



# North Hill House School



## North Hill House School

North Hill House School is an independent specialist day school for boys and girls aged 6 to 19 years with a high functioning autistic spectrum disorder and associated needs. The school has been specifically designed to provide an education for young people who need different levels of support to succeed, thus allowing young people to thrive effectively in an ever-demanding and complex society. Our aim is for students to live and work as self-reliant adults and we can support pupils to reach their goals with support, structure and guidance.

The school is set in its own grounds and is only a few minutes from the town centre. This offers opportunities for students to practise social and life skills in the town environment with the support and guidance of staff.

### Our services

- Access to a full national curriculum
- Individually tailored programmes for education, social and personal development
- Continued and ongoing support with learning and life skills
- Links with local employers to provide an extensive work experience programme for pupils
- Opportunities to integrate into community life
- Programmes and strategies designed to assist with anxiety
- A safe, secure and independent living environment



## Case study: Stephen's story

Stephen\* came to North Hill House School in Year 8 with a diagnosis of ASD, ADHD, dyslexia and complex social needs.

Stephen required a highly personalised, multi-agency approach, including significant therapeutic intervention to be able to slowly build trust and to realise that he could thrive in a school for the first time in his life. After many school placements that ended prematurely, Stephen finally began to engage.

Stephen soon realised that the team at North Hill House School would help him through all of the challenges that were ahead of him. Their skills, experience and knowledge of the latest research would help him make progress beyond all expectations.

Stephen successfully completed his studies and left with a range of accreditations. He has now entered post-16 education, studying for a vocational qualification. Stephen has a bespoke support package that further enhances his social and independence skills in preparation for a successful and fulfilled adult life.

\* Name changed to protect student's identity.



**"My son has been at the school for four years and they have worked wonders with my son who struggles with everything young people with Asperger syndrome struggle with.**

**North Hill House School has been brilliant and above all they care. The way they work results in a happy bunch of kids - my son is happy but he wasn't before, they work tirelessly and try different things."**

**Parent of a pupil at North Hill House School**



## Admissions criteria

- Aged between 6 and 19 years
- A diagnosis of an autistic spectrum disorder (ASD)

## Therapeutic approach

- Individual care pathways tailored to personal needs
- Educational psychology
- Educational therapy
- Speech and language therapy
- Counselling
- Art therapy

## Residential provision

North Hill House School has a six bedded residential home, situated in the town of Frome, for individuals who require a 38 week residential provision.

The home offers large communal areas including a snug, dining room, living room and conservatory. Single occupancy bedrooms have access to a combination of shared or en-suite bathrooms.



## Contact us

For information on our specialist education and care services, please contact us today.

**Call: 01373 466 222**

**Email: [placements@aspris.com](mailto:placements@aspris.com)**

**Website: [www.aspriscs.co.uk](http://www.aspriscs.co.uk)**

North Hill House School,  
Fromefield,  
Frome,  
Somerset,  
BA11 2HB

**Aspris** Children's  
Services