**Dear Parents** 

## Six Weeks is a long time!

Well, here they are again. The summer holidays. Six weeks of long hot summer days! I'm sure you are all looking forward to a break from the usual routines.

Six weeks is also a long time for children to remember all the reading, writing and numeracy skills that they have worked so hard to acquire during the year. Please encourage the children to keep their key skills 'ticking over' until September.

We would like all the children to read regularly, continue to write (post cards, diary etc), to learn their Common Exception Word/Spellings and to count forward and backwards in 2s, 5s and 10s. (The spellings for the relevant year groups are attached).

'Work' during the summer should of course be fun! Just 10/15 minutes a day will be enough to ensure success. Please do not forget to go to your local library and sign up to the Big Summer Read!

## **Space Chase, Summer Reading Challenge** 2019



Thank you for your continued support. Have a wonderful summer holiday.

Amanda Reid Headteacher

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## Year 3 and 4 Common Exception Words

	bicycle	believe	ВЬ	arrive	appear	answer	although	address	actually	actual	accidentally	accident	Aa
	consider	complete	circle	certain	century	centre	caught	calendar	Сс	business	hsnq	build	breath
	enough	eighth	eight	earth	early	Ee	disappear	difficult	different	describe	decide	Dd	continue
	group	grammar	Gg	fruit	forwards	forward	February	favourite	famous	Ff	extreme	experience	exercise
	island	interest	important	increase	imagine	Ii	history	height	heart	heard	Hh	guide	guard
	natural	Nn	minute	mention	medicine	material	Mm	library	length	learn	ננ	Knowledge	K
	popular	perhaps	peculiar	particular	Pp	ordinary	opposite	often	occasionally	occasion	00	notice	naughty
	Rr	question	quarter	Qq	purpose	promise	probably	pressure	potatoes	possible	possession	possess	position
	surprise	suppose	strength	strange	straight	special	separate	sentence	Ss	remember	reign	regular	recent
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