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The greatest height we reached, 4000m above sea level. I couldn't stop myself looking around through the canopy: the beautiful hills, the reservoirs, the clouds. It felt like being reincarnated into a bird.

I felt the nervousness in my first launch, I could feel the sweat on my forehead but as soon as we released the cable and the wings were level, the view was amazing and I was in control. Learning to drive the tractor was the best part, the excitement in going to collect the gliders was there every single time and watching the glider come into land while driving the tractor felt incredible.

I want to thank The Honourable Company of Air Pilots to give me the opportunity to get in the air for the first time having control of an aircraft, it was truly inspiring.

I want to thank Dave for being an amazing instructor and teaching me so much in such a small period of time I truly admire what HCAP are doing in helping youngsters like me to fulfil their dreams and give them such an amazing experience.

