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1 Title of Effect Video

Daddy, I Miss You!

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3 The Effect

A paper airplane sends message oversea to fulfill a little girl wish.

3.1 Effects

- The paper airplane transforms into a miniature airplane after the girl throws it out of the window.
- The miniature airplane flies over ocean and battles a few thunderstorms.
- Before the miniature airplane has reached its destination and it transforms back into a paper airplane.

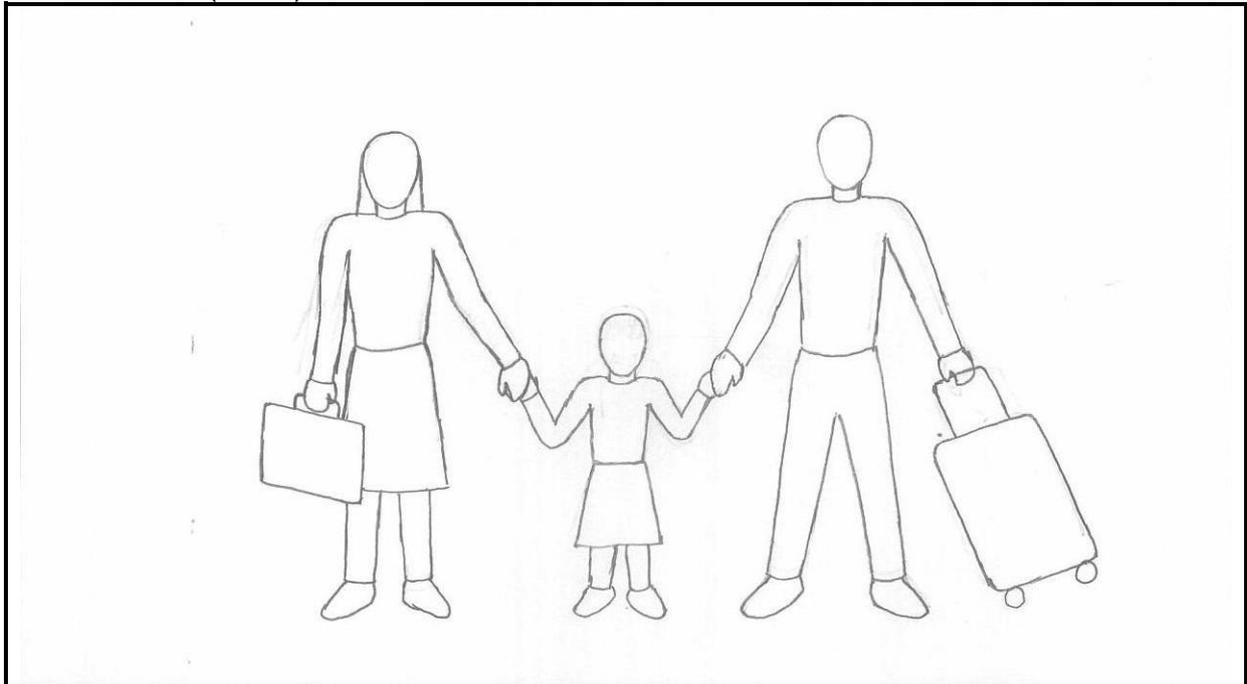
4 The Story

Five-year-old Winnie has always been close to her father. Due to work commitment, he has to travel overseas for three months. Before her father left the country, he gave her a paper airplane as to lessen her sadness and also as to serve as a remembrance. A month has gone, and Winnie misses her father so much until an idea has struck her. She would write her message onto the paper airplane which her father has given her on the day of his departure. She is hoping that this paper airplane will somehow help to convey her message to her father in another country. After written the message, she throws the paper airplane out of the window. As if a miracle, the paper airplane transforms into a miniature airplane as if soars up into the blue sky. It then travel through miles and battled a few thunderstorms, until finally it transforms back into a paper airplane before it reaches Winnie's father and lands on his desk. Out of curiosity, Winnie's father unfolds the paper airplane and found out it was a message written by Winnie. On it, it was written:

"Daddy, I Miss You!"

