Under this agreement for 2016
Patricks Road State School will receive

$241,663*

This funding will be used to

- Maintain greater than 50% in Yr 3 and achieve greater than 50% in Yr 5 in Spelling in NAPLAN Upper 2 Bands
- Work towards 90% of all students achieving year level targets in diagnostic reading assessment (F&P)
- Achieve greater than 60% in Yr 3 and achieve greater than 50% in Yr 5 in Numeracy NAPLAN Upper 2 Bands
- Maintain greater than 70% in Year 3 and achieve 40% in Year 5 in Writing NAPLAN Upper 2 bands
- Maintain greater than 60% in Year 3 and achieve 55% in Year 5 in Reading NAPLAN Upper 2 bands

Our initiatives include

- Continue to utilise data to identify students for differentiation, targeted intervention and extension in literacy and numeracy
- Develop whole school strategy for the teaching of spelling
- Provide professional development for all staff in Soundwaves program
- Develop whole school strategy for teaching of problem solving
- Provide professional development for all staff in using the Problem Solving Think Board
- Implement comprehensive reading, writing and spelling programs across all year levels
- Develop ongoing cycle of data collection across literacy and numeracy areas and monitoring of individual student progress through use of the data wall
- Continue and expand upon the implementation of Age Appropriate Pedagogies
- Allocate teacher aides to specific year levels to support in literacy groups
- Purchase additional digital technologies and provide professional development to maximise their implementation in the teaching of literacy and numeracy

Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Professional Development for teachers and teacher aides in areas of literacy and numeracy $30 051
- Releasing teachers for planning and coaching $62 112
- Increasing teacher aide hours to provide more opportunities for differentiation in classrooms $81 000
- Purchasing additional Literacy and numeracy resources $18 500
- Additional digital resources $50 000

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* Funding amount estimated on 2015 data. Actual funding will be determined after 2016 enrolment data are finalised.