

# Plympton Primary School Site Improvement Plan 2017



#### **Vision**

Building better futures for our school community

#### **Purpose**

To work collaboratively with Plympton Primary School community to provide a quality teaching and learning environment for all students.

#### <u>Values</u>

Care Honesty Effort Respect
Resilience You (taking responsibility)

#### **Improvement Priority**

\*High quality pedagogy

\*Student wellbeing and engagement

\*School community partnerships

## PPS External Review (ER)

- Higher band achievement with differentiated pedagogy
- 2. Strengthen engagement of parents from all cultural groups to improve student outcomes
- 3. Performance
  Management of staff is
  ongoing and aligned to the
  Site Improvement Plan

#### **Accountability**

## West Torrens Partnership Review (WTP)

- 1. Identify high yield strategies to share
- 2. Challenge assumptions to strengthen higher achievement
- 3. Collaboration and connection with other sites to share and build expertise in pedagogy, assessment and moderation
- 4. Strengthen pre-school and school connections to promote common language and coherent pedagogy

## DECD Strategic Priorities (DECD)

- 1. Higher Standards of Educational Achievement
- 2. Engage children, families and community in planning and decision making
- Improve health and wellbeing through universal and targeted services
- 4. Improve and integrate child safety through being effective and responsive

Refer ER 1-3 on Site Improvement Plan

Refer WTP 1-4 on Site Improvement Plan

Refer DECD 1-4 on Site Improvement Plan



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#### **LEARNER ACHIEVEMENT**

**GOALS** 

- Develop expert learners who describe learning intentions and success criteria in a variety of learning areas
- Achieve growth in: NAPLAN, Running Records, Language and Literacy Levels, PAT-R & PAT-M, A-E Achievement
- Establish achievement data in Science through PAT-Science online testing and the ICT General Capability

#### **Learner Achievement and Growth**

**Strategy 1** - Implement student learning intentions and success criteria using assessment information to promote higher band achievement

Strategy 2 – Develop teaching and learning year level teams to embed the Whole School Literacy Agreement and the Whole School Numeracy Agreement

#### **School Community Partnerships**

Strategy 1 – Collaborate with the West Torrens Partnership to reflect and refine teaching and learning in particular transition and quality pedagogy

Strategy 2 – Expand First Language Maintenance Development opportunities (FLMD)

**Strategy 3** – Strengthen home/school partnerships to achieve educational projects with the wider community

# School Community Partnerships

#### **GOAL**

 Expand opportunities for school partnerships

Learner Achievement

# High Quality Pedagogy

**GOAL** 

All teachers are familiar with and are engaged in review of teaching and learning practices, using the AITSL teaching standards

- -Professional knowledge
- -Professional practice
- -Professional engagement

#### **High Quality Pedagogy**

**Strategy 1** – Embed English as an Additional Language or Dialect (EALD) pedagogy and assessment as part of mainstream teaching and learning

**Strategy 2** - Implement inquiry focused pedagogy to further develop students as powerful learners, with a particular focus on STEM and ICT General Capability

**Strategy 3** -Develop teacher capacity to embed formative assessment practices for higher achievement

**Strategy 4** - Develop a performance management process aligned to Australian Professional Standards for Teachers (AITSL)

# Student Wellbeing and Engagement

- Improved student to community connections
- Respond proactively to the Australian Early Development Index (AEDI) data
- Achieve improved student academic selfconcept

#### Student Wellbeing and Engagement

**Strategy 1** - Increase opportunities for student leadership and student voice

**Strategy 2** - Embed cyber safety as part of ongoing safe use of virtual environments R-7

**Strategy 3** - Embed Mind-up Curriculum approach and Ready to Learn program

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