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Dear Parent and Carers,

A number of parents have contacted the school regarding our Year 1 class size. We are aware that if there are more than 30 pupils in an infant class schools are normally required to provide an additional teacher. However, in this case, Hertfordshire's Admissions team have unfortunately made a mistake in their processes and our numbers have reached 31. As this not the school's fault, we have been informed that 'In this case you would not need to make any qualifying measures and it would not affect future appeals.'

We would just like to assure you that we will monitor the progress of pupils within Year 1 to ensure this does not impact adversely. Please note we do have an additional adult in Year 1 for the whole morning and half the afternoon, alongside regular volunteers.

Yours sincerely,

Rachel Howes
Deputy Headteacher

