide manipulative for Manipulative Maths block.
- Developing staff skills and knowledge around using manipulatives.

### Our school will improve student outcomes by

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| • Maintaining SETA partnerships as RTO provider                                                 | <b>\$17,000</b> |
| • Developing staff, parent and community skills and knowledge as 'smart communication partners' | <b>\$10,000</b> |
| • Purchasing/replacing ICT hardware for student access to the curriculum and CCN                | <b>\$25,000</b> |
| • Engaging Communication Coach                                                                  | <b>\$ 7,000</b> |
| • Developing staff skills and knowledge in utilising Numicon                                    | <b>\$ 2,500</b> |
| • Providing resources to support the implementation of the Manipulative Maths block             | <b>\$12,000</b> |
| • Providing communication focused staff professional development                                | <b>\$10,253</b> |





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