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Dear Parents & Carers,

I am writing to all Year 1 parents in response to some emails I have received today regarding continuous provision in Year 1. Thank you for bringing your concerns to my attention; I'm really glad you communicated so quickly. Although we technically do not need to provide continuous provision in Year 1, it is used to support transition from Reception to Year 1 in the first few weeks of the autumn term and is still provided for those children who need it, whether that is inside the classroom or outside the classroom in the bay area. For core lessons (e.g. maths and English), the majority of children are in their classrooms, receiving quality first teaching with the class teacher. The classroom and bay area are also used for group work, interventions and other activities for all children.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Senior', with a horizontal line underneath.

Miss R. Senior
Headteacher