



Bridge Business Centre

Sixth Form - Bridge School Malvern Newsletter - Summer - 2025

As we come to the end of the summer term, we would like to thank all of our students for their hard work, not just over the past few months, but throughout the entire year. We hope you enjoy a well-deserved summer break.

To our leavers, we wish you the very best of luck in your next steps. We are proud of everything you have achieved during your time at The Bridge School Sixth Form and look forward to seeing what you go on to do next. Please do keep in touch — we would love to hear how you are getting on.

A Colourful Start to the Summer Term for Art Students



The summer term began with a burst of creativity for our art students, who took part in the *Paint the Streets Festival*. As part of the experience, students explored Worcester City Centre, discovering vibrant street art created by local artists especially for the festival. It was a fantastic opportunity to see urban art up close, gain inspiration, and appreciate the talent within our local community.



A Visit to Bennetts Farm – From Field to Fork

Students recently enjoyed an insightful trip to Bennetts Farm, where they gained first-hand experience of how a working farm operates. From learning about the 'farm to fork' journey to observing the commercial side of agriculture, the visit offered a valuable look into the food production process. Students also had the chance to engage with livestock and explore the wide range of career opportunities within the farming industry.



Say Cheese. A Tasty Trip to Monkland Cheese Dairy

As part of the catering course, a group of students visited Monkland Cheese Dairy for a deliciously educational experience. They had the opportunity to observe the traditional cheese-making process up close and learn more about artisan food production. To top it off, students sampled a variety of freshly made cheeses – a definite highlight of the visit!

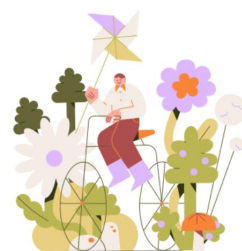
Exploring Opportunities at the Three Counties Show

As always, students thoroughly enjoyed attending the annual Three Counties Show. The event was packed with hands-on activities and provided plenty of opportunities to engage with the public. It also offered a valuable insight into the agricultural, horticultural, and catering industries—helping students explore potential career paths and deepen their understanding of these sectors.



Making a Difference Through Volunteering

Volunteering remains an important part of sixth form life, giving students the chance to support and connect with the local community. In May, a group of students volunteered at Arcos, where they carried out a variety of maintenance and gardening tasks. Their hard work was greatly appreciated, and it was a rewarding experience for all involved.



Creative Expression at the Mosaic Workshop

Later in the term, art students took part in a mosaic workshop, where they had the opportunity to explore their creativity by designing and assembling their own A4 mosaic tiles. Using a variety of coloured and shaped glass and tile pieces, students created unique designs including a horse, turtle, flower, gecko, bird, and butterfly. Once grouted, the finished pieces will be ready for display and celebration.



A Term of Alternative Sports

This summer, students had the chance to try their hand at a new and fast-growing sport – Pickleball. Learning the rules and techniques of this game proved both entertaining and challenging, offering a fresh twist to PE lessons.

Meanwhile, Delta Sports returned to deliver their ever-popular Quidditch sessions. This imaginative, high-energy sport was well received, promoting teamwork, communication, and plenty of active participation.

Team Spirit Shines at Sports Day

On the subject of team building, this year's Sports Day at the Countryside Centre was a great success. With the perfect mix of fun and friendly competition, students embraced the spirit of the day and gave it their all, even in the hot weather. Activities included games on the field, scavenger hunts in the woods, and a well-earned BBQ enjoyed by all.



Wishing Heather All the Best

This July, we say a temporary goodbye to our Art Tutor and EV Coordinator, Heather, as she begins her maternity leave. We wish her all the very best during this exciting time and look forward to meeting the newest addition to her family soon.



Welcome

We're pleased to welcome Helen, who is joining us to teach Art and provide pastoral support. She brings valuable experience and a warm approach, and we're excited to have her as part of the team.



Important dates for your diary:

TE Days Monday 1st and Tuesday 2nd September 2025

Term commences Wednesday 3rd September 2025

Half Term Monday 27th October - Friday 31st October 2025

Last day of term Friday 19th December 2025

