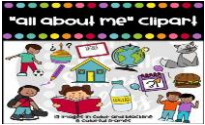






## Half term overview- Amber Class, Leaves Pathway

*This is the curriculum overview for Amber Class for Autumn Term 1. This overview gives you a brief explanation of what the pupils will be doing in school.*

Topic	English	Phonics/ Reading	Maths	Cookery
<p>This Half Term our Topic is `All About Me`. During this topic the pupils will be learning about themselves.</p> <p>The pupils will be exploring and discovering about their appearances, personalities, their likes/dislikes, their emotions and the special people in their lives.</p> <p>The pupils will be learning about why they are special and unique whilst also being provided with opportunities to grow in confidence in a safe and stimulating environment.</p> 	<p>Our story in English this half term is `The Lighthouse Keepers Lunch` by Ronda and David Armitage. The pupils will develop their vocabulary via the challenging vocabulary in the story and applying this by completing character descriptions. Amber class will have a focussed writing lesson every Monday to write their weekend news.</p> <p>The Youtube video link to the story is:  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1evkeM9O3RY">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1evkeM9O3RY</a></p>	<p>The pupils will be developing their phonics` skills in our differentiated groups within the leaves pathway.</p> <p>Due to the current climate pupils will not be taking home reading books. They will continue to read within school, if you could also read with your child at home this will support their reading and comprehension development.</p>  <p>Remember...it doesn't need to be a book your child reads! Ask your child to read the food menu, the signs in the supermarket, the instructions of food tins, road signs...anything!</p>	<p>This half term the pupils will be consolidating and developing their knowledge of number, shape and measure. They will be exploring activities that build their confidence and self belief.</p> <p>They will be working hard to apply their understanding to make, identify and use quantities and shapes.</p> 	<p>In cooking this half term the pupils will be exploring and learning how to taste test and make toast and its accompaniments.</p> <p>Each week the pupils will taste a range of accompaniments; they will explore their dislikes and likes and then create their chosen dish.</p> <p>Week 1- Toast and spread            Week 2- Cheese on Toast            Week 3-Spaghetti/            Beans on Toast.            Week 4-Eggs on Toast            Week 5-Toast Pizza Pockets.            Week 6-Toast Houses.            Week 7 -Toast faces with fruit.</p> 
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Computing</b></p> <p>This Half Term in Computing the pupils will be consolidating and developing their knowledge of how to use technology purposefully to create content.</p> <p>They will also be continuously learning about how to use technology safely.</p> <p>The children will be developing the speed and accuracy of their typing skills.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Expressive Arts</b></p> <p>This Half Term in Expressive Arts the pupils will be exploring dance.</p> <p>The pupils will be creating and mastering their own practical dances demonstrating the ability to create and perform with an awareness of the skills being used.</p>	<p><b>Amber Class Leaves Pathway</b></p> <p><b>All About Me</b></p>  <p><b>Autumn 1 Overview</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Interventions</b></p> <p>The pupils will be taking part in specific and tailored interventions for their personal development.</p> <p>These will include cognition and learning interventions, communication and interaction interventions and social and emotional interventions.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PE</b></p> <p>Every Monday, Amber class will have their PE lesson with John. They will also take part in power walks to build up their stamina. This half term the two areas of focus in PE are coordination and stamina.</p> 