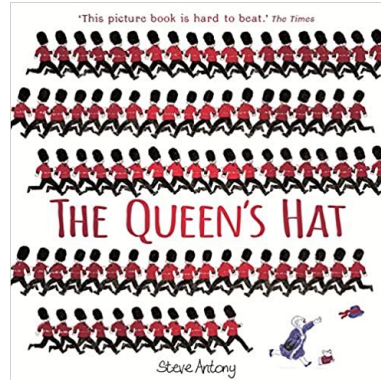


## Year 1 Term 3 Book Warmer

We will be reading these books in class. Use this Book Warmer to help you explore London...



Did you know there are over 30 bridges that cross the River Thames? Can you find out what any of them are called?

See if you can create your own bridge using paper, recycled materials, or building blocks that you can find at home.

Explore some London Landmarks with the GoJetters!



Take a tour of London by scanning this QR code:



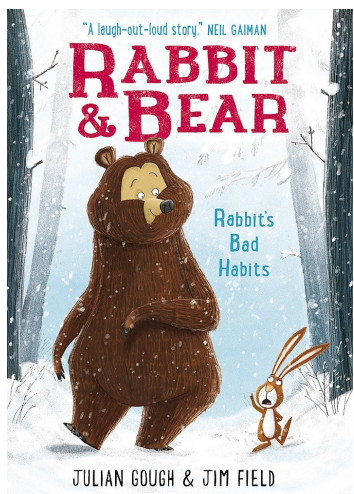
Have you ever been to London before?

We'd love to see any photos you have of your visit!

Use Google Earth to find London and explore...



- Pose like a famous London Building
- Climb aboard an invisible boat and imagine journeying down the River Thames



## Year 2 Term 3 Book Warmer

### Rabbit and Bear

by Julian Gough and Jim Field



Rabbit and Bear is a tale of friendship and working together...

Rabbit and Bear learn to work together.

With a family member, or a friend, can you work together to make some paper planes?

Scan the QR Code for a video that shows you how to make one type:



### Colour the World with Kindness

Watch this video together and then have a chat about how we can help colour the world!



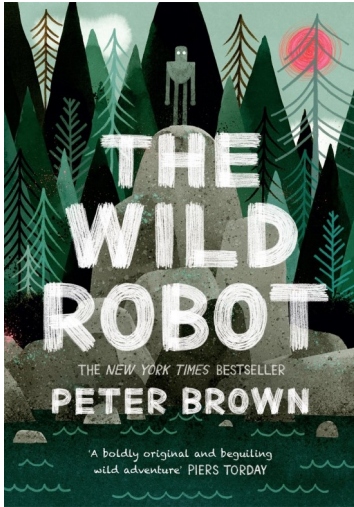
Enjoy sharing time together as a family—perhaps you could read a book together, or even join Pudsey to dance together!



### Key Vocabulary:

**Hibernation** is a way that some animals deal with the harshness of winter. They curl up in a safe place and stay there until winter ends. They barely breathe, and their body temperature is near the freezing mark. In warmer weather they return to their regular activities.





## Year 3 Term 3 Book Warmer

### 'The Wild Robot' by Peter Brown



The Wild Robot by Peter Brown opens up a whole new world with themes of **friendship, family, motherhood, nature vs. technology, bullying, helping others,**

#### Vocab Check

**remote**— *far away in distance, time, or relation; not close:*

Ben grew up in a remote part of Montana. I

It happened in the remote past.

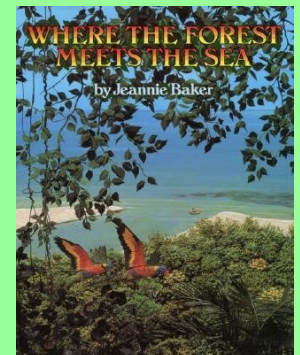
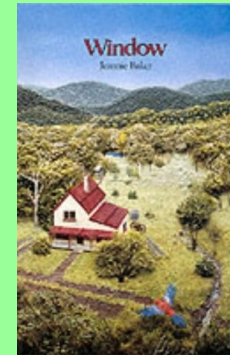
**survive**—*continue to live or exist, especially in spite of danger or hardship*

Against all odds the fox survived

What makes you unique? Watch this video; take time to discuss what makes everybody special and unique in your family. How do you learn from each other? Help each other?



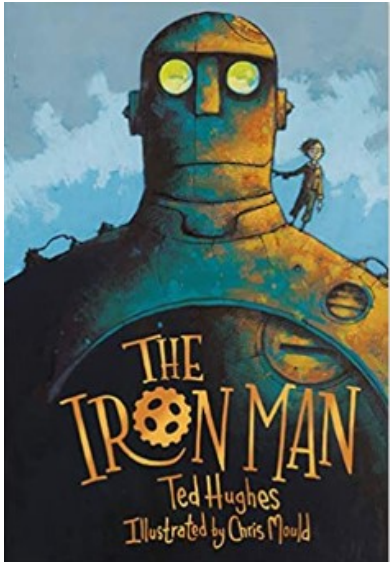
Check out Harry Styles' video for his song 'Treat People with Kindness'. Can you create your own dance to go with this song??



'Window' and 'Where the Forest Meets the Sea' by Jeannie Baker would be great books for you to share together at home. They are picture books which explore the impact that humans can have on the environment and the changes that are happening in our landscapes.







## Year 4 Term 3 Book Warmer

### The Iron Man by Ted Hughes



Have a watch of Scrapheap Challenge with your grown-up to see what else can be found in a scrapheap!



