



Paulo the Pilot



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“Have you been flying? Paulo always loved flying. When he was young, he watched things that could fly, and he liked to make things fly. When he learned to be a pilot, he always wanted to go higher and higher.”



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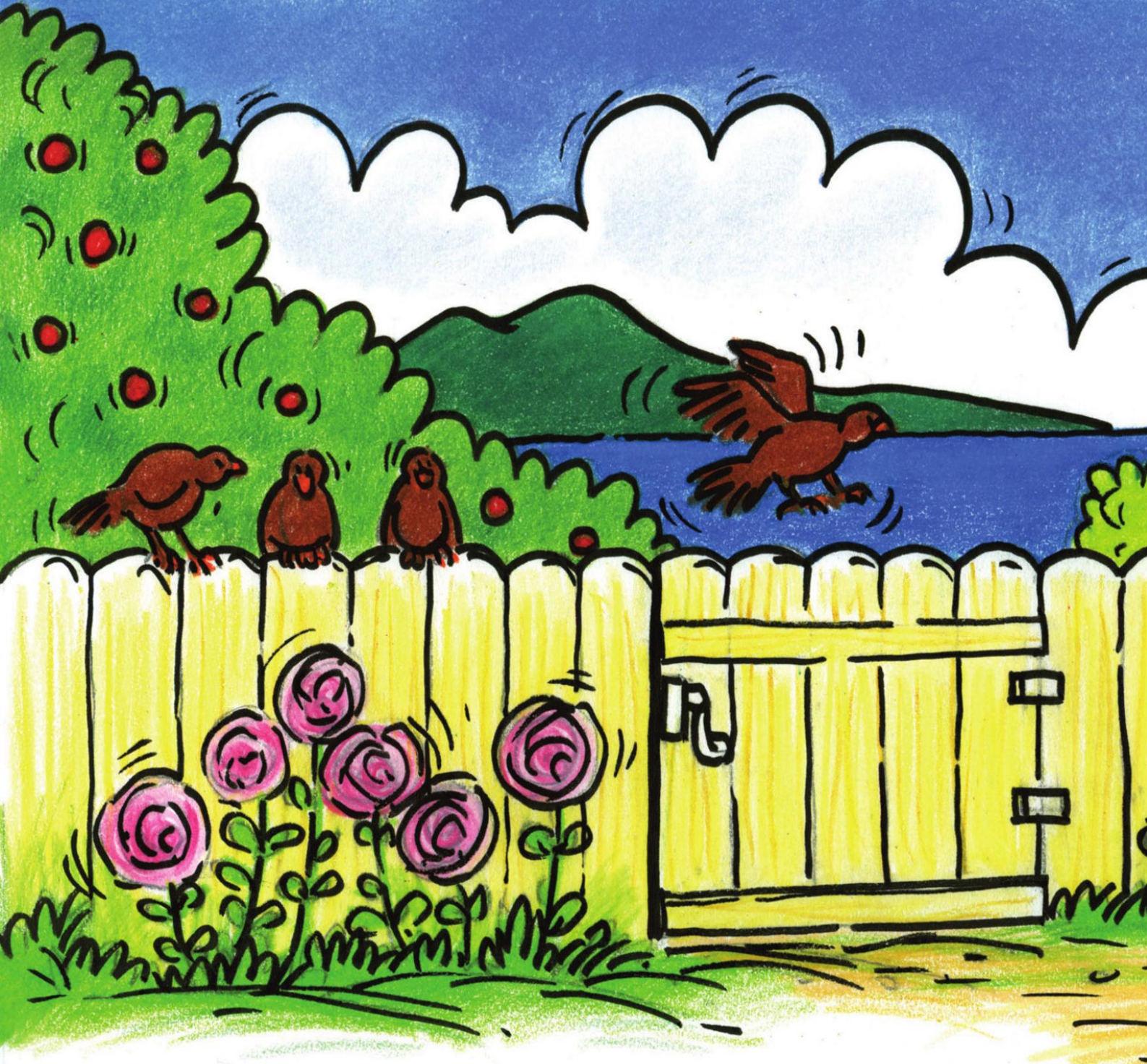
- Focus on punctuation for direct speech.
- Use commas to aid phrasing and fluency.
- Discuss compound words: **around myself away**
- Locate suffixes throughout text: **-ed -ing -er**
- Develop visual discrimination: **watched/wanted**
- Expand vocabulary with rhymes, suffixes, etc (back cover).
- Promote drama, writing or art as follow-up activities.
- Find learning resources to extend and reinforce the literacy strategies in this title @ redrocketreaders.com

