



Dear parents and carers,

We deliver short ten minute vocabulary lessons each day as research suggests that children's understanding and use of a wide range of vocabulary supports their attainment at school and prepares them for adult life. We aim to cover five words each week. The words are chosen from National Health Service age related wordlists and topic specific lists.

We would like to share these lists with you so that you can talk to your child about the meaning of the words and practise using them in sentences.

Receptions topic this half term will be **'Emergency! Can You Help Me?'** The table below lists the words which will be studied in school each week.

Please see your child's class teacher if you have any questions or would like more information on vocabulary teaching.

Thank you

Mrs Longstaff

Emergency– Can You Help Me?					
Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
doctor	firefighter	police officer	dentist	Easter	egg
nurse	fire engine	listen	always	Jesus	hen
helpful	orange	same	next	cross	chick
friendly	high	plain	together	old	smooth
several	low	each	deep	far	shallow