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Dear Parents/Carers

For the Year 11 leavers of 2024 we would like to offer you the opportunity of purchasing a leavers hoodie. We think this is a great leavers gift which will provide students with a lasting memory of the time spent at Oaklands and the friends they have all made. Each hoodie will have the school logo embroidered on the front and the number 24 in large print on the back filled with the full names of all the students currently in Year 11.



The hoodies are priced at £25.00 each. We have chosen to work with a company who are providing many benefits to the school as well as the facility for parents to purchase the hoodies online. Here is the link to our school's unique link to the online shop.

www.hartlandhoodies.com/school-leavers-hoodies/oaklands-catholic-school-leavers-hoodies

The shop will be open for a limited period, until 5th April 2024. If you would like to purchase a hoodie, please make sure you do this within the timeframes set in order to be included in the bulk order and benefit from the price offered to the school. Once you have logged in to the online shop you will have the opportunity to select your required size and colour and pay online. Delivery will be made in bulk to the school approximately 3-4 weeks after the closing date of the online shop.

Ideally, we would like to include all of Year 11's names on the back of the 2024 leavers hoodie. However, we completely understand if you would prefer not to have your child's name listed. Please inform me via email at j.beauvoisin@oaklandscatholicschool.org by 1st December 2023 if you **do not** wish for your child's name to be included. There will also be a tick box within the shop for you to provide your permission for us to include your child's name. We hope this has provided you with enough information for you to make your purchase.

Here are some further Q&As that you might find useful:

How do I know which size to order?

In the image section of the online shop there is a detailed size chart, please check these measurements on your child if you are unsure of what size to order.

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When can I expect to receive the hoodie I ordered?

Bulk delivery of the hoodies will be made to the school approximately 3 weeks after the final order date. The hoodies will then be distributed by tutors in the final week before May half term.

Can I order more than 1 hoodie?

Of course, however please let us know within the notes section if there are any special requests of who the hoodie should be given to etc.

If I don't have access to the online shop or a credit card to pay online with, is there any other way to order?

We would appreciate it if as many people as possible utilised the online shop and we have chosen this option to make it easier for both the parents and the school. However, if you are having difficulties with this method, please let the school know and we will find a suitable way to assist you.

If I miss the last order date, will I still be able to purchase a leavers hoodie?

If you miss the last order date your child's hoodie will not be included in the bulk school order. We have negotiated a price for the hoodies based on a bulk school order quantity, please do make sure you order on time to help us fulfil this. Our supplier does accept late orders, but this will be treated as an individual order and the cost of the hoodie will be much more expensive at £65.00 each, including home delivery. The higher price is due to print and labour costs which individual orders are subject to. Hoodies that are ordered late will not be delivered with the bulk school order and will be received at a later date.

What kind of quality are the hoodies?

Throughout the decision-making process of the leavers hoodies supplier, we sampled the quality of the hoodie and determined that they are of a decent quality. A full description of the hoodie and details of the material as well as care instructions can be viewed within the online shop. Please follow these in order to extend the wear of the hoodie.

If you have any further questions, please do let us know.

Many thanks

Mrs Beauvoisin

School 2024 leavers hoodies are being provided by:



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