

ENGLISH Learn at Home packs: Year 5, Week 2

The 'timetable' for this week's teaching and learning is as follows

- **Day 1** – Children read and listen to the poem: *What do you want to be?* They reflect on the poem and write to the poet.
- **Day 2** – Children read poems on the theme of keeping on. They answer comprehension questions and choose quotations from the poems.
- **Day 3** – Children read the poem: *Hold Fast to Your Dreams*. They revise metaphors and similes. *You may wish to provide some further explanation of these*. They plan and write a new poem with a similar theme.
- **Day 4** – Using the PowerPoint presentation on modal verbs. If children can access this PowerPoint, they will hear the voice-over teaching. Children re-read *What do you want to be?* They search for modal verbs and write sentences about their future using modal verbs.
- **Day 5** – Children read and join in with *What do you want to be?* They use a frame to plan and write a new version of the poem and prepare a performance of their poem.

Summary of content

Day 1 – Read and reflect on a poem performed by the poet.

Day 2 – Read poems on a theme and answer comprehension questions.

Day 3 – Read a poem. Revise metaphors. Write a poem.

Day 4 – Analyse a performance. Revise modal verbs. Write sentences choosing and using modal verbs.

Day 5 – Join in with a familiar poem. Write and perform a new version.