**Discussion ideas for …**

The No 1 Car Spotter and the Firebird by Atinuke

* + What did you think of all the character’s names? Which was your favourite?
	+ What did you think of No 1’s attempt to frighten the leopard with the catapult? Did you like the solution he found with the hot chilli pepper soup?
	+ Can you think up other types of soup with ingredients that would make it as hot as the hot chilli pepper one?
	+ No 1 used the “cow-rolla” to get the people, including the wedding guests, through the flood. Can you think up any other transport that could have been used for this job? You could design one.
	+ Did you like Mama Coca-Cola’s new house? What did you think of it being turned into a chop-house?
	+ Can you find a recipe for akara? What are the main ingredients?
	+ How excited, on a scale of 1 to 10, do you think No1 would be when he went for a drive with the Professor in his Firebird?