5 The Storyboard

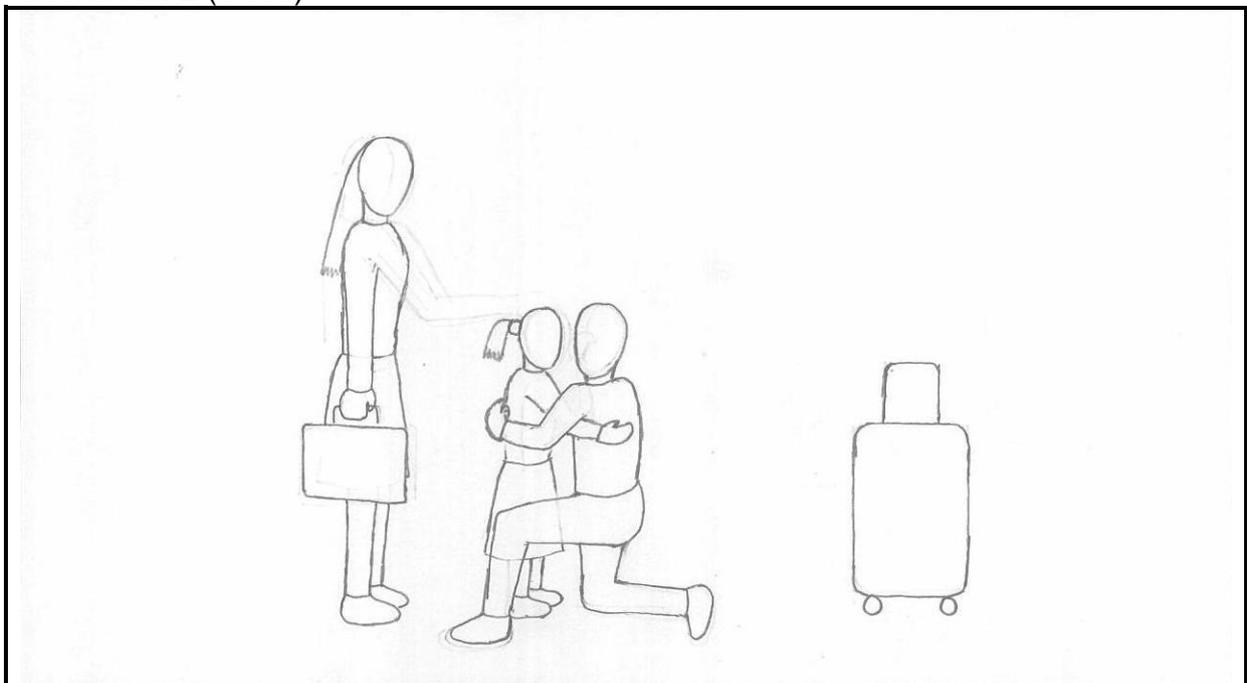
Scene No. 1 (3 sec)



Camera Shot : Wide Shot

Five-year-old Winnie and her parents are at the airport; that is because Winnie's father is going overseas for a business trip and they are seeing him off.

Scene No. 2 (5 sec)



Camera Shot : Wide Shot

Since this is the first time Winnie's father is going for the business trip, everyone in the family is feeling sad to see him go, especially Winnie since there is not a day that her father has ever leave her side, at least not for three months.

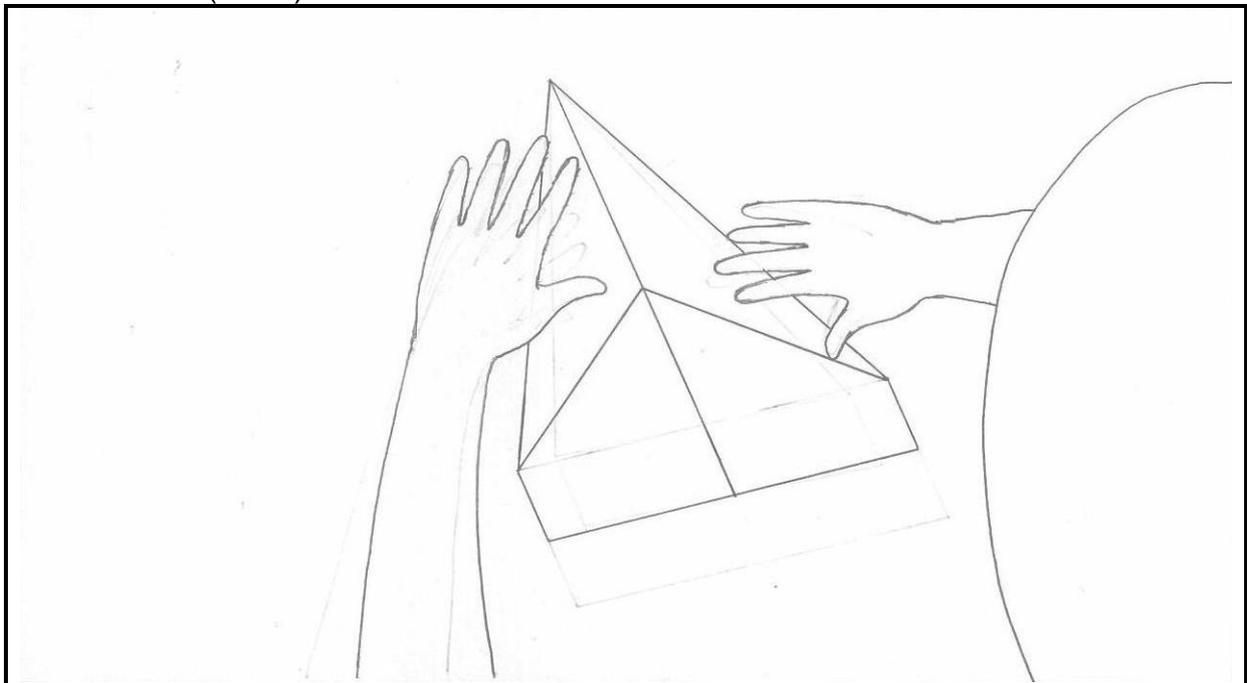
Scene No. 3 (5 sec)



Camera Shot : Wide Shot

Not wanting Winnie to feel so sad, Winnie's father took something out from his briefcase. It is a single sheet of blank paper.

Scene No. 4 (7 sec)



Camera Shot : Over-the-shoulder

Winnie's father began to fold the paper into a shape of an airplane.

