Student Club Policy

Relationship to existing policy:
This policy is to be read in conjunction with the External Providers/Contractors Policy.

Rationale:
This policy has been developed to provide guidance in relation to the involvement of external providers of student clubs at the school. External providers regularly approach the Principal about running student clubs on school premises.

Definition:
A ‘student club’ is defined as an extra-curricular session designed for students to attend that is facilitated by an external provider paid by the parents/guardian of the student. Examples of clubs are: Dance, Music, Gardening, Commando Kids etc.

Aim:
To ensure transparency and equity in the engagement of student club providers.

Policy
• Providers must comply with DET requirements set out in the Contractor Handbook. The Principal is responsible for ensuring compliance.
• Only one provider will be engaged for each type of activity at the school at any point in time.
• Where the Principal has deemed the student club is of educational benefit to the students, the Principal may approve the operation of a student club.
• Student clubs will not be required to pay a rental fee for use of school premises.

Review
This policy will be reviewed in line with the school's 3 year policy review cycle.

Approval
This policy was approved by the School Council on 11 October 2016.