

## Extended Learning Activities



### What will you choose to do?

- Use online sources to research and create a timeline of Native American history. Decide which events are most important, and write a caption to go with each date, explaining what happened.
- Native American symbols can vary in meaning from one tribe to another and across different regions. Symbols were used for a variety of reasons and are depicted on numerous objects. What can you find out about this mysterious language?
- Find out about the Battle of the Little Bighorn. Why is it such an important historic event?
- There have been many U.S. presidents over the last 100 years. How many can you find? Write a short biography about one of them.
- Write a speech for a tribal chief to make to his tribe. It could be to get them ready to fight against another tribe or to announce a forthcoming marriage.
- Create an advertisement to sell the cupboard that makes toys come to life in the story *The Indian in the Cupboard* by Lynne Reid Banks.
- Make a playlist of different American songs you could listen to on your road trip. Make sure you include songs from a range of genres, such as blues, jazz, country, rock, hip hop and rock and roll.
- Help prepare a United States-themed evening meal by writing a shopping list for parents and carers. Report back to others using video or photographic evidence. What did you have to eat?
- Design and make a Chief's Headdress; Have a go at making some Native American jewellery; Draw or make Native American homes or design your own totem pole.

### YOU CHOOSE!

But please complete 1 piece of work each week.

The final (6) pieces of work is due in on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October.