#### Key vocabulary:

Scrap heap: a pile of old, unwanted things, especially pieces of metal.

Using your imagination, can you make your own 'The Iron Man' show, using puppets? You could film it and email it to us—we would love to see your shows!

You could use the pictures on the next page to create your puppet characters.

Scan the QR code to watch the trailer for the film:



Now watch the trailer for the live stage show:



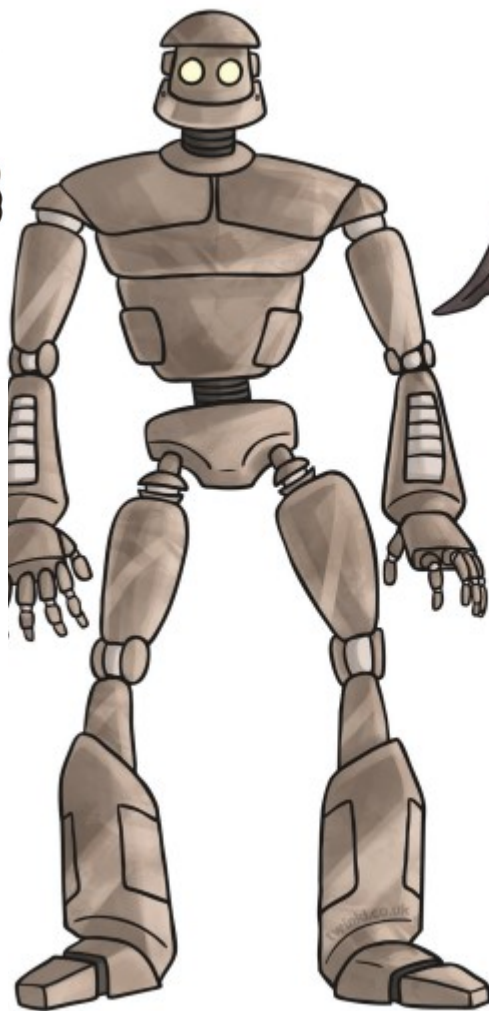
What similarities do you notice? What differences can you find?

Would you rather watch the live stage show or the film? Why?

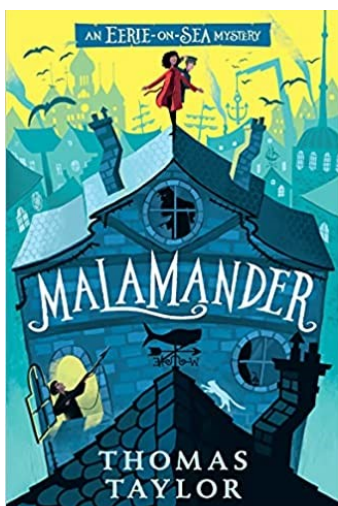


Why don't you have a go at making your own Iron Man out of recycled materials?

Don't forget to bring him in, or email us a photo, we would love to see your creations!

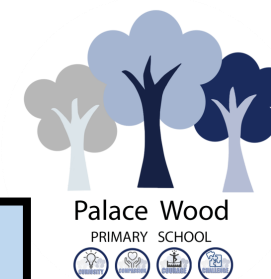






# Year 5 Term 3 Book Warmer Malamander by Thomas Taylor

Family and belonging are themes that emerge throughout the book



Vocab Check:

Eerie—strange and frightening

The Author:  
Thomas Taylor



When reading Malamander in class,  
you will find it useful to know a bit  
more about mist and fog:

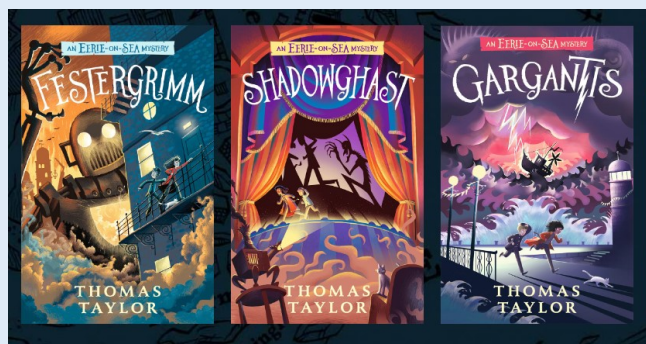


**All Families**  
Are Unique and Special



What makes your family  
unique and special?

The Eerie Mysteries collection  
by Thomas Taylor continues...



A simile is a way to describe  
something by comparing it to  
something else. The two  
things are seemingly different  
but share a characteristic. It is  
important that similes make  
sense to create the correct  
effect.

Can you think of any similes?



## Year 5 Term 3 Book Warmer Malamander by Thomas Taylor



Palace Wood

Thomas Taylor was born in **Norfolk, England** in 1973, but grew up in **Wales**. He attended Norwich Art School in 1991, before going on to specialise in illustration at Anglia University in **Cambridge**, graduating in 1995. After dabbling in Theatre design he decided to concentrate on children's books because he prefers the colours.

Since his first illustration job, the cover for *Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone* (Bloomsbury), Thomas has contributed to and illustrated dozens of books, plus written and illustrated four.

Thomas has recently moved from Cambridge to **Normandy, France** where he lives happily with his beautiful wife Célia and his little son Max. He still illustrates stories for children and loves reading them to his boy.

Can you find these places using Google Earth?

Find out more about how to become an author from the author of 'The Wimpy Kid',

