

It's been a jam-packed half term, with exciting trips and special visitors to the school! It's wonderful to see our students fully embracing these opportunities, trying new activities, and stepping outside their comfort zones. We hope everyone enjoys a well-deserved break, and we look forward to welcoming you all back on February 24th.



### Congratulations



We are thrilled to announce that Gracie Pig has proven to be an outstanding mother, just like her mother, Mumma Pig. She recently welcomed our third generation of beautifully bred pedigree Saddleback piglets! The piglets arrived in the early hours of the January 27th, ensuring a bright future for the Bridge Herd.

Thank you to all those that enabled this to happen.



### Rugby Skills



Over the past few weeks we have been lucky to have some sports coaches come into school to give our pupils some focused rugby training. It has been a joy to see them engage in this sport and learn new skills.

A big thank you to Harry and Alex.



### Amazing Artists



This term, we are celebrating our achievements in Art. Through Art, students have the opportunity to collaborate, take responsibility, and develop an appreciation for the world around them.

Art also connects to many other subjects, fostering problem-solving skills and encouraging self-expression. We are incredibly impressed by the creativity of our pupils and their dedication to exploring their artistic talents.



## Work Experience



Two of our Year 11 pupils have been thriving during their work experience at Jack's Farm. Throughout their time there, they assisted an equine dentist and were tasked with building a summer house. They demonstrated great independence and capability throughout their experience. We are incredibly proud of their hard work.

## Developing skills



We have been truly impressed by the enthusiasm our pupils show when embracing new activities, from learning exciting new songs in music to creating wonderful willow crafts. Their willingness to try new things and their creativity continue to impress us!



## Sensory Cinema Experience

Some of our Tommies were invited to explore the world of colours and light during a special session that featured three different films. During the sessions at Malvern Theatre, we learned how to interact with lights in unique and fun ways and develop our creativity. It was wonderful to see all the pupils fully engaged in the experience.

This trip will be open to all pupils, so if your child hasn't had the chance to participate yet, they will be invited after half term.



## Warmest of Welcomes



We are delighted to extend a warm Bridge welcome to Cherry Clarke (left), who has recently joined our school's Governing Body. Additionally, we are excited to welcome Fiona (right) to the Pastoral Team, where she will be providing mentoring to some of our students. We are thrilled to have them both as part of our school community!



### Important dates for your diary:

Half Term Monday 17<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> February 2025

Careers Week - Week beginning 10th March

Comic Relief - 21st March

Bikeability - 31st March - 2nd April

Term last day Friday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2025







# Netball Camp

17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> February  
2025

9.00-3.30pm each day

Indoors @ The Elms School,  
Malvern, WR13 6EF.

£27.50 per day or £49 for 2  
days.



To secure your child's place contact: 07879 779569  
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**SUNDAY AFTERNOONS**  
**1:30 - 2:30PM**

Our academy provides boys & girls aged 5-16 with an opportunity to get active, develop their hockey skills and enjoy the game

Colts Age 5-8  
Juniors Age 9-11  
Youth Age 12-16

£22.50 annual registration fee applies. Shin pads & a gum shield are essential, sticks can be borrowed.

**£6.00**  
per  
session

**We strive to:**

- Develop skilful & creative hockey players
- Improve decision-making & game understanding
- Build self-esteem & teamwork skills

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## Up and coming sports fixtures Basketball Games

25th Feb 1-2pm Tommies BS1 PE group vs Dysons  
27th Feb 1-2pm Sinfields BS2 PE group vs Dysons