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Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs Abbott & Mrs Southern

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| **The suffix -ly** | **Contractions**  **(In contractions, the apostrophe shows where a letter or letters would be if the words were written in full e.g. can’t – cannot).** | **Words ending in -tion** | **Homophones and near-homophones**  **(words that sound the same or very similar but are spelt differently and have different meanings)** | **Months of the year (Remember to always use a capital letter at the start as they are proper nouns)** |
| **29/04/22** | **06/05/22** | **13/05/22** | **20/05/22** | **27/05/22** |
| happily | can’t | station | there | January |
| angrily | it’s | fiction | here | February |
| badly | don’t | notion | quite | March |
| anxiously | didn’t | nation | bear | April |
| bravely | won’t | creation | they’re | May |
| certainly | wouldn’t | elevation | hear | June |
| correctly | haven’t | domination | quiet | July |
| boldly | shouldn’t | sensation | bare | August |
| evenly | could’ve | invitation | their | September |
| gladly | mustn’t | section | blew | October |
|  |  |  |  | November |
|  |  |  |  | December |

Year 2 Common Exception Words List

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

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| **The /dʒ/ sound spelt as ge and dge at the end of words, and sometimes spelt as g elsewhere in words before e, i and y** | **The /s/ sound spelt c before e, i and y** | **The /n/ sound spelt kn and (less often) gn at the beginning of words** | **The /r/ sound spelt wr at the beginning of words** | **The /l/ or /əl/ sound spelt –le at the end of words** |
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| badge | race | know | write | table |
| edge | ice | knee | written | apple |
| dodge | cell | knot | wrote | bottle |
| bridge | city | knowledge | wrong | little |
| fudge | fancy | knight | wrap | middle |
| age | pace | knock | wren | puddle |
| huge | brace | knit | wrapping | couple |
| change | prance | gnat | wreck | able |
| charge | dance | gnaw | wrench | muddle |
| village | fence | gnome | wring | bundle |

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|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| the | you | where |
| a | your | love |
| do | they | come |
| to | be | some |
| today | he | one |
| of | me | once |
| said | she | ask |
| says | we | friend |
| are | no | school |
| were | go | put |
| was | so | push |
| is | by | pull |
| his | my | full |
| has | here | house |
| I | there | our |