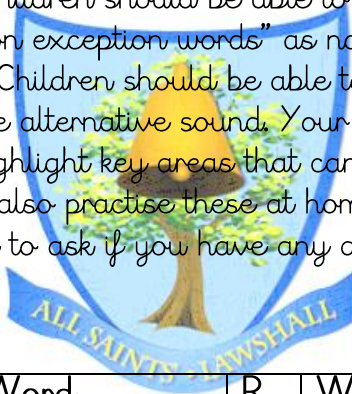


Common Exception Words

In Year 2, it is expected that children should be able to read and write these words. They are known as the “common exception words” as not all phonemes can be applied to the words in the same way. Children should be able to blend and segment parts of the word, but also recognise the alternative sound. Your child will be tested throughout the year on these which will highlight key areas that can be focussed on in school. It would be brilliant if you could also practise these at home (it can be counted as reading). Please do not hesitate to ask if you have any questions or if you would like a paper copy.



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