

## KS1 Spelling Quiz - Year 2 - Tricky words 3 (Questions)

This 'Tricky Words 3' spelling quiz uses words taken from the National Curriculum and tests KS1 children on these spellings. All these words are considered tricky because they break the usual sound patterns.

When spelling, many words can be sounded out but there are also lots of words that can't be broken into sound groups. This quiz is going to test you on those words that are exceptions to the rules. Can you spell the missing words?

1. Don't stand \_\_\_\_ the horse.



- beehinde
- beahinde
- behinde
- behind

2. These roses are \_\_\_\_.



- buootiful
- buoeatifall
- beautifall
- beautiful

3. His \_\_\_\_ helped him fix his bike.



- father
- farther
- faver
- farthver

4. He has a small \_\_\_\_ in his hands.



- plarnt
- plant
- plante
- plarnte

5. What \_\_\_\_ does the clock say?



- ower
- ouwer
- houwer
- hour

6. She has a cube of \_\_\_\_ in her mouth.



- sugar
- shugar
- shuger
- suger

7. These \_\_\_\_ are from all over the world.



- peepel
- peepal
- peopel
- people

8. The little girl wanted to play hide and seek over and over \_\_\_\_.



- agen
- again
- agein
- aggain

9. What lesson do you have \_\_\_\_ your lunch \_\_\_\_?



- arfter and brake
- after and brake
- arfter and break
- after and break

10. I \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ Smith that I would hand my homework in tomorrow.



- toled and Mr
- told and Mr
- towld and Mr
- told and Mrr

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1. Don't stand \_\_\_\_ the horse.



- beehinde
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This is good advice because horses can kick you if you stand behind them.

2. These roses are \_\_\_\_.



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This is a very tricky word to spell and the best way to do it is to either make up a rhyme to help you or to memorise it and keep writing it until it sticks in your memory!

3. His \_\_\_\_ helped him fix his bike.



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If you accidentally write 'farther' then you are saying far away, or farther away from you - in the distance.

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Did you know, the Venus flytrap is a plant that eats insects.

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The time on a clock is made up of hours, minutes and seconds.

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We say 'sh' even though it begins with just a 's' - this is a very unusual exception.

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- people

There are over seven billion people in the world!

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Young children like to play games over and over again as this helps them learn about the world around them.

9. What lesson do you have \_\_\_\_ your lunch \_\_\_\_?



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There are two words that sound the same: break and brake. Brake is something that goes in your car and causes it to stop; break is something that snaps or a time of rest.

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All male teachers are called 'Mr' whether they're married or not. This is different to female teachers who can be called Mrs, Miss or Ms.