Dear Family, Your child is beginning to spell longer words.

You can spell longer words by thinking about spelling the small parts or “chunks of sound” you already know from other words.

- Read all of these words:
  
  hamburger  
  helicopter  
  hippopotamus  
  holiday  
  jack-o-lantern  
  kindergarten  
  lumberjack  
  microscope  
  motorcycle  
  newspaper  

- Choose four words from the list and write them on the lines below. Then write a short sentence for each word.

1. _______  ________________________________________
2. _______  ________________________________________
3. _______  ________________________________________
4. _______  ________________________________________

Child’s signature ______________________________________

Parent’s (Learning Partner’s) signature ____________________________