**Discussion ideas for …**

**Future Ratboy and the Attack of the Killer Robot Grannies by Jim Smith**

* Colin throws his popcorn in the air as the lightning flashes and then dives into the green wheelie bin, both things he always wanted to do. What strange things would you like to do?
* Colin wakes up “millions of years later” to find robots in his house. Discuss what changes to everyday life might happen in the future.
* Discuss all the different characters, Colin “Ratboy” meets. Who do you like? What features that they have do you think you would like to have and how could they be useful?
* What do you think are the differences between real grannies and robot grannies?
* “There’s no school in the future!” (page 252). Discuss what you think of that idea.