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RISEDALE SCHOOL

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Thursday 3rd April 2025

Dear parent/carer,

SUBJECT: Year 11 Prom and Leavers' Hoodies 2025

The end-of-year Prom will be held on **Friday 27th June 2025** at [The Blackwell Grange Hotel](#) in Darlington. The evening will begin at 7:00pm and end at 11:00pm.

Tickets, Deposits and Payments

The total cost for the evening is **£32.50 per person**, covering venue hire, table decorations, a buffet, a mocktail on arrival, and the disco.

To secure a ticket, a £15.00 deposit must be paid by Friday 9th May, and the remaining £17.50 by Friday 6th June. All monies must be paid via ParentPay at www.parentpay.com.

Expectations to Attend the Prom

Risedale, like many schools, expects certain standards of behaviour from their pupils, and the Prom is part of a series of rewards which help to motivate and focus pupils during their final stage of secondary education. To earn the right to attend the Prom, pupils must maintain a good attendance record, exhibit appropriate behaviour, and show a positive attitude towards learning for the remainder of their time at Risedale.

All Year 11 pupils received information about the expectations to be allowed to attend the Prom during an assembly held on 3rd March 2025. Pupils at risk of not meeting the criteria for the Prom will be notified by 10th May 2025. If a pupil is fully withdrawn from the Prom, you will be notified no later than 6th June, and your deposit will be returned.

Leavers' Hoodies

As our Year 11 pupils prepare to embark on exciting new chapters, we are thrilled to announce the availability of Risedale School Leavers' Hoodies. Here are all the details you need to know.

- **On Sale:** From Monday 7th April, available online from the SchoolShop website at <https://school-shop.co.uk/product/year-11-leavers-hoodie-risedale-school/>
- **Cost:** £18.00 each.
- **Order Deadline:** Friday 2nd May 2025 (no orders will be accepted after this date).
- **Delivery:** Week commencing 19th May 2025 (delivered directly to the school).
- **Features:**
 - Black hoodie with the Risedale School logo on the left breast.
 - Leavers' emblem on the reverse.
 - Optional personalisation: Add a name for an additional £3.00
 - Available in sizes small to 3XL.
- **Wearing Hoodies in School:** Pupils will be able to wear their official leavers' hoodies as an alternative to their school blazers once they have been delivered and distributed.



If you would like any further information regarding the Prom or Leavers' Hoodies, please do not hesitate to contact me at benson.a@risedale.org.uk.

Yours sincerely,

Ms A Benson

(KS4 Pupil Support Manager)

