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Dear Parents /Carers

## Re: Year 11 Prom – Friday 27 June 2025

The 'Class of 2025 Prom' has now been booked for Friday 27 June 2025 at Crewe Hall. This is an exclusive hotel which will provide a fabulous venue for our celebrations.

The evening will run as follows:

- Dress code is formal / evening wear
- Arrival from 6pm with a (non-alcoholic) welcome drink on arrival.
- A professional photographer has been booked to take individual and group photographs. These can be purchased on the night.
- A two course meal will be provided and non-alcoholic drinks can be purchased from the hotel bar.
- After the meal, we will dance the night away with a disco.
- Carriages at 10pm for an 10.30pm finish.
- Anyone trying to purchase alcohol from the hotel bar, in possession of any alcohol, arriving intoxicated or in possession of any other prohibited items, will be removed from the event and parents/ carers will be called to collect.

The cost of the ticket is £55 with an initial deposit of £25 payable to Congleton High School by 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025. Payments can be made via the schools online payment facility. If you are experiencing financial difficulty, please contact Mrs Triner in the finance office <u>ktriner@congleonhigh.com</u> The remaining balance of £30 will need to be paid by Friday 25 April at the latest.

We recognise that the Prom is a key milestone for students and one which we want them to enjoy. However, I must make it very clear that attendance at the Prom is a privilege. To be able to attend, students must participate fully and positively in school life. This means that we will be monitoring attendance, punctuality and behaviour in the lead up to the event. We reserve the right to withdraw tickets from students who are not meeting our expectations at any time in the lead up to the event.

I am certain this will be a memorable occasion for your child, and I hope to see as many students as possible in attendance. If your child wishes to attend the Prom, please return the attached slip with all details included by 7<sup>th</sup> March.

Please note that when arranging transport for the Prom, Crewe Hall have advised that due to the width of the driveway, they do not permit any farm vehicles or large vehicles over 2.2m high.



We will be working with www.dress2mydoor.net to promote sustainability, inclusivity and reducing the cost of formal/ evening wear, with a pop-up shop on Monday 17 March at Congleton High School at 4pm. Further details to follow.

Yours faithfully

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Mrs L Salt

Reply slip Year 11 Prom Friday 27 June 2025	
Student Name:	Tutor Group:
I agree to my child attending the above event. I u will arrange transport home from Crewe Hall.	understand the conditions of attendance and confirm that
Signed:	Date:

Parent / Carer

