



Northampton School *for Boys*

ICT in the Curriculum Policy

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INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY IN THE CURRICULUM

1. We aim for all pupils, where possible, to receive the entitlement in National Curriculum Orders, produced by QCA, for implementation from September 2008, despite this not being statutory.
2. The Information Technology Team to be responsible for the delivery and assessment of the ICT capability of all pupils in Key Stage 3. All Curriculum Teams to be responsible for providing pupils with opportunities at Key Stage 4. Specific IT/Computing courses will be available as optional choices at Key Stage 4.
3. Teams to write opportunities for ICT use into schemes of work, indicate progression, report pupils' ICT experiences to parents as appropriate, and monitor with the Director of ICT.
4. Opportunities for use of ICT at A Level will be identified and exploited in the delivery of all A Level courses.
5. All pupils to be entitled access to ICT in such areas as the Library Resource Centre. In addition, a range of ICT clubs will be provided as part of the extra-curricular programme.
6. Computer hardware to be organised to maximise efficient use by the Director of ICT.
7. Teams to be responsible for the care of computers and peripherals in their area. The development and use of software to be discussed with and co-ordinated by the Director of ICT. Servers and cabling networks to be serviced from a central budget.
8. Teams to address training needs in development plans through the Continuing Professional Development Co-ordinator and in conjunction with the Director of ICT.
9. Any future developments to be sustainable and driven by curricular needs, opportunities and funding.
10. The Director of ICT to direct the delivery of the policy and monitor its success.

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