

Investing for Success

**Under this agreement for 2022
The Gap State High School will receive**

\$476,277.00*

This funding will be used to

- Increase teacher capacity to deliver the Australian Curriculum with fidelity for 7-10 and SATE in year 11 and year 12, growing the top B marker students in all year levels, in all subject areas, 100% students above NMS, 100% QCE/QCIA
- Employ two additional to Full Time Equivalent (FTE) teachers to support intentional collaboration research teams
- Employ two additional Teacher Aides to support at risk students; literacy and numeracy, for the school's Learning Intervention Program
- Engage permanent Heads of Year (HOYs) across the six year levels to support student wellbeing in all facets of schooling.

Our initiatives include

Explicitly linking our initiatives to the School Improvement Hierarchy:

- Shadow Heads of Department in Maths, English, Science and Humanities to lead Systematic Curriculum Delivery
- All Heads of Department will develop best practice for a whole school approach to Before Moderation processes to align curriculum, pedagogy, assessment and reporting
- Scale up action research teams across the four core areas through intentional collaboration meetings once per week with year level and subject teachers in four areas. This will include trialling best practice to Before Moderation processes.
- Learning Intervention Program designed to "fill the gaps" in student learning in foundational literacy and numeracy concepts to build student confidence and capability to access learning
- HOYs focus on developing a culture that promotes learning underpinned by the school's Wellbeing Framework

Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Shadow Heads of Department in Maths, English, Science and Humanities to lead Systematic Curriculum Delivery and align Before Moderation processes to ensure consistent judgements and accurate reporting against the achievement standards. Time allocation supported by two additional teacher FTE. HR \$200,055
- Teacher aide allocation to provide intervention and support for students needing support with reading, writing and numeracy. HR \$72,435
- Six Heads of Years to explicitly support student wellbeing creating a sense of belonging and connectedness to our school community. HR \$203,787



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