

## *Kedou Travels the World*



**Kedou** loves to travel! Meet some of his friends from around the world and make some new friends too!

One fine morning, Kedou was cleaning his room when a photo fell out of his book. It was a picture of his dear friend Panda. Looking at the familiar black eyes and paws, Kedou remembered how he met Panda... when his hot-air balloon landed not so gently in a clump of bamboo, near the city of Chengdu, China.

Oh, what adventures they had together! Of course, they had to visit the **Forbidden City** in **Beijing** where Kedou learnt about **China** and had great fun pretending to be an emperor!

How about that time when they searched for gold in the **Inca** ruins in **South America**, and spent nearly a day coaxing Llama to move. But Kedou was always good at making new friends, and soon they were exploring the country together. Llama was quite sorry to say goodbye to Kedou.

Kedou soon became good friends with Llama's cousin in **Africa**, Camel. Camel shakes his head in amusement, whenever Kedou takes a ride on his back... he looks so small perched up so high! But doesn't he look dashing in his little Bedouin costume? Such fun they had, combing the **pyramids** in **Egypt**.

Just as much as Kedou loves the sand and forest, he also loves to be close to water. Doesn't he look so cool, surfing the waves in **Hawaii**? Panda refused to budge from his sun-bathing spot on the beach, but in **Venice**, he certainly didn't mind being rowed down the **Grand Canal** in a gondola..... though next time, he'll remember to bring some ear-muffs whenever Kedou decides to sing!

Speaking of singing, Kedou toured some of the famous arts centres in the world, like the **Sydney Opera House** in **Australia**. He got a little lost and homesick in **New York** but nothing keeps the little bear down for long. He was quite the cutest Beefeater guard in **London** and **what do you think of his re-decoration plans for the Eiffel Tower in Paris?**

My goodness! What else did Kedou do, you ask? Well... what about the pretty girls he made friends with in **India** and **Japan**? And how he out-danced the **Cossacks** in **Moscow**? **What stories can you make up for him?**

Kedou always wanted to meet other polar bears just like him. So he went to **Canada** where he learnt from his **Eskimo** friend Inuki, how to fish from a ice-hole. It was quite cold sitting on the ice!

Brrr! Kedou chuckles as far from being cold, he's in one of the warmest places in the world – **Singapore**. After all those adventures, it was time to come home to his family – his brothers (wudswufs, tennyson and byron), Fefe and Meme. Look at all the presents he's got for them! Hey, Kedou has 3 brothers just like him? Well, not quite like him, but that's another story altogether!

Did you like Kedou's adventures? **Help him find his way around the world** – you can follow some of the paw prints he's left behind, but for some places, you have to help him by laying his paw print stickers. Match his postcards with the famous landmarks on the map. Where would you start from, and what route would you take? **What would your story be**, if you went to those places?

**Go on, have fun exploring the world.** Remember Kedou's fashion sense – it's seldom wrong in giving you a clue as to where he has been.

