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## **Report of an Inspection Survey**

### **Information and Communication Technology**

**Killard House School**  
**Newtownards**

**March 2007**

## **INSPECTION SURVEY IN INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY (ICT) 2007 (431-0013)**

The Education and Training Inspectorate carried out a survey in ICT of Killard House School, Newtownards in March 2007. The strengths and areas for development were identified as follows.

Strengths of the work include:

- the excellent use made of ICT to enhance specialist subjects;
- the pupils' success in external ICT accreditation;
- the good use made of digital images to promote language development;
- the effective support from the ICT technician;
- the good quality of the teachers' planning and record keeping;
- the well motivated and confident pupils who enjoy participating in ICT-related activities;
- the very effective use of ICT to display and celebrate the pupils' work; and
- the progress made since the last ICT inspection in 2002.

Areas for development include:

- to ensure clear lines of responsibility for the further development of ICT within the school;
- to make more effective use of the school's Intranet in order to share resources and to monitor practice; and
- to further extend the range of the pupils' experiences using ICT.

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