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**JUNE 20  
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and TRAVELLER  
HISTORY MONTH**

**[gypsy-traveller.org/grthm](http://gypsy-traveller.org/grthm)**

# Take part in our Gypsy, Roma and Traveller History Month competition

This year, we are asking people across the UK to consider 'What Makes a Home' for Gypsy, Roma and Traveller people and their ancestors.

For schools and teachers, this might mean considering whether Gypsy, Roma and Traveller students will feel at home in your classroom - have you taught your class about the diverse histories, cultures and present realities for Gypsy, Roma and Traveller people?

We're asking schools and individual students to submit a piece of art, a poem, a short story (less than 500 words) or a video (less than 3 mins) on the theme of 'What Makes A Home'?

If your school enters a group submission, you can win book vouchers to the value of £100 for first prize and £50 for second prize. If an individual shares their own submission, they could win a £50 voucher for first prize and £25 for second prize.

## Here are some questions to inspire your submissions

- ▶ Why is it good to celebrate each other's differences?
- ▶ How can you make a place feel like home?
- ▶ What makes your classroom feel like a safe, welcoming and happy environment for everyone?
- ▶ What do you think of when you think of home? Is it pets, family, toys?
- ▶ How do you make people feel welcome in your classroom?
- ▶ Build an imaginary home, what would it look like, who would you invite in?

Please share your submissions with Lucy Hetherington at Friends, Families and Travellers using [events@gypsy-traveller.org](mailto:events@gypsy-traveller.org) before 8th July.

**We will announce the winners in August. Good luck!**