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Sent: Friday, June 25, 2021 10:25 AM
To: Paul Harrison
Subject: RE: Question about Murch's capacity

Dear Mr. Harrison,

Thank you for reaching out.

Yes, in grades K-5 (compulsory grades), we have the capacity to enroll all in-boundary students. For Pre-K 4, the seats are allocated via the MySchool DC lottery process and we have 60 seats. Pre-K is not a required grade, & we do not always meet in-boundary demand for Pre-K seats (this is dependent on the year and how many in-boundary lottery applications there are).

I hope this helps! If not, please don't hesitate to reach out via phone.

Sincerely,

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Hi Ms. Eckstein,

Not sure if you're the right person to ask this, but it looks like it from your position description on the Murch website. My family and I live at 3007 Albemarle St NW, which is in-bounds for Murch. We're proposing some work on our home, and one question the city permit process asks us is about local school capacity. Can you help me confirm whether Murch normally has the capacity to enroll all new in-bounds students? I understand the lottery system, so my question would assume that they are applying at the regular time and not mid-session or even after all seats have been filled through the lottery.

Very much appreciate your time and response!

Warmly,

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