

Second Grade “No Excuse” Words Second Quarter

“No Excuse” words are those which students are expected to spell correctly in all of their everyday writing. They are taken from a list of core words used in writing. Below are the groups of words which we would like your child to master by the end of second quarter. The words are not in any particular order and you may also see some of these words in our spelling units. Please help your child spell these words correctly in their everyday writing. A pre-assessment on these words has been given in class and the highlighted words are words your child needs to practice. The next assessment will be given at the end of the second quarter, but the most notable assessment will be the daily writing. Thank you for your help at home.

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| 1. if | 13. this | 25. about |
| 2. do | 14. said | 26. down |
| 3. use | 15. up | 27. our |
| 4. ask | 16. has | 28. did |
| 5. say | 17. into | 29. saw |
| 6. with | 18. like | 30. much |
| 7. can | 19. see | |
| 8. One | 20. no | |
| 9. we | 21. make | |
| 10. will | 22. first | |
| 11. each | 23. been | |
| 12. are | 24. them | |