

The Russell School Pathway to Spelling Year 2 – Autumn 2

Practise reading and spelling the following words

Common Exception Words Homophones Word Groups

climb	to	II phoneme	
Christmas	too	tunnel	
clothes	two	table	
cold		fossil	
because		j phoneme	
any		change	
who		giant	
find		s phoneme	
behind		ice	
sure		race	
		n phoneme	
		knock	
		gnome	

These words will be broken into sections in class to be focused on each week of the half term. They will all continue to be re-visited as the year progresses:

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5
climb	clothes	because	who	behind
Christmas	cold	any	find	sure
to	tunnel	change	ice	knock
too	table	giant	race	gnome
two	fossil			

Top Tips

Try out some of the following ideas to help. The secret to success is practising little and often. Use time wisely. Can you practise these words while walking to school or during a car journey? You don't need to practise them all at once: perhaps you could have a word of the day. If you would like more ideas, please speak to your child's teacher.

Activity Ideas

Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check
Say or write the word in a sentence
Write the word in rainbow colours
Hunt for the words in your reading books
Make flash cards and put them on a wall/fridge
Make the words with magnetic letters
Make up a mnemonic – a rhyme to help remember the spelling