

A young girl with a large, voluminous afro hairstyle is looking upwards with a hopeful expression. The sky around her is filled with numerous birds in flight, creating a sense of freedom and aspiration. The lighting is warm and golden, suggesting a sunset or sunrise. A white rectangular box is overlaid on the center of the image, containing the text "Flying High" in a bold, black, sans-serif font.

Flying High

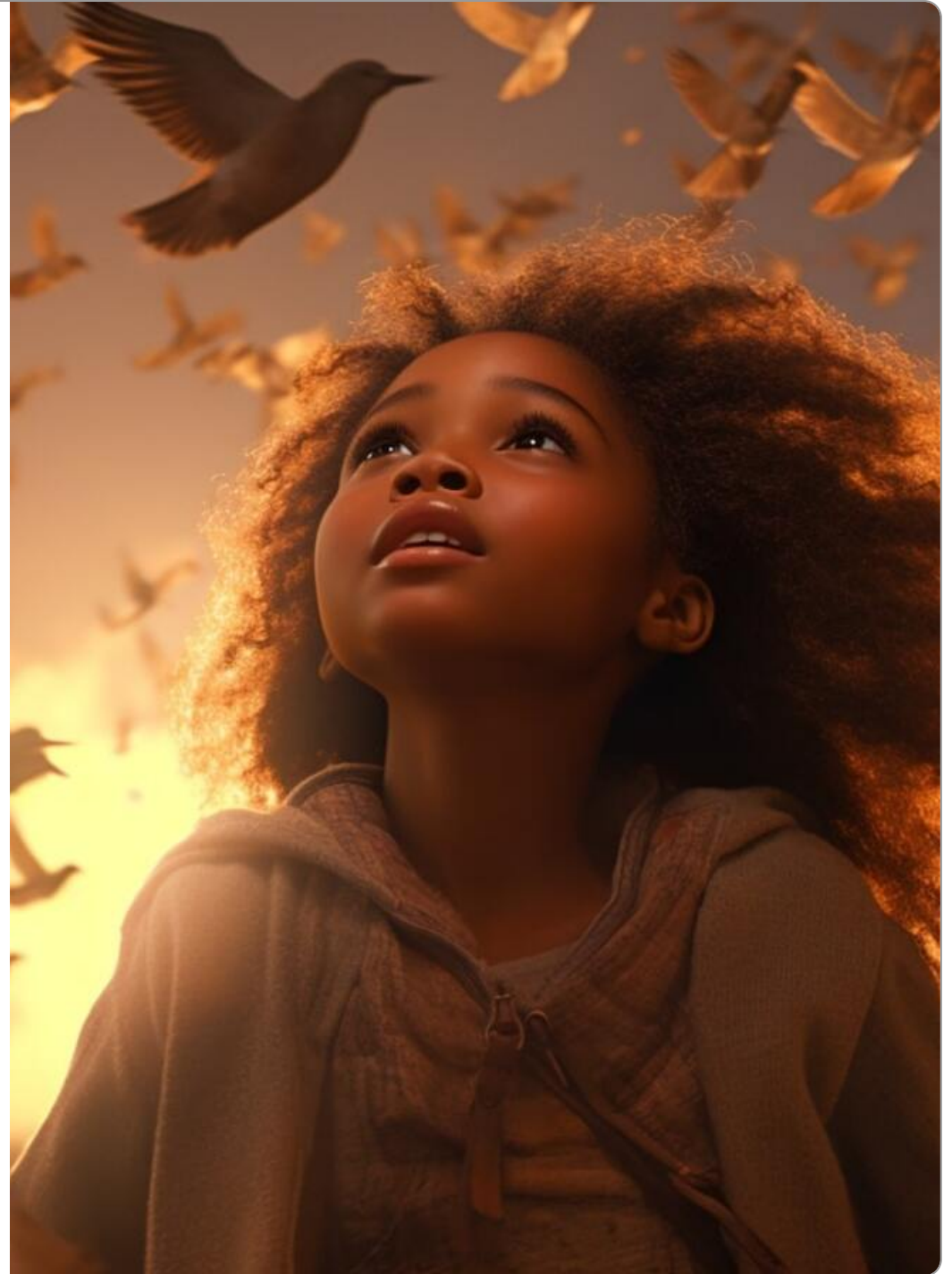
**Tasks based on
'Flying High'**



Story starter

She had spent so long with only the birds for company. Mesmerised by their beauty, Jada would gaze at them for hours on end, in awe of their weightlessness as they fluttered their wings and rose up; free from confines. Perhaps it was because she had watched them so carefully. Perhaps it was because she had wished hard to be as free as they looked. She wasn't sure why, but one day Jada rose with the birds as they flew. Little did she know what would happen to her next...

