

Twizel News



Autumn Term 1 2025

What we have been doing this term:

This year we welcomed Oscar and Ryan from Love Lane and Skylar, Alex K and Kurt who joined us from Calshot class.

Twizel students have written their own newsletter this term.

English and Maths

English is sometimes more challenging for me than maths, but is a lot more enjoyable as a lesson.

In English, I did alphabetical order with names of things sorting them in correct order.

In Maths, we practised column method sums. I did punctuation for English and commas.

Alex K

Cooking

We cook our own lunch every Monday. Here is Alex G's review of some of our meals:

The spaghetti Carbonara was ok but I don't remember much about it.

The chicken pie was very good. I can't think of anything bad about it.

Our burger was just dry because there were no breadcrumbs to hold the moisture and the sweet potato fries were not good and should've been potato wedges.

Something I want to cook is burritos.



Visit to the Houses of Parliament

Around a week ago, me and my entire class travelled to London, which is the capital of England. (Me and a few other students weren't on time. Someone was spending a few minutes getting a sandwich.)

Over 2 hours of travel, and a few minutes of traffic, we finally made it to the House of Commons.

Although, we were a bit late for the entire tour, so we didn't have much time there. The time we did have was eye-opening.

The tour consisted of King Henry the eighth, his 6 sorry wives, the green and red rooms of the House of Commons, the many kings before and after him and the showing of new laws. Out of everyone, I asked the most questions. I was quite surprised at that revelation.

When we were leaving, I saw a few pictures of English, Scottish, Irish and Welsh saints.

We didn't have much time left and had lunch on the bus.

To summarize, it was pretty good. Kind of wish we had more time though.

Dante

Many thanks must go to Jon for driving us all the way there. He didn't even get the chance to come in with us!



Volunteering at Waterside

My experience at the Waterside was fun. So the head of the Waterside said to me would you like to do some volunteering over the summer and I said yes. My first day of volunteering was great I helped out as much as I could, we played games in the sports hall like volleyball and can we cross the golden river also dodgeball. The second day was good we played a few of more games in the sports hall. Then we went to the park. I had to keep everyone safe and make sure they were in line. And played more games outside. So when it was lunch I had to get everyone back in line for lunch. The third day was not good, lots of the children were being getting mad at each other and it was a nightmare. So when the day was done was glad to go home.

Oscar

I have to mention that Oscar has been nominated for Berkshire Youth's 85th Anniversary "Young Leader of the Year" Award. The award ceremony takes place on October 23rd and Oscar will be compering as well as potentially winning an award!

Newbury College Careers Fair

I attended Newbury college careers fair on October 9th.

National film television school display was really appealing to me so I spoke to a very helpful man about the things they offer they also suggested that I should use unity engine for making games designs which was helpful.

Kurt

Work Placement at Hydro-Dog

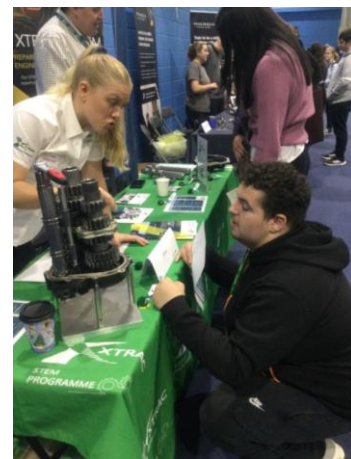
On a Tuesday for my work placement, I go to hydrotherapy and they rehabilitate dogs and cats. They either go in the treadmill or the pool to help their joints in warm water.

Olivia

New Work Placement at 'Bills'.

This term I attended a job interview at Bills restaurant with Louisa for my work experience placement. When I got to Bills at Newbury town centre me and Louisa met the manager called "Alexander" but people call her "Alex". I was a bit nervous when I got there to see Alex. Me and Louisa had a nice chat of what day I'll be working and what time should I be there for. I'll be working on a Monday morning at 9:30 to 11:00. Next Monday I'll be having a tour around Bills I'll be shown where the fire exit is and I'll see the kitchen plus meeting the head chef and the staff in the kitchen.

Joe



Thank you all for your support!
Maryjane, Siân, Ali and Laura

Dates & Points to remember:

Monday 3rd November – Term 2 Starts

Wednesday 19th November – Cinema trip to see IF (more info to follow)

Thursday 27th November – Christmas market in town (more info to follow)

Thursday 4th December – Panto at Newbury Corn Exchange (more info to follow)

Thursday 11th December – Post-16's Got Talent (students only)

Tuesday 16th December – Post 16 Christmas singalong with parents (more info to follow)

Wednesday 17th December – Christmas lunch

Thursday 18th December – Term 2 Ends

Tuesday 6th January 2026 – Term 3 Starts
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