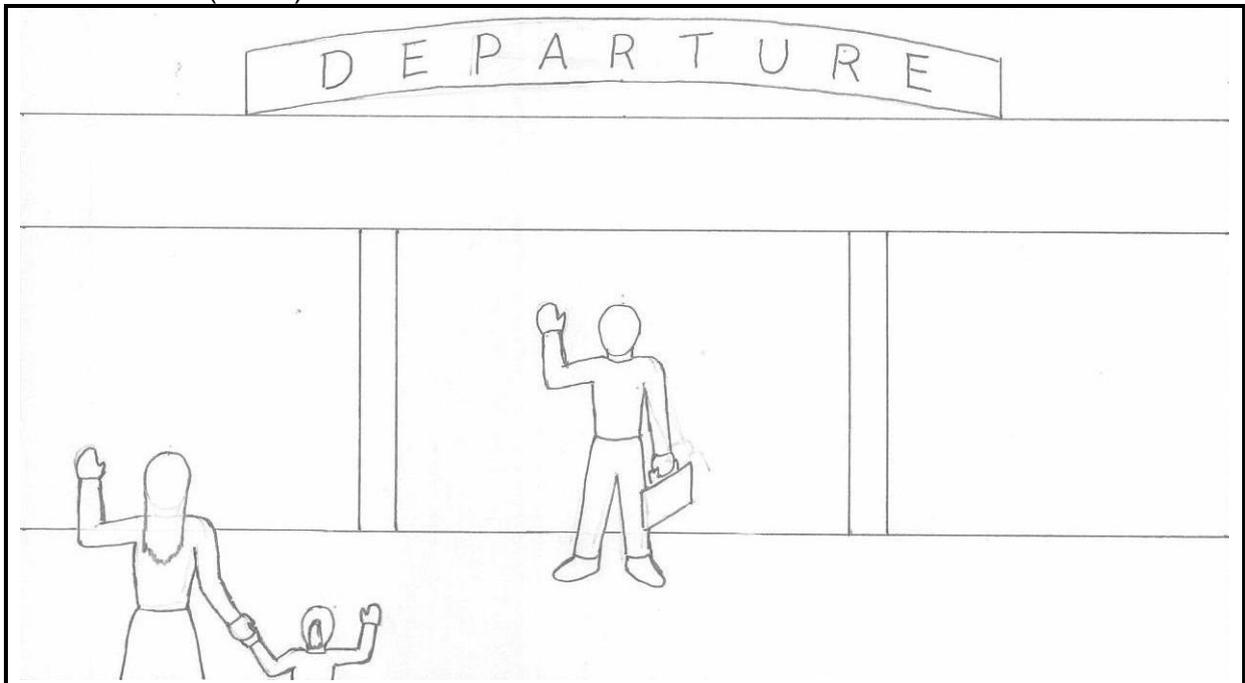
Scene No. 5 (5 sec)



Camera Shot : Wide Shot

Winnie's father then gave the paper airplane to Winnie, hoping this would somewhat lessen her sadness and that it would at least serve as a remembrance of him.

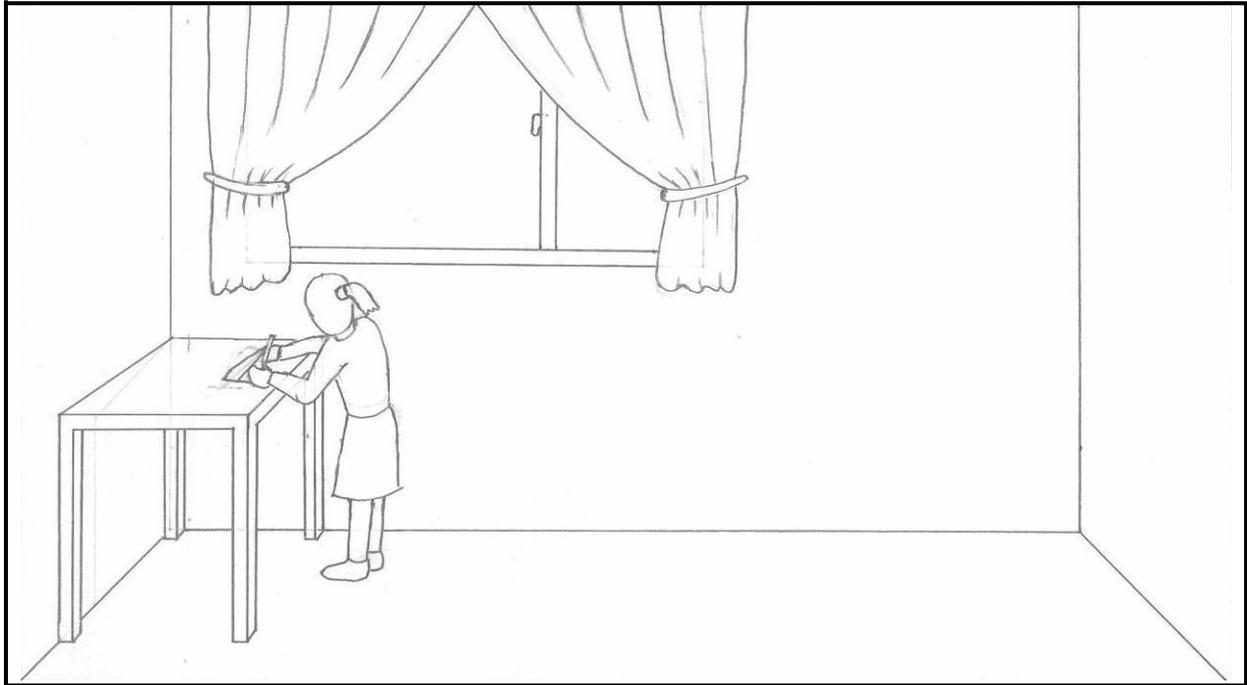
Scene No. 6 (5 sec)



Camera Shot : Extreme Wide Shot

After some more exchanges and hugs, Winnie and her mother bid the father goodbye before he step into the departure gate.