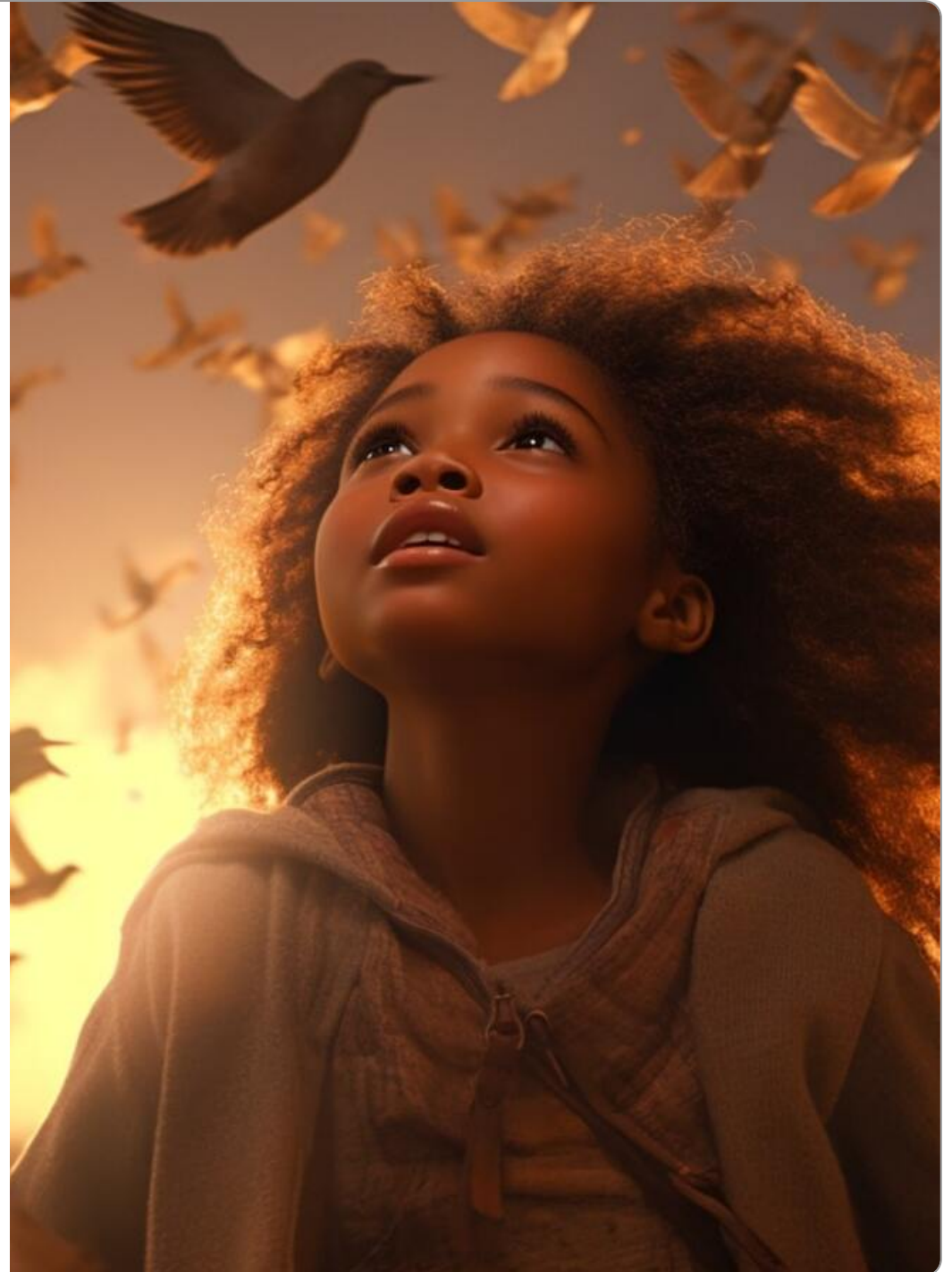
Continue the story.



Sentence starters

Use these sentence starters to write your own sentence or paragraph.

