

Dear parents,

The teachers in Key Stage 1 have been busy assessing and working with the children in Year 2 to support their learning and progress. One thing that we have noticed in Year 2 is that the children need a little extra support with their spelling after many months off school.

Attached to this letter are the first hundred high frequency words - the most common words in the English language. Some are red words (that cannot be sounded out) and some are green words (where the children can use their phonics).

Please spend a little time each week working on spelling these words to help support your child to progress after the break from school.

These words will not be tested and we do not expect you to work through them all immediately, but at a pace that suits your child.

By working on these words for spelling both at home and at school, we hope to see the children using these words correctly in their independent class writing.

Thank you for your support. Please speak to your child's class teacher if you have any further questions.

Mrs Rowlinson, Mrs Williams and Miss Jones