

Soar, by Alyce Tzue.



<https://youtu.be/UUlaseGrkLc>

Every afternoon, Jane, a 9 year old girl from Virginia, spent long hours reading about planes. She loved them, her father was a pilot, he taught her a lot about them. She learned and created one of her own. She called it: "Star".

One day, she opened a box and took her plane out; she held it high up and made it fly but it fell to the ground. She felt sad, frustrated. Jane sat under a tree, looking at the plan she had made to find where the mistake was, when suddenly, a miniature aeroplane landed on the table and a little boy appeared. He carried a bag with him, he was scared of Jane.

Jane was surprised! Both of them were shocked, looking at each other. The girl tried to help the boy fix the plane, one time, two times, but they didn't succeed. They both felt worried.

Only then, Jane had an idea; she used her plane plans to help the small airplane fly, and it worked!

The little plane soared; it flew up very high in the sky, then, the boy opened the bag, and took out the brightest star ever seen, and hung it up in the blue sky; then he turned around, looked at her friend Jane and waved goodbye.

a) Read the text below and fill in the gaps with the verbs from the box.

landed	opened	appeared	carried
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b) Read the sentences and click on the right answer:

1. Jane's father was a :

Journalist

Nurse

Pilot

Police officer

2. She opened a _____ and took her _____ out.

Door

hand

box

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plane

doll

star

3. A _____ aeroplane landed on the table and a little boy appeared. He carried a _____ with him, he was scared of Jane.

Miniature

small

tiny

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flower

jacket

bag

c) Read the text and fill in with the missing words.

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tried

surprised

used

and it worked

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