Snapshot report

Under the agreement for 2015
Woorabinda State School received $61,140

Our full 2015 agreement can be found on our school website: Woorabinda State School

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.

Our goals were to:

- Increase the percentage of Year 3 students meeting the National Minimum Standards across all NAPLAN areas in 2015.
- Ensure 100% of Year 3 and Year 5 students improve their NAPLAN Scale Score, in all strands, from February 2015 pre-test to actual NAPLAN test in May 2015.
- Ensure 100% of Year 2 and 4 students are on track to achieve an improvement in the NAPLAN Scale Score that is equal to or greater than the national improvement in 2014.
- Ensure 90% of students in Years P-2 are achieving regional benchmarks in reading.
- Develop Individual Learning Guarantees for students not achieving the National Minimum Standards.

Strategies implemented include:

- Implement daily reading blocks focusing on shared and guided reading activities supported by teacher aides.
- Utilise the Write2Spell2Read program to improve literacy achievement and provide Professional Development to staff.
- Implement daily problem solving activities to build higher order thinking skills.
- Improve teaching capability in Explicit Instruction (Fleming: 2015). Embed a coaching and feedback culture across the school.
- Support transition of pre-prep students through the implementation of the ‘Families as First Teachers’ program.