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Child Protective Services ADOPTION FAIR

Who: Approximately 60 Children, eight years old and older, in CPS custody who are available for adoption.

What: CPS in partnership with **Faith West Academy** will host a unique event which allows children who are available for adoption to interact with prospective adoptive parents in hopes of finding a "forever" family. These children are older, part of a sibling group or have special needs. They are in CPS custody due to abuse, neglect, or abandonment by their own biological families.

When: Friday, June 20, 2014 from 11am - 1:00 p.m.

Where: Faith West Academy 2225 Porter Road . Katy, Texas 77493

Visuals: * Children in foster care who are available for adoption * Families licensed to adopt * Interviews with children awaiting adoptive placement *Interviews with approved and waiting adoptive families

For more information on adoption <u>www.adoptchildren.org</u> or 1-800-233-3405