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Dear Parent/Carer 5<sup>th</sup> September 2022

Re: Welcome Back Fair

I am writing to invite you to attend our 'Welcome Back Fair' at 3.30pm on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2022 in the school hall.

This was a suggestion made by a parent which I thought was a fantastic idea. Due to Covid, lockdown and health & safety restrictions, we have parents who have been with us for some time (years) who missed out on the normal induction meetings. Over the last two years there have also been a number of changes which we would normally have invited parents into school to discuss or learn more about.

Therefore, we are holding a 'Welcome Back Fair' which is open to ALL parents (and children) who would like to learn more about certain aspects of school life. There will be a range of different stalls in the hall covering areas such as:

- Meet the Team (most parents only know their child's teaching team so why not come along and find out who everyone is and what we do)
- **Breakfast Club** (an introduction to our new rejuvenated provision)
- After School Clubs (a yearly programme offering a huge range of different opportunities)
- The Academy Council (Who are they, what do they do & how can you get involved)
- **School Uniform** (learn more about our fairtrade and preloved options)
- The Friends of Stanhope Barrington (how you can help to raise essential funds for school)
- Administration (meet Mrs Wilson Secretary- who can help you with Parent Pay and any other aspect of school administration)
- Attendance (find out how we reward our 100% attendees)
- Learning Zones and Superpowers (find out what superpower your child will be working on this year)
- Collective Worship Strategy (find out how collective worship is delivered in our school)

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- **Website** (find out how we communicate with parents/carers via our new and constantly improving website)
- Thrive (visit our dedicated Thrive room, speak to staff and find out what support is available)

We will have drinks and nibbles available and really look forward to welcoming you back with this great information fair.

If you have any questions or even any suggestions for information you would like to see at the fair which has not already been included, then please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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