

WRITING

4 Order the sentences A–J to complete the description of a personal challenge.

My Personal Challenge

I've always dreamed about jumping out of a plane and floating down to Earth like a bird.

- A In the end, although I was still shaking, I got on the plane, sat down and waited. The instructor talked to me all the time and before I knew it, we were in the air.
- B I gasped and started shaking violently. At first, I thought it was impossible to achieve, but lots of people had promised to give money to the charity if I jumped, so I had to do it.
- C I regularly jump out of planes and I'm thinking of becoming a pilot so that I can take other people up for the experience.
- D I thought I could control my nerves but, when I arrived at the airfield and saw how small the plane was,
- E The experience has made me much more confident.
- F In fact, I'm not afraid of flying at all now.
- G I gradually felt less anxious and then we jumped. It was really amazing.
- H I first realised this when we were going on a family holiday to Italy when I was eight. I refused to get on the plane and my family had to cancel the holiday.
- I I heard about this charity sky-diving challenge from a work colleague and decided to do it as I wanted to raise money for poor children.
- J The problem was, I was scared of flying.