**Discussion ideas for …**

**The Midnight Gang by David Walliams**

* Discuss the staff at the hospital. What would you trust about them and what do you like or not like about them? Are they typical doctors and nurses?
* Talk about the porter and his role in helping the Midnight Gang with their wishes.
* Raj is a patient in the hospital in this book. He appears in almost all of the David Walliams books. What do you think are the challenges for an author of putting the same character in all of their books?
* The porter and Tom have both had sad and lonely lives up to a point. Although they have had very different upbringings, discuss where there have been similarities.
* What did you think of the ways in which Tom and the porter put together Sally’s dream? Which bit did you like best?