1. She gazed at...
2. All around her, she could see...
3. Slowly, she began to...



Word bank

floating

lifting

flying

gliding

fluttering

amazement

gasp

together

rising

delighted

feelings

skyline

Question time

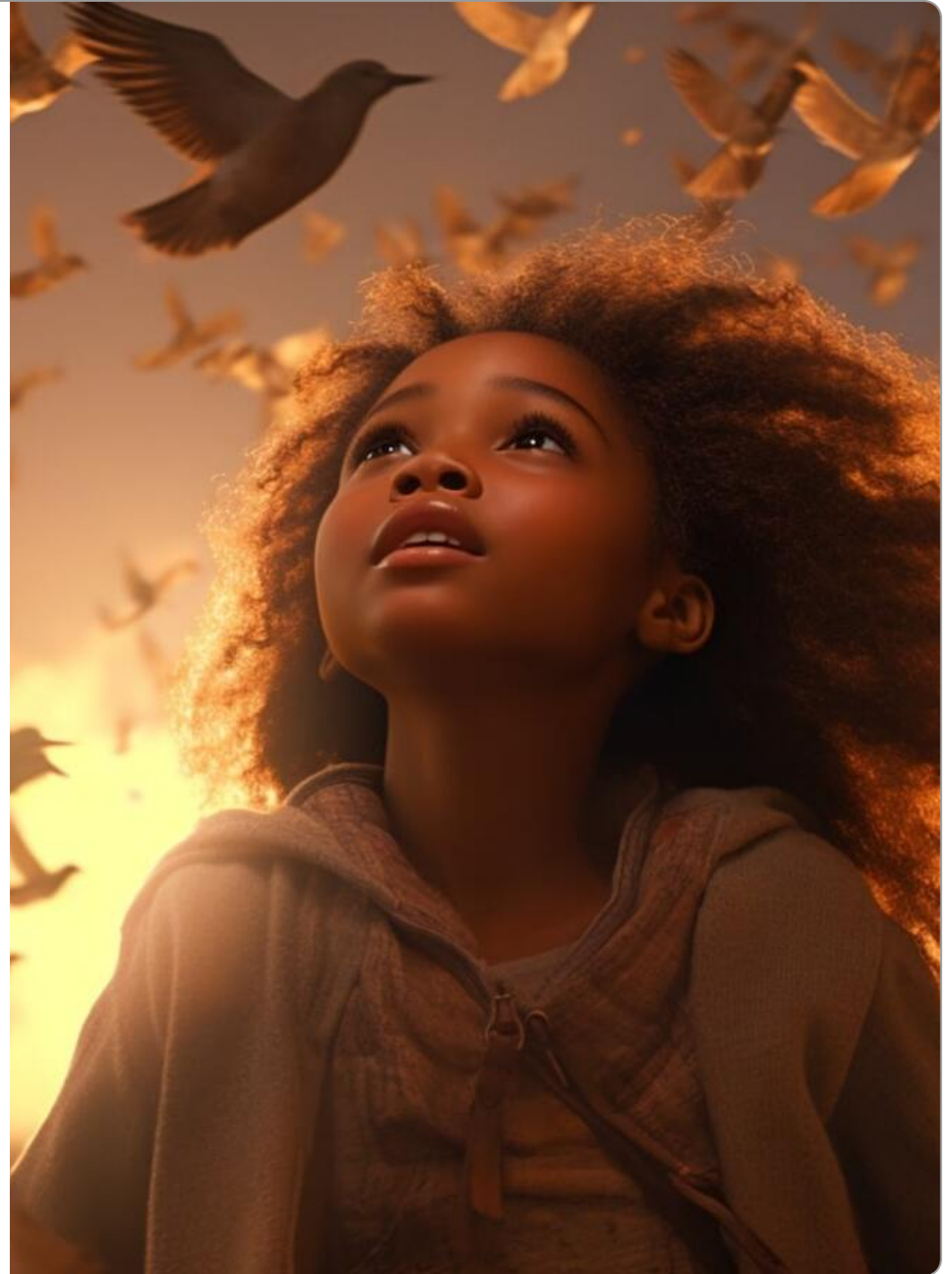
- Why do you think Jada had spent so long with only the birds for company?
- What led to her being outside with the birds?
- How would you feel if you were Jada and one day you began to fly?
- What happens next to Jada and the birds?



Sentence challenge

Try and make these sentences even more interesting.

1. The birds were free.
2. Jada began to fly with the birds.
3. She felt happy.



Punctuation challenge

Add the missing punctuation to these sentences.

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