Word Count = 273

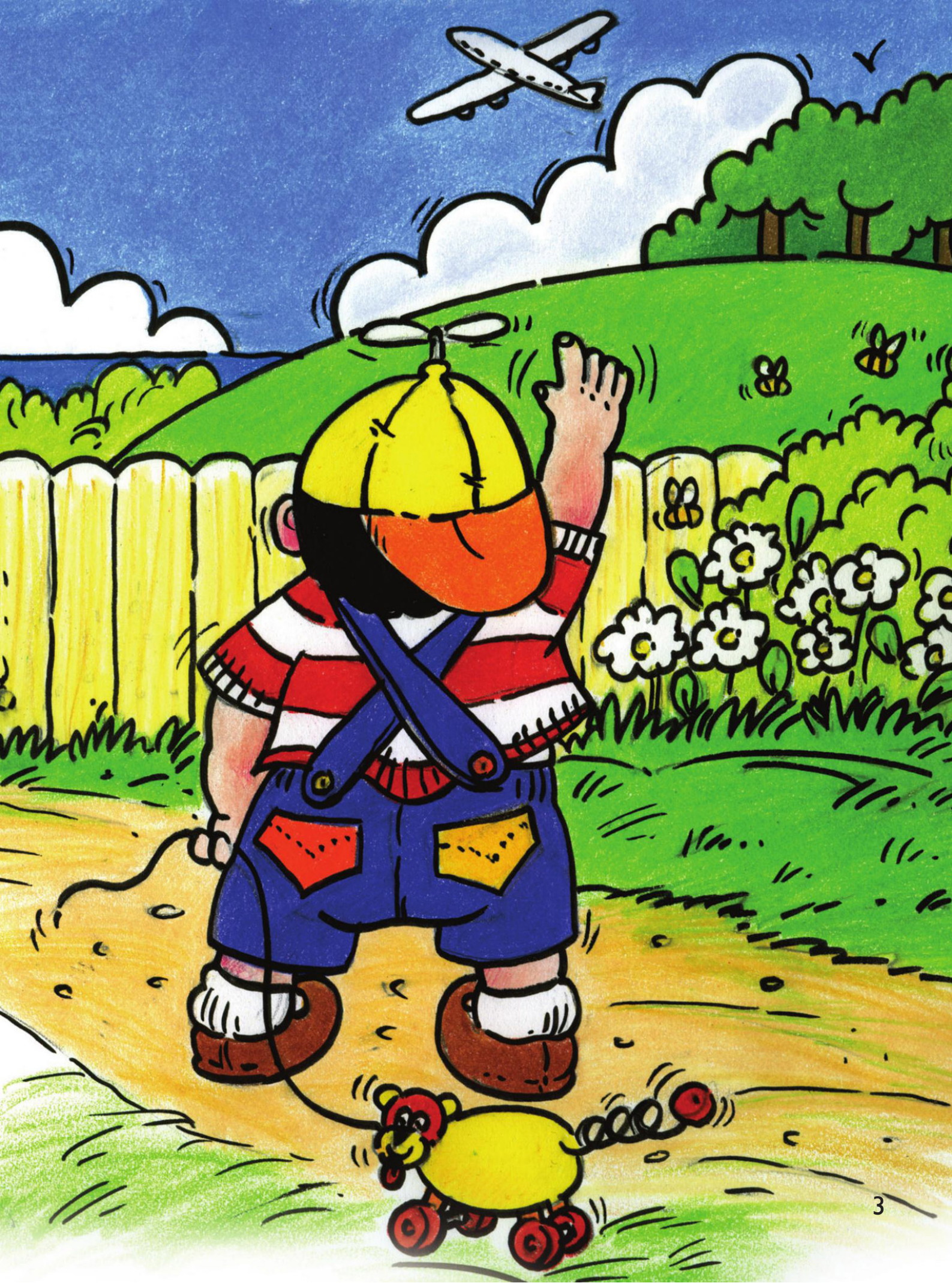
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When Paulo was a little boy,
he watched the birds flying.
He wanted to fly like them.
He saw planes flying high in the sky.
"I want to fly like that!" he said.





Dad gave Paulo a toy plane to fly around the garden.
"I want to fly like that!" he said.

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