Under the agreement for 2015
Clifford Park Special School will receive

$43,768*

*Estimated on 2014 data. Actual funding will be determined after 2015 enrolment data is finalised.

This funding will be used to

- 100% of students in the Junior Secondary and Senior Secondary Teams will increase their Reading Levels on the PM Benchmarks during 2015.
- 75% of Junior Secondary and Senior Secondary Students will demonstrate positive “distance travelled” between their Semester One Maths Assessment and their Semester Two Maths Assessment using the Clifford Park Individual Student Maths Skills Checklist.
- 50% of students in the Interactions Team will demonstrate positive “distance travelled” between their Semester 1 Communication Assessment and their Semester 2 Communications Assessment using the Communication Matrix or the Check List of Communication Competencies.

Our strategy will be to

- Imbed school data collection processes and analysis of students’ reading/communication/literacy skill development across our three school learning teams.
- Imbed school data collection processes and analysis of students (in the Junior and Senior Team) Maths skill development using the “Individual Student Maths Skills Checklist”.
- All students have a reading/literacy Learning Expectation on their Individual Curriculum Plan.
- Students in the Junior and Senior Learning Team have a Maths Learning Expectation listed on their Individual Curriculum Plan.
- Peer Coaches for Reading, Maths and Literacy General Capabilities are appointed and trained and are provided with time each week to provide feedback to their teaching peers.
- Provide professional development and capacity building to teachers in the targeted school priority areas of Reading, Alternative/Augmentative Communication Strategies and YuMI Deadly Maths Program.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

- Providing a total of .2 teacher replacement time per week to enable our three peer coaches to each provide peer feedback to one of their teaching colleagues per week.
- Budgeting $37,000 to provide professional develop and capacity building activities in our school priorities of YuMi Deadly Maths, Australian Curriculum implementation Alternative/Augmentative Communication Strategies, Reading Strategies and Peer Coaching.
- Providing $6768 for the purchase of Literacy and Numeracy Teaching Resources.

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