

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2025

Dear Families,

Wells Festival of Literature: Wednesday 22nd October 2025

The Education Team at the Wells Festival of Literature have invited Elder and Willow Classes to hear the author, Sam Sedgman, talk about his life as an author and his new book *The Forbidden Atlas*.

This event will take place on Wednesday 22nd October at Cedars Hall, Wells. Children will depart after the register and be back at school for lunch. We are very grateful to Wells Festival of Literature for fully funding the transport and the event.

**Please ensure children are not late for school as we will be leaving promptly at 9am**

During the morning there will be an opportunity to meet the author and to buy signed copies of Sam Sedgman's books. There will be five titles for the children to choose from including the author's new book, *The Forbidden Atlas*. All the fiction books are available to buy at the much-reduced price of £2 (RRP £7.99) and the larger non-fiction at £3 and £5. The Literature Festival are only able to sell books at these prices by significantly subsidising the cost, for which we are very grateful.

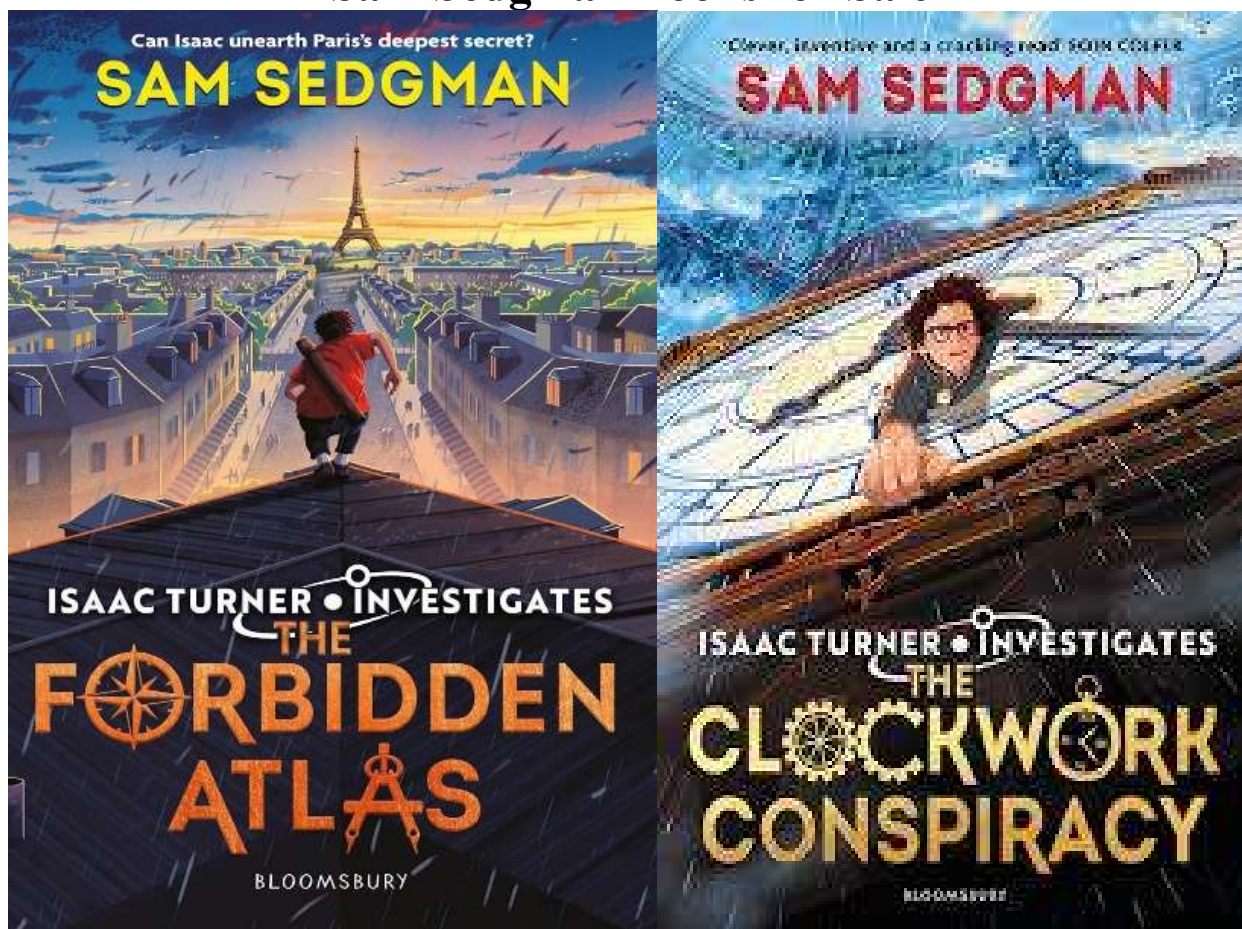
The book titles and a description of the stories are on the next page.

Please ensure your child has the money for any book purchases with them on the day in a named secure purse or wallet and handed to a teacher on arrival to school. The Education Team at Wells Festival of Literature organise all the book sales and whilst they endeavour to have all the titles available on the day this may not always be possible. However, they are able to order more copies and deliver them to school within a few days. Please rest assured that there is no pressure to make a purchase.

Kind Regards,

Laura Constanza  
Headteacher

## Sam Sedgman Books for Sale



Sam will be talking about his new book *The Forbidden Atlas*. Both the above are exciting standalone adventures featuring aspiring inventor Issac Turner. Wells Festival of Literature £2 (RRP £7.99)



*The Highland Falcon Thief* is the first book in a mystery series that Sam wrote with MG Leonard. Wells Festival of Literature £2

*Epic Adventures* (WFL £3 RRP £10.99) and *Epic Cities* (WFL £5 RRP £14.99) are both non-fiction books, the first takes you on a whistle stop tour of the world's most incredible railway journeys. The second visits the world's most spectacular cities.