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Year 2 Spellings

Dear Parents/Carers

In Year 2, the children will bring home a maximum of 12 spellings for them to learn. Sometimes they will follow a phonic pattern and sometimes they will be common exception words. They need to practise each of the spellings at least 3 times in their spelling books. In class they will be tested on these spellings but we will put them into a sentence.

For example: A child may have the spelling **snail** to learn at home.

In class they will be asked to write the sentence **I have a snail**. This is to try and reinforce spelling of high frequency words, capital letters, question marks and full stops. We often find children can spell the words in a spelling test but not in their independent writing.

Spellings for the first couple of weeks will be the Year 1 common exception words, which they will have covered last year. These are for revision and to make sure they are confident with them before we move onto the Year 2 common exception words.

Thank you for your support.

Kind regards

Mrs Brech and Miss Alexander