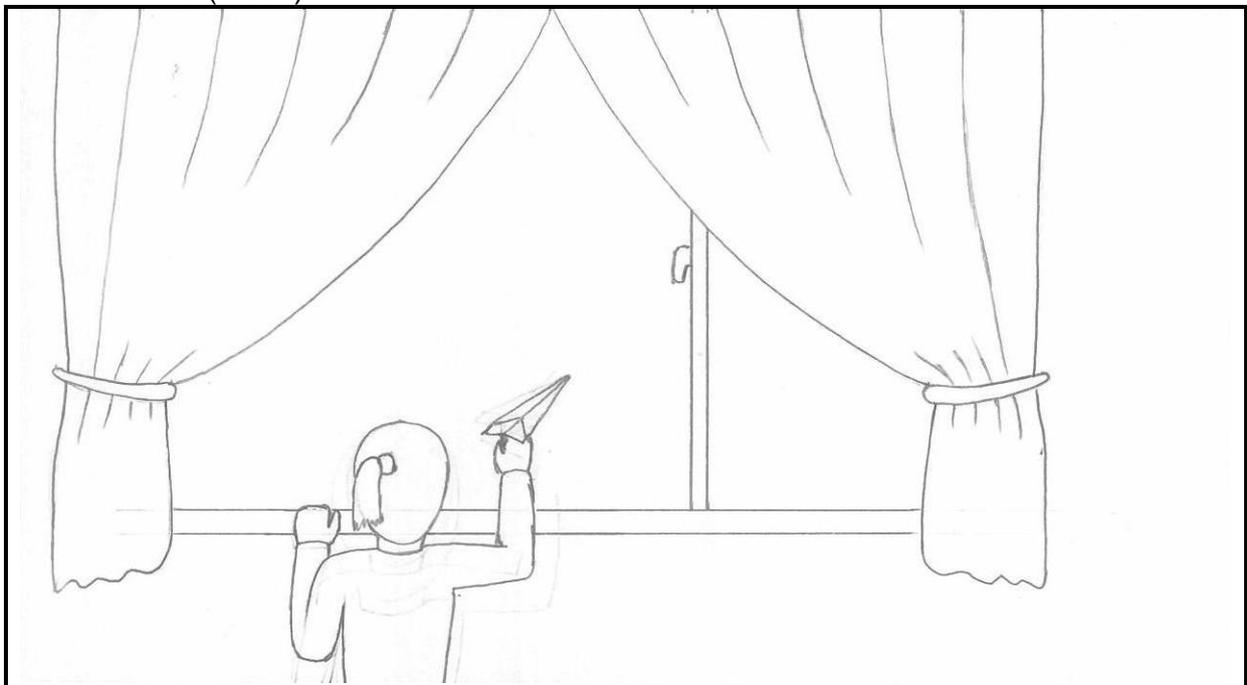
Scene No. 7 (5 sec)



Camera Shot : Wide Shot

A month has left, and it struck Winnie's mind one day that she would write a message onto the paper airplane which her father had made on the day of his departure.

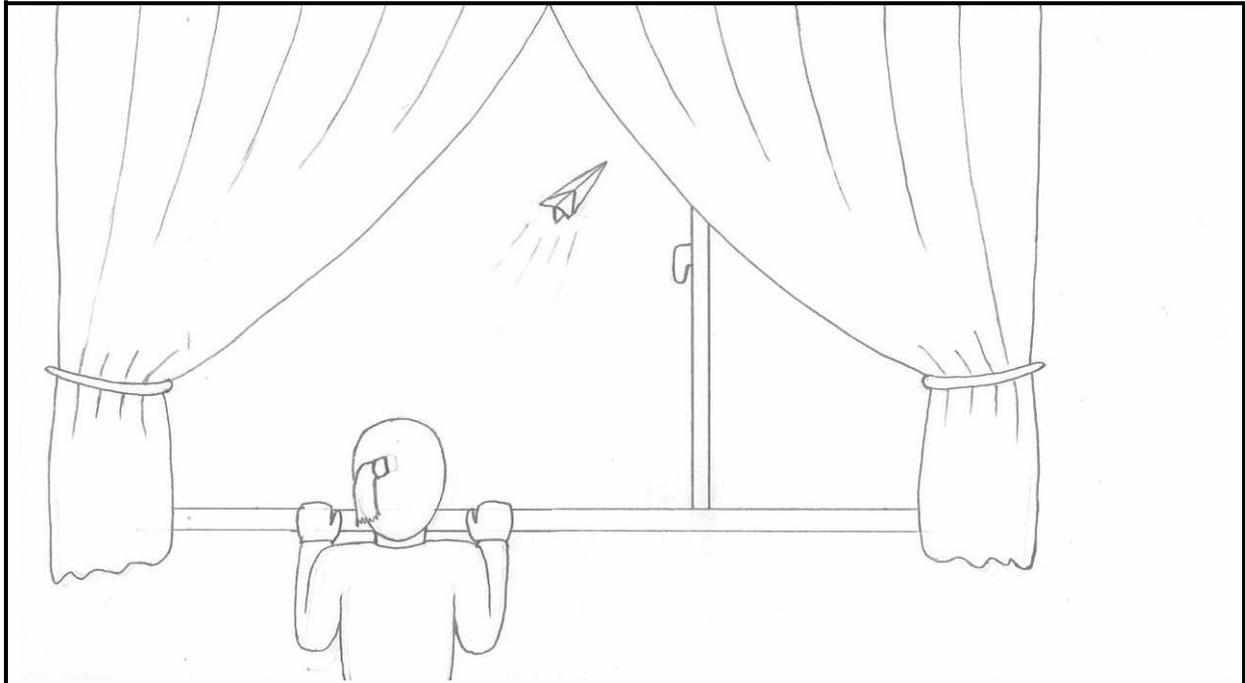
Scene No. 8 (2 sec)



