**Discussion ideas for …**

**The Marsh Road Mysteries: Diamonds and Daggers by Elen Caldecott**

* Why do you think Piotr did not want to return to live in Poland? And why do you think Piotr’s dad was so keen to go back there?
* Piotr, Minnie, Andrew, Flora and Sylvie are good friends but they are all very different. Which one was your favourite/least favourite and why?
* While you were reading the story, who did you think the thief was? Did you change your mind as you read more of the book?
* If you could meet any famous person, who would it be and why? Perhaps you have met someone famous already. If so, why not tell the group who it was and what they were like.
* Do you think the group of friends were brave to try to solve the mystery? What would you have done if it was you?