

# Tricky Word Cards

These word cards help us to learn to read and spell the words that do not wholly follow phonics rules, but which are common enough for us to need them often. Many words will be repeated from YR. Please spend a few minutes every day practising reading and spelling the words with your child.

Irregular words are words we read often, but cannot be fully decoded using the phonics we have learned so far.

CEWs - Common Exception Words (the words written in bold) are the words that all Year 1 children are expected to be able to **spell** by the end of the year:

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

The following lists include a mixture of irregular and **some** common exception words.

Please learn the **underlined** CEWs separately.

## Tricky Word Card Pink Phonics Phase 2 Units 1-5

her

into

**the**

**no**

**I**

**go**

**to**

## Tricky Word Card Red Phonics Phase 3 Units 6-11

**my**

**she**

**he**

all

**are**

**be**

**you**

live

**me**

**was**

**they**

give

**we**

## Tricky Word Card Yellow Phonics Phase 4 Unit 12

**said**

**some**

like

little

**come**

**so**

**there**

**were**

do

when

have

out

**one**

what

Tricky Word Card  
Blue  
Phonics Phase 5  
Units 13 - 20

oh	thought
their	through
people	work
Mr	laughed
Mrs	because
Ms	Thursday
looked	Saturday
called	thirteen
<b>asked</b>	thirty
water	different
where	any
who	many
again	

Tricky Word Card  
Green  
Phonics Phase 5  
Units 21 - 27

different	I'm
any	I'll
many	I've
eyes	don't
<b>friends</b>	can't
two	didn't
<b>once</b>	first
great	second
clothes	third
it's	