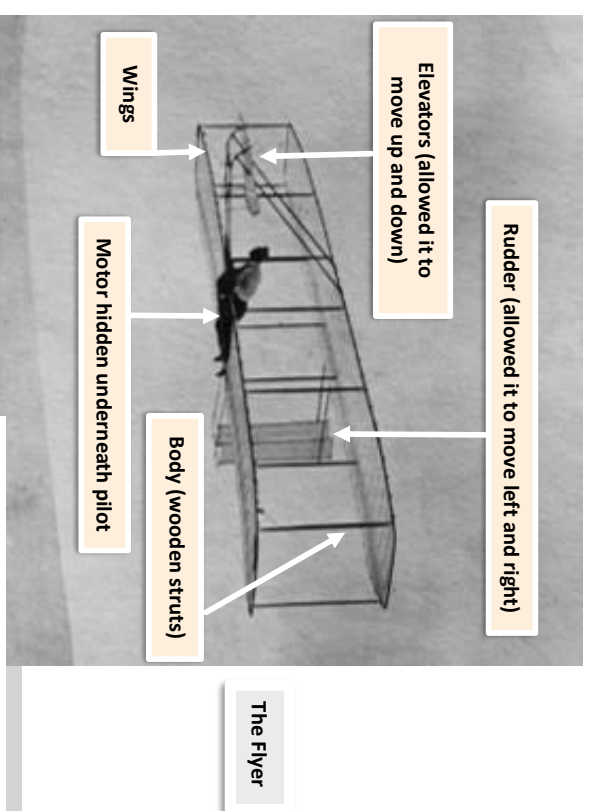


### Important things to know

1. The Wright brothers were **inventors** who invented the first successful powered aeroplane called The Flyer.
2. The Flyer travelled only a very short distance.
3. The flight took place in Kitty Hawk in North Carolina, USA.
4. The Flyer was made from wood and fabric.
5. Today, planes are made from aluminium and plastic.
6. Some features of planes are the same today as they were in 1903, for example the wings and rudder.
7. Other features of planes are very different, for example the engine, the size and how many people can travel in them.
8. Today, we use planes to travel for work or holidays, to **transport** food and other products and also in **warfare**.
9. We know about the first flight by looking at **evidence** from objects, newspapers, photographs and film.
10. We can also read written descriptions from people who watched the flight. These are called '**eyewitness** accounts'.



1	LI: Who flew the first aeroplane?
2	LI: What were early aeroplanes like and how did they fly?
3	LI: How have aeroplanes changed the world?

**5 words to remember**  
 evidence  
 eyewitness  
 inventor  
 transport  
 warfare

