Great Results Guarantee

Under this agreement for 2014
Chelona State School will receive

$20,760*

This funding will be used to

- Ensure 100% of students either achieve above the National Minimum Standards (NMS) in Literacy and Numeracy OR are participating in an intervention program based on their Individual Learning Guarantee (ILG).
- Increase the number of Year 3 and Year 5 students who are achieving in the Upper Two Bands (U2B) in Literacy [NAPLAN data] within two years from 30% to 50%. [Small School cohorts of between 9 and 12 students per year level.]

Chelona's strategy will be to

- Diagnose and monitor Year 3 and Year 5 students' Reading levels and improvement, particularly those students demonstrating difficulties and delays in progress by using PM Benchmarks and PROBE in a five-week cyclic data gathering regime to inform the progress of all students.
- Provide additional support to students [teacher aides and teachers taking small groups of students who have ILGs and/or students working on an Individual Learning Extension Plan] through intensive, differentiated Literacy intervention.
- Explicit Intensive teaching for students to prepare them for the Years 3, 5 & 7 NAPLAN data collection.

Chelona State School will improve student outcomes by

- Providing focused intervention to students by employing an experienced lower-school teacher aide to implement each student's Individual Learning Guarantee [ILG]. $8,500
- Employing an additional teacher for Literacy instruction to support NAPLAN improvement. $3,200
- Chelona Teachers' Professional Practice Development Program: Mentoring by a Regional Pedagogy Coach. $4,000
- Purchasing Reading materials to assist students in Years 3 and 5 to gain the U2Bands. $1,580
- Building teacher capacity in Explicit Instruction by participating in professional development programs, e.g., Beating the NMS which includes data collection and analysis, collaborative learning days and network discussion meetings. https://www.aiiea.edu.au/events/eventbeating-the-nms $3,500

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