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EDACSure Internet Portal

Following the installation of your Internet Portal, below is an outline of the functionality and requirements for use;

All Internet traffic on the school curriculum network is now routed through the portal.

Every pupil and staff member has a unique username and password which must be entered in order to access the Internet.

Each Internet session has its IP address, MAC Address, date and time and username recorded in a log which is exported to your main curriculum server in real time. This log is then backed up every night.

Users can be individually added, deleted or suspended which will affect that users Internet access rights.

The portal does not provide any filtering solutions, this is carried out by the WBC firewall. The firewall logs detail IP address which can be cross referenced to the portal logs to identify individual users. We recommend periodically requesting filter logs from WBC for auditing and filter checking purposes.

There is a 10 minute inactivity time out safe guard within the portal to avoid users inadvertently remaining logged on after a session along with a 90 minute hard timeout regardless of usage. These time limits can be adjusted for your individual needs.

If the portal is powered down or otherwise disconnected the Internet will not function and it is important to call us as soon as possible to rectify the problem.