Important Policy Update: School Jacket Requirement

Dear Parents/Guardians,

This letter is to inform you of an important and mandatory update to our school's uniform policy, specifically regarding outerwear (jackets and coats).

The New Jacket Policy

Effective 29th January 2026, all students will be required to wear only the official school jacket, which may be purchased directly through the supplier. No other jackets, coats, hoodies, or non-uniform outerwear will be permitted to be worn on school grounds during school hours.

We understand that a change to the uniform policy requires adjustments, and we want to assure you that this decision was made after careful consideration of several key factors:

- **Promoting School Unity and Identity:** A consistent uniform, including outerwear, strengthens our sense of community, equality, and pride in the college.
- Safety and Security: Standardised outerwear makes it easier for staff to quickly identify all students and unauthorised persons on campus, enhancing security.
- **Consistent Appearance:** The official jacket ensures all students present a neat, appropriate, and professional appearance that reflects the standards of the college.

How to Purchase the Official School Jacket

Option 1: The official school jackets will be available for purchase exclusively through the vendor, Dynasty Clothing who will have an online shop for Cullinane College.

Option 2: Our current jacket will remain available and is currently available from the college office.

The Dynasty jackets will be available for purchase starting on 21st October 2025.

To ensure all students have the required item by the effective date, we strongly encourage you to place your Dynasty order no later than 7th November 2025. This is to ensure that your purchase arrives prior to the beginning of the school year.

Ordering Instructions:

Option 1 (Online): Please visit the College Uniform Website at https://dynastyteamstore.co.nz/collections/cullinane-college and navigate to the 'Outerwear' section.

Option 2: Please come into the school office to purchase one of our stock item jackets.

Transition and Enforcement

We recognize that the official jacket represents a new expense, and we are committed to making this transition as manageable as possible.

• **Enforcement:** Students who do not wear the official school jacket after 29th January 2026, will be subject to the standard uniform policy procedures, which may include a warning, contacting parents, or being asked to remove the non-compliant item.

Thank you for your support as we implement this important change. Your cooperation is vital in maintaining the high standards and strong sense of community at the college.

If you have any specific questions regarding the new jacket material, sizing, or ordering process, please contact Dynasty Clothing directly on:

Phone: 09 415 1888 or email: online@dynastysport.co.nz

Yours sincerely,

Tony McBride Principal

Left to Right:

- 1.: Dynasty Wet Weather Jacket \$87.00
- 2: Current School Jacket (no hood) \$75.00
- 3: Dynasty Gilet Vest \$ 80.00
- 4: Dynasty Hybrid Jacket \$110.00

