

# **Internet Banking Policy**

## **Rationale:**

Internet banking provides the school with the opportunity to undertake various banking functions on-line which realise savings in banking fees and administration costs as well as providing improved service to staff and suppliers.

### Aims:

To utilise the benefits of Internet banking and provide enhance services to creditors and debtors whilst ensuring the schools procedures and internal controls meet the Departments requirements in accordance with 'Education Training & Reform Regulations 2007'.

## **Implementation:**

- Payments through Internet banking software must be authorised by the Principal or Assistant Principal and a member of the School Council nominated to authorise payments.
- The school Business Manager cannot be nominated as an authoriser even if he/she is a member of School Council.
- Setting up of initial details and any changes will be the responsibility of the Business Manager. An authorised officer will verify accuracy of all details.
- Changes to creditor and payee details will be in writing and authorised by an approving officer.
- All documentation required for electronic payments will be obtained, completed, checked and authorised by approving officers as per DET guidelines.
- Transactions will be checked and authorised by the Principal and a second authorised signatory. The
  Business manager or delegate will be responsible for inputting payments details from CASES 21
  processing.

#### **Evaluation:**

• This policy will be reviewed annually.

This policy was ratified by School Council - 2018