Summary of Ribble Valley Primary Pupil Projections

The table below shows demand in the Clitheroe planning area based on the number of recorded births:

	Projected intake (Live Births)						
Reception Places	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024		
185	165	180	200	200*	200*		

^{*}Birth data for these intake years is not yet available so it must be currently assumed that they will continue as per latest actual data

The above figures are based only on birth led demand and do not take into account the projected impact of housing development in the area. The table below shows projected demand resulting from live births and housing:

	Projected intake (Births and Housing Projections)						
Reception Places	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024		
185	171	192	217	223	229		

This position includes a proportion of the yield from the Higher Standen Farm development.

In the longer term, there is potential for a further 800+ houses to yield approximately 136 to 304 additional pupils beyond 2024, mainly on this site.

Therefore, the anticipated shortfall within 10 years is expected to increase, with potential to exceed 2 forms of entry (420 pupils).

If we consider the Clitheroe and Langho and Whalley neighbouring planning areas together, the combined position is as follows:

		Projected intake (Births and Housing Projections)				
	Reception Places	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Clitheroe	185	171	192	217	223	229
Langho and Whalley	165	116	132	140	147	153
Total	350	287	324	357	370	382
Shortfall		0	0	7	20	32

The above table demonstrates that there is projected to be a minor shortfall of places in Clitheroe from September 2021 onwards but that the net shortfall for the wider area emerges from 2022 onwards, although this will regularly monitored in terms of the current global climate and potential slowdown of the housing market by using the latest pupil projection data.