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■ What is in the sky?



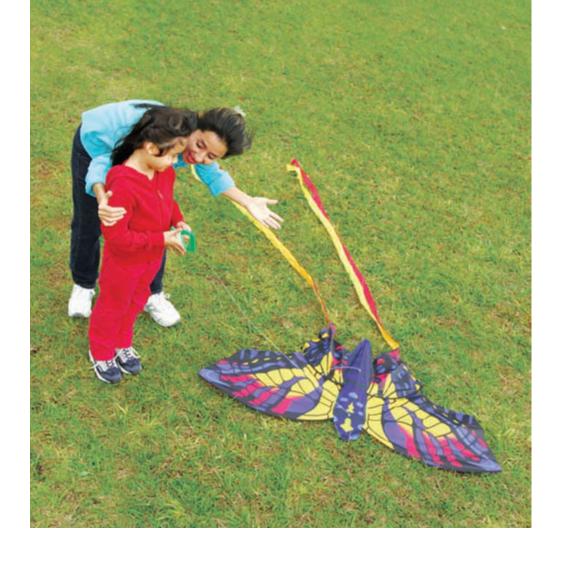
Birds fly.



Birds come down.



■ A kite can fly.



A kite comes down.



Clouds are in the sky.



Clouds do not come down.

■ School-Home Connection

Ask your child to tell you some things he or she can see in the sky. Then ask, "What comes down?" Emphasize that although the sun, moon, and stars set, they are still in the sky.

■ Hands-On Activity

Have your child demonstrate the effect of gravity by releasing a plush toy and watching it fall to the floor. Then have your child brainstorm ways to keep something from falling, such as holding it, placing it on the floor, putting it on a table or shelf, hanging it on a hook or nail, and so on.

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