



Newsletter



Welcome to our Winter Newsletter!

As 2025 comes to an end, we would like to acknowledge the efforts of all our students. You have pushed yourselves to try new activities, build relationships and think about your goals for the future. We look forward to seeing what you will all achieve in 2026!



Phone: 01684 353588

Email: enquiries@btgm.co.uk

Address: 7 Edith Walk, Malvern, Worcestershire, WR14 4QH

Our Partners



mable



Skills Builder

Progressing in math skills

2025-26



BTGM News and Updates...



Welcome to Sarah!

We would like to welcome Sarah to the team. Sarah will be working as Kim's PA, supporting with all the paperwork that needs to be done and making sure everything runs smoothly. Sarah has lots of experience and we are looking forward to working with her.

Farewell to Kristi

We're saying goodbye to Kristi, our Administrator. An Administrator does a lot of work in the background making sure TCs have everything they need and handles all the emails, telephone calls and much more. We'd like to thank Kristi for all her hard work at BTGM and we wish her good luck for the future.

Malvern Winter Glow

Students enjoyed a group visit to Winter Glow on the 9th December, and other students have been provided with tickets to visit independently in the run up to Christmas. We hope that everyone who went to Winter Glow had a fantastic time!



Student Activities...

TRY NEW things

Students have been making great progress by exploring new activities, skills and hobbies such as:

- **Cooking sessions**
- **Horse riding lessons**
- **Visiting reindeer at the Cob House**
- **Painting sessions at Greenfingers**





Student Achievements...



Winter Achievements

We would like to acknowledge the following students for their recent achievements...

LO

RS

For stepping outside of your comfort zone to try horse riding!

111

For showing excellent engagement with your driving lessons!

SM

For achieving your Entry Level 2 Maths!

You should all be very proud of yourselves! We have seen fantastic achievements from you, and we hope you can continue working towards your goals.



Transition Coordinator Challenge...



Our challenge this season is to have a go at creating a Christmas craft! This could be decorating a bauble, doing some festive baking or even making your own Christmas cards. TCs will provide everything you need for this. We are excited to see how you get on!

**“We challenge
all students to
try a Christmas
craft!”**

Some students have already completed their challenge (pictured below) and have shown fantastic creativity!



Bridge the Gap Malvern

Tips and Advice...



Worcester Foodbank Christmas Opening Hours
 Unit 7, Lowesmoor Wharf, Worcester, WR1 2RS
 01905 780400

15th, 16th & 17th December: 11.00 - 14.00
 18th December: **Closed**
 19th December: 11.00 - 14.00
 20th & 21st December: **Closed**
 22nd & 23rd December: 11.00 - 14.00
 24th December: 11.00 - 12.30
 25th, 26th, 27th & 28th December: **Closed**
 29th & 30th December: 11.00 - 14.00
 31st December: 11.00 - 12.30
 1st January: **Closed**
 2nd January: 11.00 - 14.00





Mental Health and Wellbeing...

COPING AT CHRISTMAS

The Added Pressures of Christmas can be Tough, but it's Important to know there's always Someone you can Talk to...



Call 111 & select option
2 to speak to the NHS
Mental Health Crisis
Response Service 24/7

Nhs.uk/mental-health



Under 35s can Call 0800
068 4141, Text: 88247 or
Email: [pat@papyrus-
uk.org](mailto:pat@papyrus-uk.org) 24/7

Papyrus-uk.org



Call 116 123 to talk to
Samaritans, or email:
jo@samaritans.org for a
reply within 24 hours

Samaritans.org



Call MIND's Mental Health Helpline 9am to 6pm, Monday to Friday on 0300 102 1234

Mind.org.uk



Text "SHOUT" to 85258
to contact the Shout
Crisis Text Line, or text
"YM" if you're under 19

Giveusashout.org



Mental Health Forum &
Chat for Men from 5pm
- midnight every day Call
or Watsapp 0800 585858

Thecalmzone.net

ChristmasCountdown.uk



Upcoming Dates...

BTGM Term Dates 2025/2026

Autumn 1

Monday 1st September – Friday 24th October

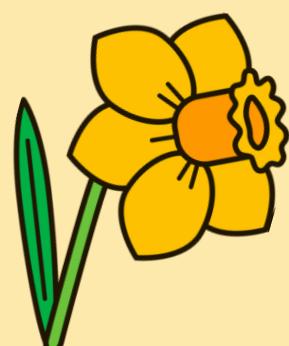


Autumn 2

Monday 3rd November – Friday 19th December

Spring 1

Monday 5th January – Friday 13th February



Spring 2

Monday 23rd February – Friday 27th March

Summer 1

Monday 13th April – Friday 22nd May



Summer 2

Monday 1st June – Friday 31st July