



St. Katherine's School



29 April

Dear Parent/Carers

### **Year 11 Leavers Day, School Prom and Leavers' Hoodies**

As we move towards the middle of another busy term at St Katherine's for Year 11 pupils, we would like to take this opportunity to share some key pieces of information with you regarding the Leavers Day and School Prom.

A special programme has been arranged for Year 11 which will be held in school on 7<sup>th</sup> July between 8.35am - 12.00pm. This will be followed by the Year 11 Prom at Leigh Court between 7.00pm - 11.00pm.

### **Leavers' Day**

Details and expectations for this day are shown below:

- Students should arrive at school at 8.35am for a morning of activities and celebrations Further details will be shared with students closer to the day.
- Students are invited to wear fancy dress. **No fancy dress masks allowed.**
- Students are welcome to bring their shirts in for signing on this day. We ask students to bring these in and not wear them. Students are not permitted to sign shirts prior to Leavers' Day.
- Year 11 students will leave school at 12.00pm to prepare for the prom. Students are unable to make their own way home, can use the Sixth Form Common Room and return home on the school bus at 3pm..
- Students are not permitted to congregate at Lodway Cricket Club or at the Pill shopping precinct after leaving the school site at 12.00pm. Staff will be present in these areas to ensure that students make their way home.

### **Prom**

The venue will be Leigh Court in Abbots Leigh. This is a fantastic opportunity for our pupils to celebrate the official end of Year 11 in style. Smart dress must be worn. Seeing pupils in suits and ball gowns is a really fitting and formal way to celebrate this milestone. Pupils will be expected to make their own appropriate travel arrangements to and from the venue.

Tickets for the prom are £42.50. This includes venue hire, food buffet and disco for the evening. A private bar will be open throughout the evening selling non-alcoholic drinks.

Prom tickets are on sale through ParentPay. Deadline for payment will be the 10<sup>th</sup> June 2022.

## **Leavers' Hoodies**

We are giving students the opportunity to buy a leaver's hoodie to remind students of their time at St Katherine's. A choice of colour and size are available to purchase on ParentPay. The cost for the hoodies will be £22.25.

**Deadline for ordering is Friday 20th May.** We hope to give them out on the Leavers' day on 7th July.

Before final payment for prom and/or hoodies can be accepted, it is essential that you first clear any outstanding debts, including library fines, transport fees, dinner money debts and any other outstanding amounts on ParentPay. Please email [finance@skdrive.org](mailto:finance@skdrive.org) if you have any questions about payment.

Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school 01275373737 or email [school@skdrive.org](mailto:school@skdrive.org).

Your sincerely,

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