

Hello again Class 4!

Today's task involves reading Chapter 1 of Kensuke's Kingdom, which is saved in the resources folder on the website. You can choose to read this chapter independently or with an adult.

After reading the chapter, list reasons why Michael and his family should stay at home. List reasons why they should go and travel thinking of the benefits for each.

After you've briefly listed reasons for and against travelling, I would like you to imagine you are Michael and write a short letter to your mum either trying to persuade the family to stay at home or to travel. Give reasons linked to the ideas in Chapter 1.

Challenge –

Can you include capital letters and full stops?

Reasons for staying at home:

- It may be safer
- Michael's education at school is important

(Can you continue this list?)

Reasons for travelling:

- It is exciting
- Michael could learn new things out at sea

(Can you continue this list?)

Example letter :

Dear Mum,

I think it would be a fantastic idea to travel on the Peggy Sue! It'll be a life experience and an interesting adventure.

(Can you continue this letter?)

---

---

---

---

