

Year 2 - Phonics

For this week we would like you to practise applying your Year 2 Common Exception Words.

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door	floor	poor	because	find	kind	mind
behind	child	children	wild	climb	most	only
both	old	gold	cold	hold	told	every
everybody	even	great	break	steak	pretty	beautiful
after	fast	last	past	father	class	grass
pass	plant	path	bath	hour	move	prove
improve	sure	sugar	eye	could	should	would
who	whole	any	many	clothes	busy	people
water	again	half	money	Mr	Mrs	parents

Activity 1: Mnemonics

One way of remembering spellings are through rhymes.

Take a look at the mnemonics powerpoint for some examples 😊

Can you come up with your own mnemonic for the following words:

move: _____

fast: _____

Activity 2: Bingo

Copy down 9 words from the Common Exception Word grid above.

Ask a grown-up or sibling to be the bingo caller and to call out words from the grid. Each time your word is called out, try putting it into a sentence!

Activity 3: Spot the mistake

The passage below has 10 spelling mistakes.
Can you spot them all and correct them?

It was actually a piece of goald shining in the sun! It felt colld in her hand.
Sarah started to think about how much munny it might be worth and how meny
cloaves she cood buy with it. Her dad toald her to holed it in her hand and think
about the pour chiljren in the village. Sarah used the money to buy lots of
yummy treats and it made evrybody feel happy.

Activity 4: Wordsearch

TIP: Some may be spelt backwards!

O F I N D E U C S Q C F J N M E F
 A X G T N U L Z P D L H Y O U S S
 C T U I O T L D J T F T D I F U G
 C O L D Z L A F L B A O Z G P A Q
 E S X H H O D O S I X B O C C C B
 V C Y Q C L T L L I H K K L H E E
 D K U S L H L Y R W I C H N D B H
 Y G A E I C U O D F I B D P P F I
 Z S Y H M E O J V O D L T O J T N
 O I E W B P V D P N B A D H O S D
 C Y R E V E D E I J E Y K T M R J
 B L E R U T F K N R K U R C N Q O
 R Z Z J S A Z L G X P R I E E L A
 O H Z Y M M N X B G N P N M V B N
 O Z H I G D S Z D L O H Q O N E O
 L N N N E R D L I H C L R S S Z N
 F D O N L Y A F C T T J D T C P H

great	even	everybody	every	told	hold
gold	cold	both	only	most	climb
wild	children	child	behind	mind	kind
because	poor	door	floor	poor	door

Challenge:

Create your own short story including as many common exception words as you can.
