Owen Primary School

Site Improvement Plan, 2011

“Achievement, Caring, Excellence”

School Vision
To be a caring School Community.

To have created an exemplary environment in which people work independently and interdependently, where students have achieved their personal best as a result of planned interventions based on need. The result identified through improvement in skills, knowledge and understanding across our curriculum

Priorities

Maths
• Improve students’ growth in Number.
• Improve students’ levels of engagement in mathematics.
• Improve the percentage of students above national minimal standard.

Literacy
• Increase number of strategies used to improve students’ level of comprehension
• Improve students’ spelling
• Improve students’ level of fluency in reading in order to increase comprehension.

DECS and Commonwealth Emerging Priorities

Science
All students will participate in 2 units of Primary Connections

Attendance
Students’ attendance will be improved by 10%.

Guiding Principles

All students have the right to access an education that meets their individual learning needs.

All students have the right to learn in a safe and caring environment.

Improving students’ Literacy and Numeracy is our core business and reading is the foundation upon which all other learning is built.

A curriculum should be engaging and challenging.

We have high expectations of students.

The school will work in partnership with parents and the wider school community to provide students with the greatest opportunity for success.