

## *The Book of Hopes* - Edited by Katherine Rundell

Read a selection of extracts from the *DIY* section of the book (p320 - 336) and choose one or two follow up activities from the list below. You can choose which extracts to read. Share your work with us on Seesaw.

### Follow up activity for *Perchance to Dream* by Chris Riddell

Look at the pictures on p338-339. Make up your own story to go with these pictures. Think about how the characters feel. What has happened to make them feel this way? Is there anything strange or unusual about the setting shown in the picture?

### Follow up activities for *How to Start a Story* by James Campbell

The author starts the story with the sentence *Once upon a time*. Think about ways to start a story and choose one of these activities.

- What other phrases can you use to start a story? Make a list of common story starters.
- Can you borrow the first sentence of another favourite book and continue the story from there?

### Follow up activity for *Hunters of Hope* by Lissa Evans

In this extract the author gives us little chunks from the beginning of lots of different stories. Choose one of the extracts and continue the story.

### Follow up activity for *My Favourite Game* by Harriet Muncaster

Choose from the following activities linked to this extract -

In this extract the author describes all the things they do in their favourite game.

- Read the descriptions and make some of the things the author describes. Remember to ask an adult for permission before doing activities outside or cooking. Upload pictures of the things you have made to Seesaw. Looking forward to seeing your tiny birth certificates, clothes, birthday cakes, pizzas or notebooks filled with adventures. Have fun and use your imagination!
- Write instructions for your favourite game.
- Write a story about playing your favourite game.

Follow up activity for *The Incredible Instant Joke-Creating Machine* by Susie Day

Use the author's suggestions to write your own jokes. Which ones got the biggest laughs from the other people in your household? Upload them to Seesaw to see if you can make your teacher laugh too. You could use the microphone tool to record yourself telling the joke.

Follow up activity for *Colour In* by Liz Pichon

On p336 there is a mindfulness drawing by Liz Pichon to colour in. You could ask an adult for help to take a screenshot of the image and print it out. Or simply spend some time with your favourite colouring books or making your own zentangles. Have fun and relax! We would love to see your work on Seesaw.