**Activities for…  
The Mystery of the Clockwork Sparrow by Katherine Woodfine**

**Activity 1**

From the beginning of the novel, we realise the importance of newspaper articles for adding significant information. Have a go at creating your own newspaper article. Think about what year it might be, and in which country. Were there any murders or mysteries in your newspaper that day?

**Activity 2**

On page 135, we find out that the note Joe found as a clue was in fact code for important evidence about the crime. See if you can make up your own coded message, then swap with someone and see if they can crack your code!

**Activity 3**

Using a paper plate, numbers and a paper fastener, make and design your very own clock.