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## SOMERVILLE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL POLICY ON e-LEARNING

### RATIONALE:

e-Learning is about developing in our students the disposition, competencies and knowledge that enables them to use e-Learning solutions to support their learning across all areas and levels of the curriculum to become confident, connected, actively involved, lifelong learners.

*Charter Reference:* Student Goal

*Legislative Reference:* NAG 1

### PURPOSE:

1. To give students the competence and knowledge to use e-Learning solutions across all areas and levels of the curriculum.
2. To give students the competence and knowledge to use relevant e-learning solutions that meet the requirements of the curriculum.
3. To provide e-learning solutions that meet the learning needs of students; taking into account individual needs through to school-wide needs.
4. To provide a number of relevant and engaging contexts through the medium of e-learning.
5. To explore and utilise the educational potential of e-learning solutions.
6. To provide opportunities for students to be actively involved in collaborating and contributing within the wider global community.

### GUIDELINES

1. Staff will explore and identify e-learning pedagogies through the vision, values and guiding principles of the NZC 2007 that encourage students to be capable, self-assured and self-directed life long learners.
2. All staff and students will have the opportunity to explore and engage with e-learning solutions that provide opportunities for new and different ways of teaching and learning, allowing them to take their learning further.
3. That students and staff utilise e-learning strategies and tools that promote rich e-learning environments that allow them to overcome barriers of time and distance.
4. Staff have knowledge of and easy access to digital resources within the school, including quality te reo Maori and Pasifika.
5. The teaching staff have the resources to allow them to deliver the curriculum using innovative techniques that would be difficult to provide in a non-ICT environment.
6. That ICT resources are available to staff to use off-site for the purpose of up-skilling. The schools insurance policy covers the the equipment both at home and in transit when signed out in the ICT loan register or AV booking system.

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