

Autumn 1 Overview of teaching and learning

Working towards a qualification in Functional Skills Entry level English: (Year 9-11)			Working towards a qualification in Functional Skills Entry level Maths: (Year 9-11)		
English - Reading	English - Writing	English – Speaking, listening and communicating	Maths - Fluency	Maths - Problem Solving	
To use illustrations, images and captions to locate information.	Learn to use adjectives and simple linking words in the appropriate way.	To make appropriate contributions to simple group discussions with others about a straightforward topic.	To be able to count up to 50. To be able to read, write and order numbers up to 200.	To present appropriate explanations using numbers, measures, simple diagrams and symbols.	
Read and understand sentences with more than one clause.	Ensuring young people are able to write in compound sentences, using common conjunctions.	Working on clearly expressing straight forward information and communicate feelings and opinions	To be able to sequence odd and even numbers up to 50.	, Use methods given to produce, check and present results.	
Work on using effective strategies to find the meaning of words and check	To be able to complete a form asking for personal	on a range of straightforward topics.	Can recognise and interpret the symbols +, -, ×, ÷ and = appropriately.	Recognise, understand and use simple mathematical terms.	
their spelling (e.g. a simple dictionary, spell-checker).	information (e.g. first name, surname, address, postcode, age, date of birth).	Responding appropriately to straightforward questions.	Can add numbers which total up to 50, and subtract	Use given mathematical information including numbers, symbols, simple diagrams and	
To understand organisational markers in short, straight forward texts.	Start using use the first and second letters to sequence words in alphabetical order.	Can identify and extract the main information and detail from short explanations.	numbers from numbers up to 50.	charts.	
Sam will understand the main points in texts.	To use basic punctuation correctly.				

Learning is not limited to the classroom.



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Working towards ASDAN Personal, Social Development		EHCP Outcomes				
(PSD) Certificate qualifications (Year 9-11)		(This will be updated following young people's Annual reviews)				
ASDAN PSD Community Action	ASDAN PSD Environmental Awareness	Communication and interaction	Cognition and learning	Sensory and physical	Social, emotional and mental health	Independence
Young people will produce a	Young people will produce a	All young people's EHCP targets, along with qualification content, will be the golden				
portfolio of evidence to	portfolio of evidence to support	thread through everything that we do with young people in Amber. Lots of this will be				
support his understanding	their understanding of the	taught and developed discretely through sessions such as food technology, sessions in				
of the below objectives,	below objectives, which will be	the community, PSHE sessions and care designed to support learning, such as ELSA				
which will be internally and	internally and externally	(Emotional literacy support) sessions and holistic programmes which support young				
externally moderated.	moderated.	people's sensory needs and regulation to ensure they can be as successful as possible.				
Identify who can give Young people help/advice in school or in his local community Identify a situation where they might need help Demonstrate how to get help in school or in the local community	Identify things that humans do that can spoil the environment Identify an environmental issue which affects his life Say how this issue affect their lives Say what he could do to improve the environment	Young people will follow a bespoke fortnightly timetable, which will enable them to ful the above targets and their qualifications for the future. Young people will have access to lots of opportunities in the community, to develop their functional and life skills required, as well as sessions which support sensory regulation. Young people will also have access to specialist teachers delivering lessons in Music, Pl and computing, as well as separate lessons planned to meet individual needs and outcomes				will have access d life skills ns in Music, PE



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Maths (Year 7)		English (Year 7)		
Fluency	Problem solving	Reading	Writing	
Count forwards and backwards, sort,	Young people will be taught how to	To support reading, young people will	Working on basic letter formation to	
represent and write numbers up to	apply their fluency number skills to	be working on the common exception	ensure legibility.	
100.	worded questions to prove their	words and will be taught names for		
	knowledge.	sounds, along with graphemes and	Young people will develop the	
Partition numbers and write in		phonemes.	application of their phonetic knowledge	
expanded form.	We will be working on how to		of segmenting and blending to apply	
	deconstruct the question to ensure	Young people will be taught to segment	this to spellings.	
Comparing and ordering numbers.	all parts are answered, especially in	and blend to support knowledge and		
	two step and three step questions.	understanding of reading.	Learn to use adjectives and simple	
Counting in multiples of 2,5 and 10s,			linking words in the appropriate way.	
3s.	Young people will be encouraged to	We will be working on understanding of		
	use their phonetic knowledge and	words and texts that they have read,	Ensuring young people are able to write	
Calculations for addition and	work in English to apply this to their	answering comprehension questions	in compound sentences, using common	
subtraction for number with up to 2	reading and understanding of given	about pieces of texts they have	conjunctions.	
digits.	problems.	listened to, making predictions and		
		summaries as we go.	To be able to complete a form asking	
Read, write, compare, order and	Young people will be taught trial and		for personal information (e.g. first	
partition numbers with up to 3 digits.	error methods and when these are		name, surname, address, postcode, age,	
	appropriate to use.		date of birth).	

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Working towards ASDAN Life skills challenges (Year 7)	EHCP Outcomes (This will be updated following young people's Annual reviews)				
ASDAN Life skills	Communication and interaction	Cognition and learning	Sensory and physical	Social, emotional and mental health	Independence
ASDAN life skills challenges will be bespoke to young people, based on interests and strengths. Young people will have autonomy and work with staff to choose challenges that they wish to complete to work to create their bespoke timetable.	All young people's EHCP targets, along with skills young people require for their future, will be the golden thread through everything that we do with young people in Amber. Lots of this will be taught and developed discretely through sessions such as food technology, sessions in the community, PSHE sessions and care designed to support				
Young people will receive certificates of achievement for challenges that they complete and the courses recognise young people's progress in curriculum areas that are important for their future success. The select studies to see the terms	learning, such as ELSA (Emotional literacy support) sessions and holistic programmes which support young people's sensory needs and regulation to ensure they can be as successful as possible.				
their future success. It looks at what young people are able to do and offers more practical teaching and outcomes, rather than a body of knowledge needed.	Young people will follow a bespoke fortnightly timetable, which will enable them to fulfil the above targets and their qualifications for the future. Young people will have access to lots of opportunities in the community, to develop their functional and life skills				
Life skills challenges can be offered in a number of different areas: citizenship, design and technology, English, expressive arts, geography, history, languages, maths, physical education, PSHE, RSE and science, as well as sport and leisure, health and	required, as well as sessions which support sensory regulation. Young people will also have access to specialist teachers delivering lessons in Music, PE and computing, as well as separate lessons planned to meet individual needs and				
social care, hospitality and catering and many others.	outcomes.				

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