Camera Shot : Medium Shot

After written the message, she threw the paper airplane out of the window.

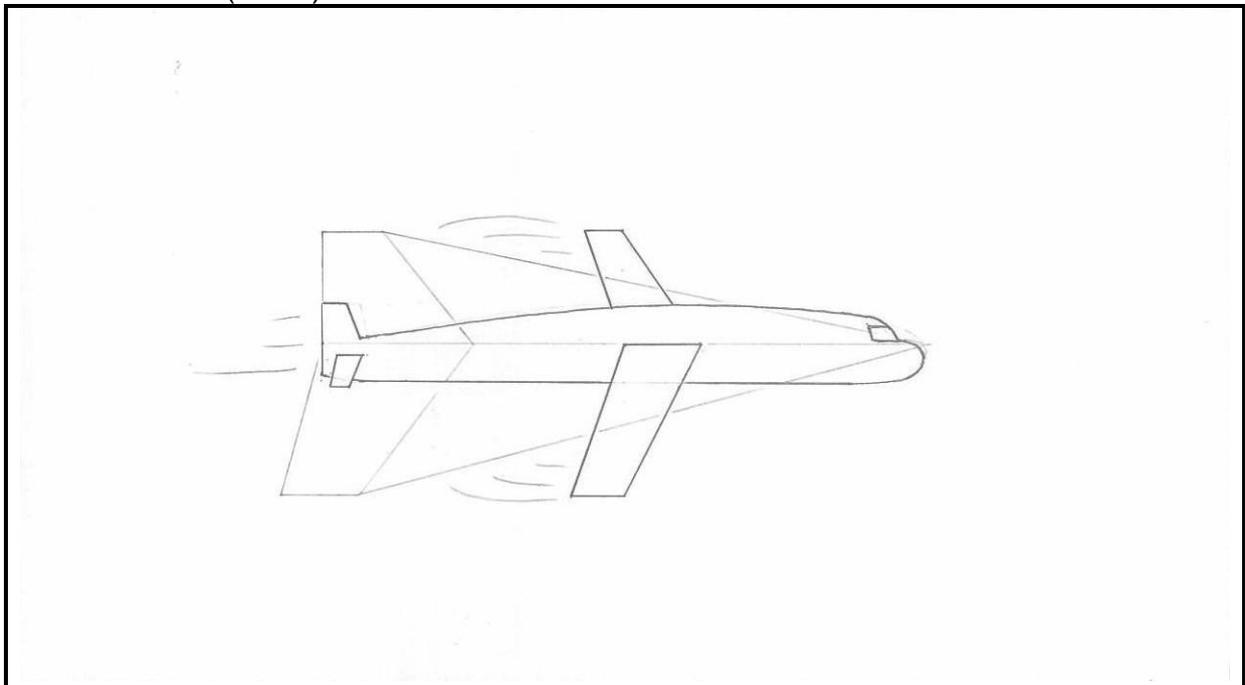
Scene No. 9 (3 sec)



Camera Shot : Medium Shot

She watches the airplane flew out of the window, while in her mind she is hoping that by doing so the paper airplane will bring her message to her father.

