Great Results Guarantee

Under this agreement for 2014
Victoria Park State School will receive

$224,172

This funding will be used to

- Ensure students achieve the National Minimum Standard (NMS) in Literacy and Numeracy OR to meet the goals of their Individual Learning Guarantee.
- Ensure 96% of Year 3 students (2014) attain the NMS in Reading, Writing and Numeracy.
- Ensure 30% of Year 3, 40% Year 5 & 30% Year 7 students attain the Upper 2 Bands (U2B) in NAPLAN for Reading.
- Increase the percentage of students achieving the NMS in Reading, Writing and Numeracy for Year 5 from 96% (2012) to 98% (2014) and for Year 7 from 86 % (2012) to 96% (2014) for Reading and Writing and from 95 % (2012) to 98% (2014) for Numeracy.
- Ensure at least 80% of students in all Year Levels attain a "C" standard or higher for English and Math.

Our strategy will be to

- Monitor student performance each term in Weeks 3, 5, 8 and 10.
- Review and adjust, where necessary, Individual Learning Guarantees each term in Weeks 5 and 10 when students don’t achieve the goals of the guarantee.
- Build the capacity of teachers to implement high yield teaching strategies (Explicit Instruction) to improve student performance in Reading, Writing and Math.

Evidence
- Archer, Anita & Hughes, Charles – Explicit Instruction: effective and efficient teaching, Guilford, 2011

Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Building teacher capacity in Explicit Instruction & data analysis to improve student performance in Literacy & Numeracy. $62,000
- Creating key teacher (Literacy & Numeracy) positions to coach staff to teach Literacy and Numeracy. $60,000
- Engaging four additional teacher aides to support intervention in Literacy & Numeracy. $92,000
- Supplementing existing school resources to support student improvement in Literacy and Numeracy. $10,000

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