

National Careers Festival 2024 Part 2

The second week of our National Career Festival, has been another busy one. We have had dedicated career assemblies for each year group, talking about careers in classes and providing opportunities for students to engage with employers and apprenticeship providers with presentations from Morrisons, who spoke about Early Careers Opportunities, Huddersfield University – Preparing for University & ASK – Higher & Degree Apprenticeships. All presentations from over the two weeks can be viewed by click [here](#)

To accompany National Careers week, the Careers Team has put together a newsletter packed with valuable information for students, parents & carers providing details on virtual work experience, green careers, transferable skills and much, much more.

What University? & What Career?



Student had the opportunity to meet many of the UK's top uni and employers - including KPMG, University of Cambridge, Get into Teaching, PwC, Cardiff University, NHS, Aston University, BT Group, Newcastle University and many more - to find out about apprenticeships and higher education opportunities.

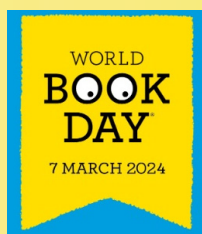
While at the event, students took advantage of the free one-to-one career advice, the option to choose from a packed programme of free talks covering everything from university funding options to acing apprenticeship assessment centres, and take part in a range of interactive activities to help them to take their next steps with confidence.

Thank you to ...

Alison from Aheadpartnership for the fantastic Careers Carousel for our year 8 students today. Such amazing feedback. Thank you also to all those who volunteered their time!

Kelly from WYLPLTD for providing our year 11 students with information on Higher and Degree Apprenticeships this morning!

It was a very busy and informative day.



What a week for World Book Day!

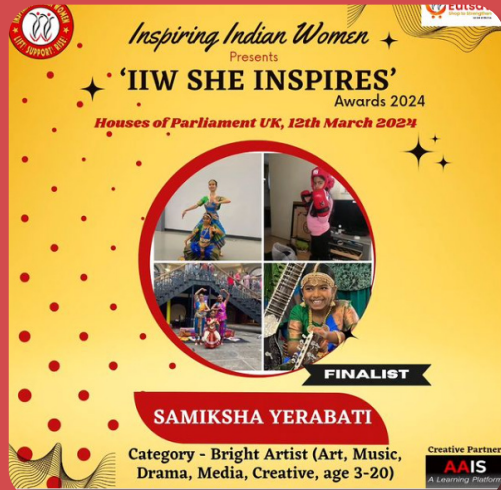
Inspired by World Book Day (Thursday 7 March), we have spent the week celebrating all things literary in true HGS style! We have hosted a wide range of events throughout the week such as: the coveted competition for bookmark designing (winners to be announced next week); Jackanory fire-side reads from staff and students; a whole-school fancy dress catwalk House Competition (with donations in support of the 'Give A Book' charity (<https://giveabook.org.uk/>) - which is dedicated to promoting books and the pleasure of reading, particularly with disadvantaged children and in places such as prisons and schools); and The Case of the Stolen Book Hunt.



To kick the week off, we were visited by a HGS alumna, Nikki Young who gave a talk to all of Year 7, 8 and 9 about her life here at HGS and her inspiration for becoming an author. As an added treat, Year 7 also had a workshop with Nikki, looking at how to be creative in their writing. A fabulous couple of days was had by all.

View the full World Book Day Report by clicking [here](#)

We are proud to announce that Samiksha Yerabati, 7P2, has been nominated as a finalist for 'She Inspires Award' from UK Parliament.



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On Monday 4 March our year 11 Geographers enjoyed a sunny trip to Halifax collecting valuable data for their Human Geography fieldwork the day was a great success they even had time to stop off at the Piece Hall

BULLETIN

Sixth Form Bulletin contains useful information for current and future Sixth Formers [click here](#)

WEEKLY BULLETIN

THIS WEEK

Year 12 - please complete the form regarding Leeds University on slide 13.

Year 13 - Your mock result day is next Wednesday, check out the bulletin to find out more. There are a large number of wide-ranging apprenticeships appearing. Have a look at the bulletin for opportunities to get a degree AND get paid at the same time.

Diary Events

14 March - Year 11 Parents' Evening booking closed today, Friday 8 March, at 18.00 [link here](#)

21 March - Year 13 Parents' Evening opens Monday 11 March details to be emailed home Monday

13 March GCSE/A level Drama Trip - Theatre - Crucible

15 March - **Red Nose Day - Non-Uniform day with a wear red theme. [Click here for full details](#)**

19 March - Eco-committee Green Day- See letter pinged on Classcharts today

Competition



The Eureka
A Limit Less Challenge

Physics Competition - "Can Physics help us solve mysteries?" [click here](#) for details

Intermediate Mathematical Challenge 2024

This year the 179 students entered achieved 32 Gold, 78 Silver and 49 Bronze awards.

In year 10: Gold award winners were Harshith Mavuri, Simrik Bohara, Methuli Perera Kuranage, Siddhartha Mondal, Noel Crowther, Gabriella Green, Riley Fellows, Mesam Hussain, Adam Spence, Vamsi Vakamallu, Benjamin Walshaw, William McIntosh, Shreya Patel, Neo Graham, Leo Tuck, Sanaa Umarji, Vishaka Vijayaruban, Eva Kooiker Berlanga, David Ukaobasi, Anton Birch and Miraya Vyas.

Harshith has qualified for the Hamilton Mathematical Olympiad. Also Simrik, Methuli, Siddhartha, Noel, Gabriella, Riley, Mesam, Adam, Vamsi, Benjamin and William have qualified for the Pink Kangaroo.

In year 9: gold award winners were Kaysan Abdullah, Hafsa Hussain, Shayaan Khan, Arran Forbes, Bhoomi Marathe, Swarit Sahu, Saatchi Shah, Coco Fei Shi, Sree Harsha Veerepalli and Hudson Kitching.

Kaysan, Hafsa, Shayaan and Arran have qualified for the Cayley Mathematical Olympiad. The Grey Kangaroo qualifiers from this year group are the rest of Gold award winners and also Ibrahim Khan, Meghna Menon, Jayanth Anantam, Mazin Murrad Mohammed, Siddhant Mukherjee, Sabrina Tran, Abiudh Anandan, Muaaz Ismail, Ricky Lin and Oluwatobiloba Onigbogi

We had one entry from a year 7 student this year - Yusuf Shah, who not only won a Gold award, but has also qualified for the Cayley Mathematical Olympiad and is joint Best in School with Kaysan Abdullah and Hafsa Hussain.

Only around 1800 students a year qualify for the Cayley and Hamilton Olympiads, so to have 6 qualifiers from HGS is a fantastic achievement.

All Kangaroo and Olympiad competitions will take place in school on Thurs 21 March 2024

Well done to all participants!

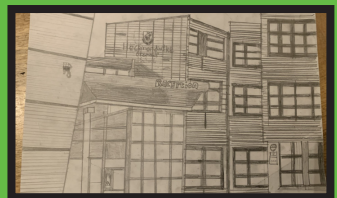


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Art Work



Adis Alisic's 8C1 Pencil drawing of school Reception, great details shown