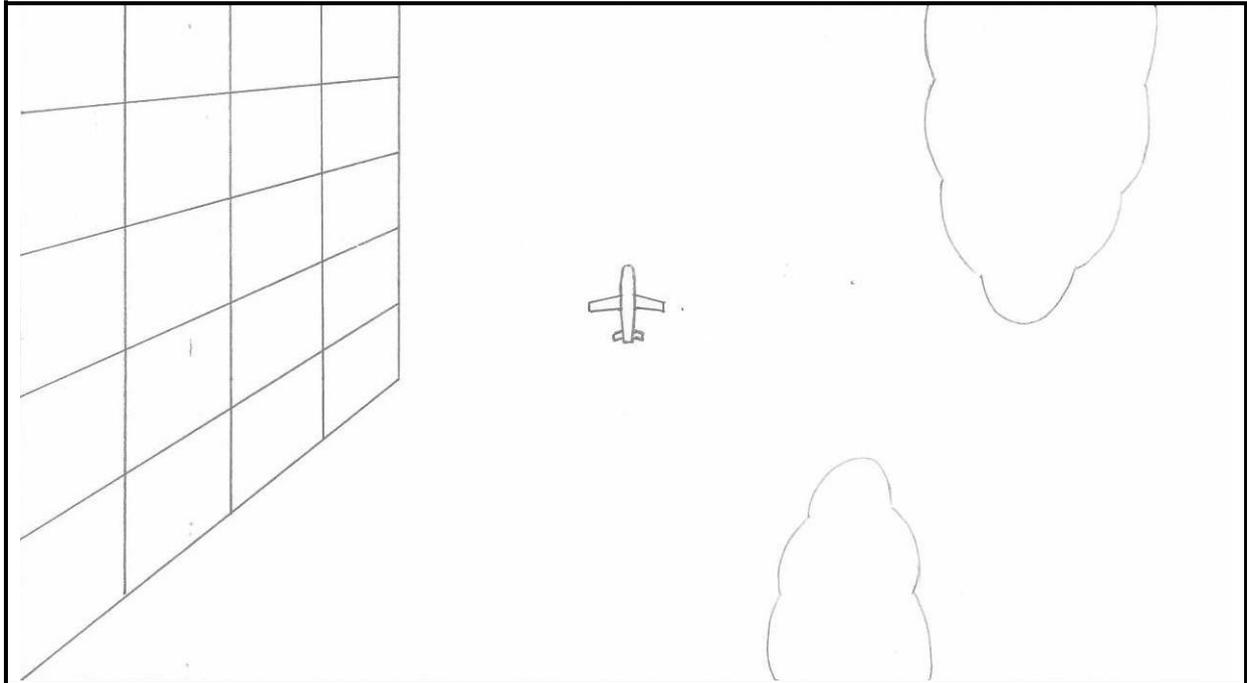
Scene No. 10 (5 sec)



Camera Shot : Medium Close Up

As if by miracle, the paper airplane transforms into a miniature airplane.

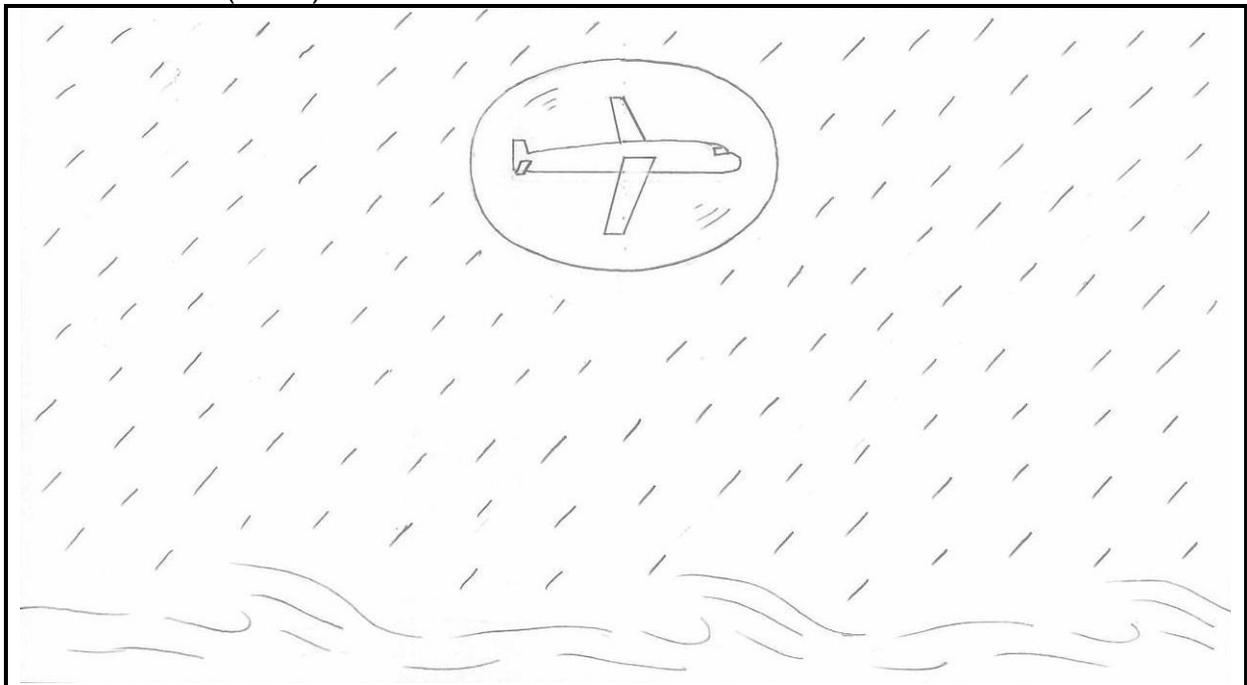
Scene No. 11 (5 sec)



Camera Shot : Low Angle

The miniature airplane left Winnie's apartment and continues to fly until it has left the neighbourhood.

