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Mr R Hicks
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Dear Parent/Carer

Duke of Edinburgh Award

It is with great pleasure that I can inform you that we now have the staffing and resources to continue again with the Duke of Edinburgh Award.

As I'm sure you can understand, it has been quite challenging to ensure that, since Mr McArthur leaving last year, we have the right staffing in place in order for the students to complete their Bronze award. We also apologise that you and your child have had to wait but we do appreciate your patience and understanding.

I will be leading the award with Mrs Bibby as the verifier and we look forward to welcoming the students back to continue with their challenges and planning for their expedition (more information will follow on this).

Therefore, to get us re-established, I am holding an initial meeting with the students next week on **Tuesday 17th October at 2.45pm** which will take place in the hall.

If for any reason your child does not want to continue with the DofE award, please let me know.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs P. Boyd-Rugen

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