**Discussion ideas for …**

**Cloud Boy by Marcia Williams**

* Why do you think that the author, Marcia Williams, decided to make this novel like a diary? What would have been different about it if she had decided to turn the story into a traditional chapter book?
* Now that you have read the story, can you see what the illustrator is trying to portray on the front cover? Did you know from the cover what the story would be about before you read it?
* Re-read pages 74-75 and discuss the different emotions that Angie and Harry might be feeling. Why does Angie say that she hates Harry and why do you think that Harry says he has “unfriended” Angie? Do you think they mean it?
* Discuss in your group how this book made you feel. Is it a book you would normally have chosen to read? What were the highs and lows for you?