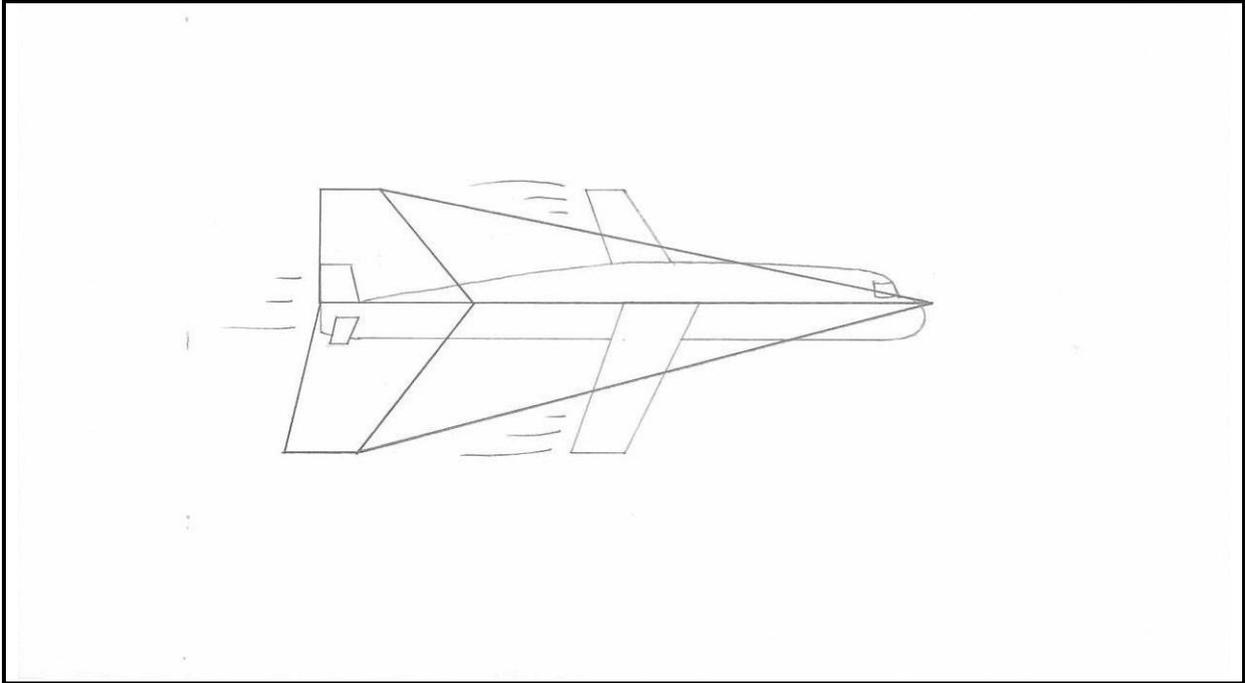
Scene No. 12 (5 sec)



Camera Shot : Extreme Wide Shot

It then travels through miles and battled a few thunderstorms.

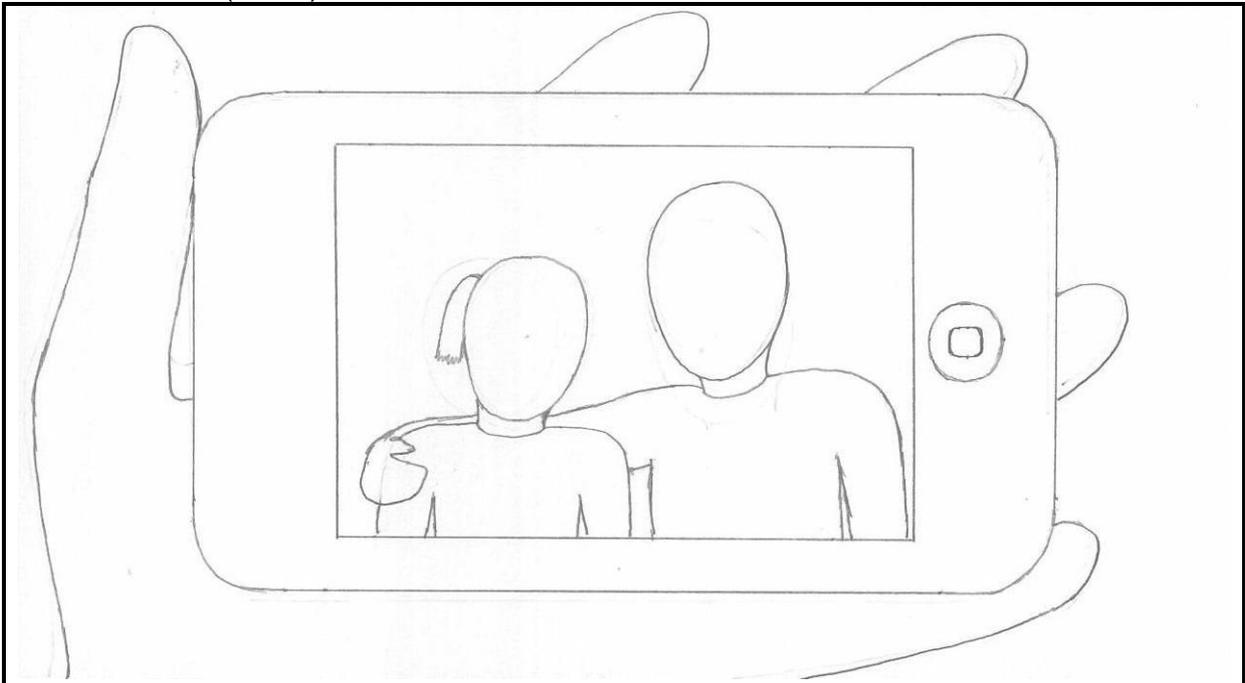
Scene No. 13 (5 sec)



Camera Shot : Medium Close Up

Finally, the miniature airplane has reached its destination and it began to transform back into a paper airplane.

