

Special Activities and Achievements

Spring Term 2026

Opportunities to develop Communication – Self Regulation –
Resilience – Independence and Discovery

Treehouse Theatre visit HHS to perform the pantomime of
‘Alice in Wonderland’



To start the new year and the new school term, Hill House had a visit from the Treehouse theatre company

They performed a special interactive version of Alice in Wonderland



The performance was colourful and fun. Everyone enjoyed the music, costumes and drama and the story had a message of kindness which was important

The inclusive approach of the performers was lovely. All of our students had the opportunity to join in and many of them loved their costumes and special part

We were blown away to see some students who had only been at HHS for a short time, feel confident and able to join in, something they never would have had the opportunity to do in the past

It was a lovely way to come together and start the new year and we are looking forward to next year's performance already!



Chinese New Year Celebrations at #HS!



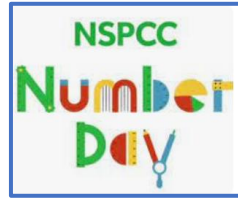
Hill House celebrated the year of the Fire Horse with a whole range of exciting activities
Young people made dragons, musical instruments, masks and decorations throughout
the day

The whole school then came together for a special dragon parade where everyone could
take part

The day was really special and the perfect way to celebrate the start of the Lunar New
Year!



Number Day at Hill House

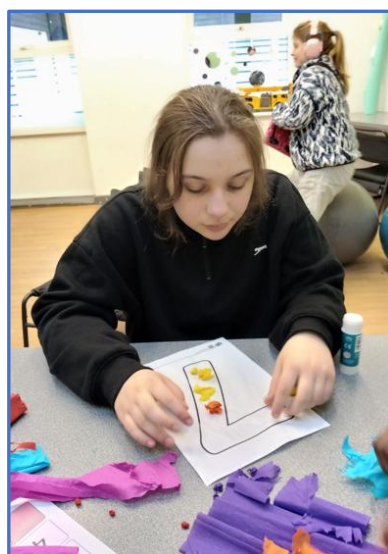
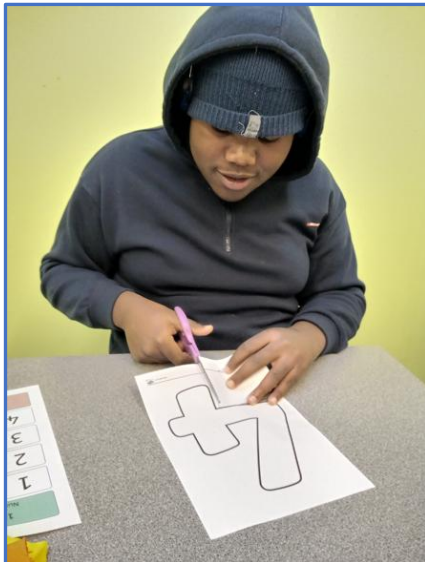


In February Hill House took part in the NSPCC Number Day event

This special day is designed to be maths focused and lots of fun

Young people made number posters, learnt number-based songs and made their own number pattern sequences

A perfect way to make maths fun and to celebrate numbers!



Safer Internet Day 2026



Hill House celebrated **Safer Internet Day 2026**

Over the years, Safer Internet Day has become a landmark event in the online calendar and is now celebrated in approx. 170 countries worldwide

This year the theme was **'Smart Tech, Safe Choices – Exploring the safe and responsible use of AI'**

It was all about exploring the impact of AI and looking at how it can be used for good and giving advice and guidance that empowers people to use AI safely and responsibly

Planned activities took place for everyone to take part in and for us here at HHS, the Safer Internet Day was an opportunity to teach our young people how to stay safe online

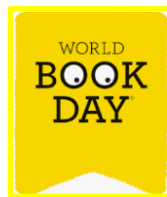




SAFER INTERNET DAY

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World Book Day at Hill House



Hill House celebrated **World Book Day 2026**

Many book related activities took place throughout the day

Students visited the school library where they listened to a range of sensory based stories

A scavenger hunt was set up so that everyone could find the key characters from a book

Workshops provided the chance to make book covers and bookmarks

Everyone also came together to take part in an interactive story telling experience based on the book `Magic Door` There also the opportunity to act out `We're Going on a Bear Hunt` in our woodland area

Many of the students also had the chance to visit their local bookshop to choose one of the World Book Day books and exchange their vouchers

Visits also took place to the local library

The day provided a great opportunity to mark this important and fun event and to promote our love of reading!





Tile Barn

Throughout the Spring term, young people continued to develop their confidence and resilience skills whilst at Tile Barn activity centre

Each week there was an opportunity to go along and take part in activities such as archery, high and low ropes and obstacle courses

The sessions provide a great way to stay fit, conquer fears and discover new and exciting challenges!





Wake Up, Shake Up

Young people from the sixth form have been enjoying starting each day with a `Wake Up, Shake Up` session in the hall run by our Occupational Therapist

Following dance and exercise moves to music has provided an opportunity to keep fit and start the day with a bounce

Much fun and laughter has been had and the sessions have been a great success for all



Easter Egg Hunt



To end the Spring term, an extra special, Easter themed treasure trail took place

Young people helped to make Easter decorations and bunting

They had to count eggs along the trail until they got to 30 which was where they found their own eggs nestled in a tree!

There was even an opportunity to meet the Easter bunny!

