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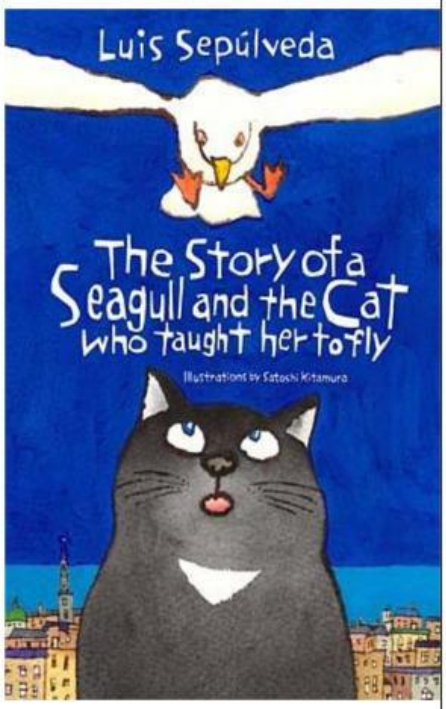
PROJECT WORK

The Story of a Seagull and the Cat who taught her to fly

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I Read the following review and complete the text with the words in the box. Check the glossary.

A SEAGULL, A CAT, A MISSION



This wonderful story of **1**_____, friendship and honour begins with death and a **2** _____. A seagull, a **3** _____ called Kengah, lands on a balcony in Hamburg where she meets **4** _____, a fat black cat. She is covered in **5** _____; she is dying. She lays her **6** _____ egg and makes him **7** _____ her three things: to look after the egg, not to eat the chick and to teach it how to **8** _____.

Zorba agrees but he is unsure how to do all those things. With the help of his cat friends, he never gives up. The chick **9** _____ and the cats name it **10** _____.

One day, the cats' **11** _____, Great Big Rat, captures Lucky. With a clever trick they rescue Lucky from the rats. With the help of the cats and a human, they finally **12** _____ Lucky to fly.

In an emotional finale, Lucky says goodbye to her **13** _____ family and joins a flock of seagulls. This interspecies story, by **14** _____ author Luís Sepúlveda, is tragic (environmental destruction caused by humans) but it is also about family, learning to believe in **15** _____ and accepting **16** _____ who are different.

LUCKY

FLY

ADOPTIVE

OTHERS

ENEMY

CHILEAN

PROMISE 2X

SURVIVES

YOURSELF

ZORBA

LOVE

PETROL

TEACH

FINAL

FEMALE

GLOSSARY

1 death ▫ *morte*
2 to land ▫ *pousar*
3 covered ▫ coberta (em petróleo)
4 egg ▫ *ovo*
5 chick ▫ *pinto*
6 unsure ▫ *não tem a certeza*
7 flock ▫ *bando (de gaivotas)*
8 others ▫ *outros*

LIVEWORKSHEETS