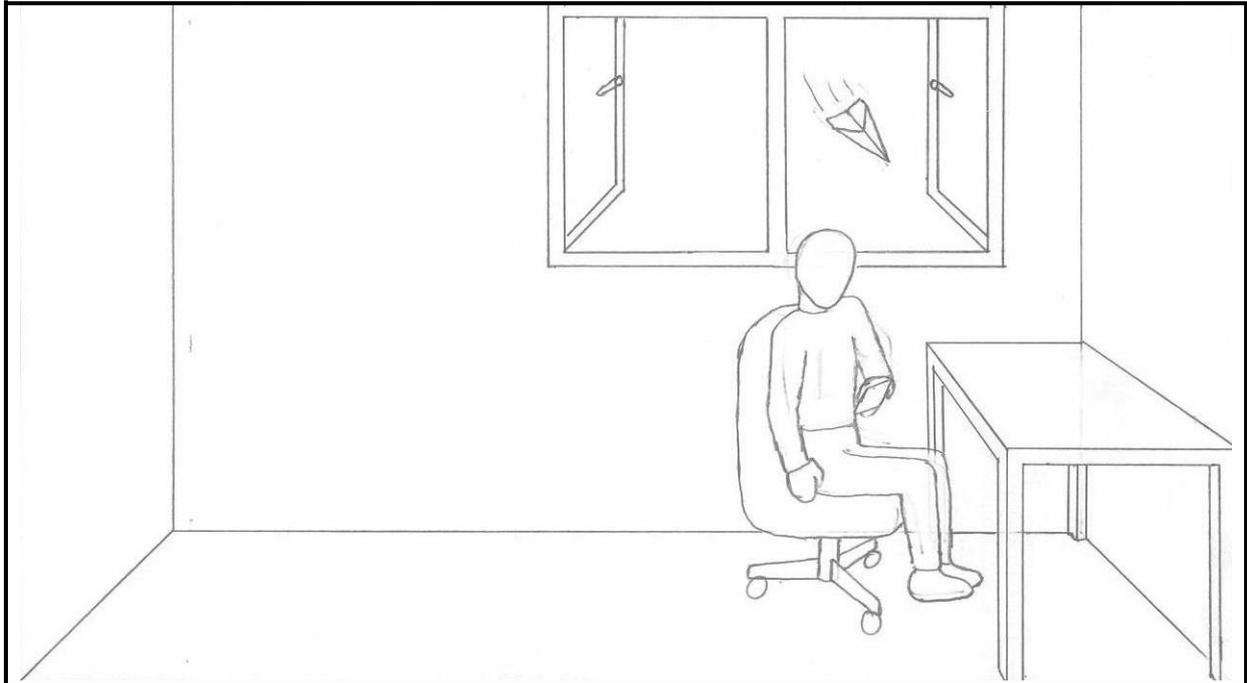
Scene No. 14 (5 sec)



Camera Shot : Point-of-view

Meanwhile, Winnie's father is starting at some pictures on his iPod Touch because he is thinking of his family.

Scene No. 15 (5 sec)



Camera Shot : Wide Shot

While Winnie's father is still viewing the pictures, the paper airplane flew into his room and landed on his desk.

Scene No. 16 (5 sec)



Camera Shot : Over-the-shoulder

Out of curiosity, he unfolds the paper airplane and saw the following message:
"Daddy, I Miss You!"

6 Production Ideas

Steps	Description
1	Capture the clear sky outside the windows of the sender Capture the clear sky of the estates Capture the clear sky of the sea Capture the clear sky outside the windows of the recipient Capture the footage of the paper airplane
2	Comp1 - Perform keying and composition for the background (sky) and foreground (paper airplane)
3	Create CGI transformation of paper airplane to miniature airplane Create CGI maneuver across the sky and other obstacle Create CGI landing on the desk of the recipient
4	Comp2 – Perform composition of CGIs with Comp1

7 Roles of Team Members

Role	Resources
Story Board Designer	Chia Teck Seng Tay Kar Yam
Videographer	Chia Teck Seng Susan Ong Soo Yin
Casting	Tay Kar Yam & Daughter
Special Effects Designer	Susan Ong Soo Yin Chia Teck Seng
CGI Designer	Chia Teck Seng Tay Kar Yam
Audio Designer	Susan Ong Soo Yin Tay Kar Yam

8 Production Plan/Schedule

No	Date	Tasks	Resources
1	24-02-10, Wed	Submission of Proposal	
2	27-02-10, Sat	Finalize storyboard Finalize shooting scenes	
3	06-03-10, Sat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Shooting at Airport Departure Hall ▪ Shooting at sender window ▪ Shooting at recipient window ▪ Shooting of clear sky ▪ Shooting of sea ▪ Shooting of Paper Aero-plane object 	
4	13-03-10, Sat	Complete keying & composition (1)	
5	18-03-10, Thu	Project Update (1)	
6	20-03-10, Sat	Complete CGI – Flying Objects	
7	25-03-10, Thu	Complete keying & composition (2)	
8	08-04-10, Thu	Project Update (2)	
9	10-04-10, Sat	Compilation and Finalization	
10	14-04-10, Wed	Video Presentation	