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Dear Student and Parents/Carers

**Year 11 Leavers' Prom – Friday 28th June 2024 6:30pm – 9.00pm**

We can now confirm that this year's Prom will take place at The Left Bank in Hereford from 6:30pm to 9.00pm on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June. Please note that the Prom is for Fairfield Year 11 students only and that formal dress is expected; there is opportunity for students to access a limited collection of dresses and suits from school for a small deposit on return of the items borrowed. Students will receive further information about this in school.

**Students should arrive by 6:30pm.** There will be a seated buffet meal at 7pm and after dinner there will be a disco. A photographer will be on hand all evening to record the event (photos will be uploaded to Google Classroom for students to access for a short time). Students who have 'no photo permission' on their file will not appear online.

The venue has asked us that drop-off is by using a one-way system, arriving from Bridge Street and departing via St Martin's Street to come out on the ASDA roundabout.

We do hope all Year 11 students will attend. The cost will be £31.50 per head – this covers the venue, the food, a non-alcoholic drink on arrival and entertainment.

There will be a cashless (card only) bar at the Left Bank for students to buy non-alcoholic drinks. No alcohol will be served to students, nor do we expect alcohol to be brought in from outside. The venue is also a 'no smoking' zone, which will equally apply to vapes. In order to make the evening fun for both students and staff, we ask that these rules are respected, as well as our normal expectations for behaviour and that we will not have to ask you to collect your child early.

The Prom is always a lovely event and a real celebration of students' time at Fairfield. However, the Prom is a privilege rather than an automatic right and should a student's behaviour or attendance to school or revision sessions be unacceptable before the end of June, we will withdraw their invitation to attend.

To confirm the student's attendance, please now complete the following:

1. Register for your ticket and add dietary and allergy information on the Google form at the link below by Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May:

[Prom consent form 2024 - Google Forms](#)

[If the link does not work, try cutting and pasting it directly into your browser.]

2. On the Google Form, confirm that you have discussed the behaviour expectations for the evening with your child and give an emergency contact number for that evening.
3. Pay £31.50 for a ticket via Parent Pay; if this causes any difficulties then please contact Mrs Smith in the school office at [admin@gvsc.org.uk](mailto:admin@gvsc.org.uk)

We hope this will be a fantastic farewell event for our students and look forward to seeing you there.

Yours faithfully

Mr J Emmett

Year 11 Form Tutor