

# Year 2 Common Exception Words

## The long 'ar' sound spelt 'a' family\*

bath  
class  
fast  
grass  
half  
last  
pass  
past  
path  
plant

## The 'a' sound spelt 'ea' family

break  
great  
steak

## The 'en' family

children  
even  
parents

## The ends in 'er' family

after  
father  
water

## The 'ie' sound spelt 'i' family

behind  
child  
find  
kind  
mind  
wild

## The 'M' title family

Mr  
Mrs

## The 'oo' sound spelt 'o-e' family

improve  
move  
prove

## The 'oe' sound spelt 'o' family

both  
clothes  
most

## The 'or' sound spelt 'oo' family

door  
floor  
poor

## The 'old' family

cold  
gold  
hold  
old  
told

## The 'ould' family

could  
should  
would

## The 'sh' sound spelt 's' family

sugar  
sure

## The silent 'w' family

whole  
who

## The ends in 'y' family

any  
busy  
every  
everybody  
many  
money  
only  
pretty

## The tricky word family

again  
beautiful  
because  
Christmas  
eye  
hour  
people