Under the agreement for 2015
Quilpie State College will receive

$13,360*

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

This funding will be used to

• Students in Years 5-9 will increase their achievements by at least 1 band in NAPLAN 2015 Reading, Writing and Numeracy through explicit teaching, compared to their 2013 individual results.
• Every student will achieve at least a ‘c’ standard at the level they access in English and Mathematics through the implementation of the Explicit Teaching Model in all classes.
• Increase the percentage of Prep students able to read and comprehend short predictable texts and compose and record short, meaningful sentences to 75%.
• Increase staff capacity to teach writing skills.
• Support all students to achieve NMS in Literacy and Numeracy.
• Develop an evidence based plan for students at risk of not achieving NMS in Literacy and Numeracy.

Our strategy will be to

• Review the students’ performance data in 5 weekly intervals by developing a collaborative data inquiry process.
• Better support teachers and teacher aides to consolidate student learning in Literacy and Numeracy through engagement with the NCR Mathematics diagnostics and 7 Steps to Writing.
• Establish a professional learning community of school leaders to share and evaluate strategies and their impact. Engage with the Pedagogy Coach.
• Better support students who are at or above NMS to reach upper 2 bands in Literacy and Numeracy.
• Continue to implement Anita Archer Explicit Instruction strategies in every classroom.
• Motivate all staff and students through the FISH Philosophy motivational learning experience to increase student engagement at Quilpie State College and provide a productive learning environment.

Our school will improve student outcomes by

| IMPACT/BOOSTER projects for students in Semester 1 | $3260 |
| Pay TRS for Pedagogy Coach assurance in Semester 2, 2015. | $1800 |
| Provide professional development for all staff in 7 Steps to Writing. | $1200 |
| Provide professional development for new staff in THRASS. | $3100 |
| Provide professional development for all staff in the FISH philosophy motivational program. | $4000 |

Rachael McWaters
Principal
Quilpie State College

Dr Jim Watterston
Director-General
Department of Education, Training and Employment