

# Scratch Dragon Kite

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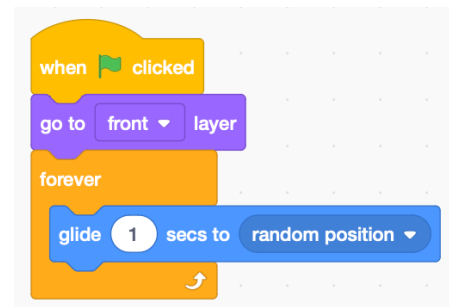
*Dragon kites are traditional Chinese kites with long tails.*

- 1) Download the dragon images from:  
<http://codeclub67.github.io/images/dragon.gif>
- 2) Create a new sprite for the dragon by uploading the dragon images.
- 3) Select the dragon's head costume.

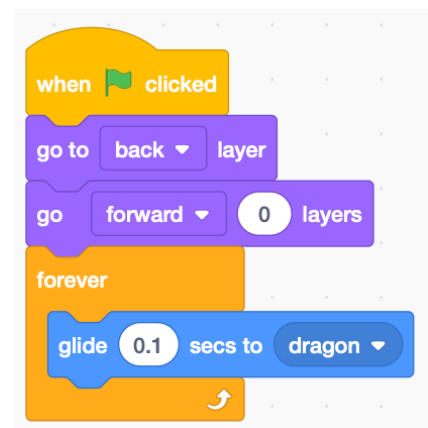


*The kite blows randomly in the wind*

- 4) When the code starts, the head should appear on the **front layer**. In a **forever** loop, it's blown to a **random position**.
- 5) Duplicate the dragon's head.
- 6) In the copy, select the tail costume.
- 7) Using the code (right) to send the tail to the **back layer** and then forward a little bit (0 for now). Make it **glide** quickly (0.1 secs) towards the dragonhead in a loop.
- 8) Duplicate the tail three more times (4 tail sprites looks OK).

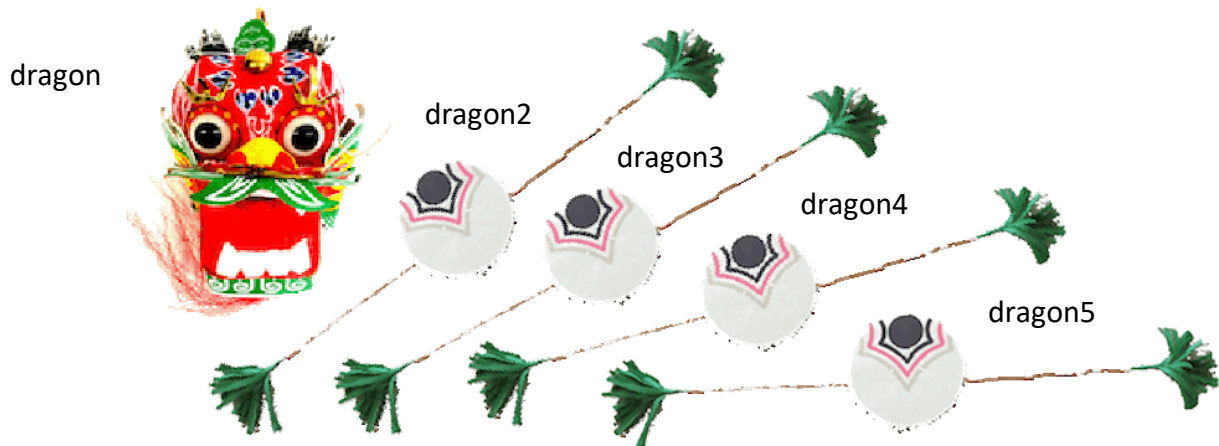


Dragon head



Dragon tail

*Chain the tails together – the first one follows the head.*



9) Make each tail **glide** to the tail ahead of it.

***dragon2** glides to **dragon** (head)*

***dragon3** glides to **dragon2***

***dragon4** glides to **dragon3***

***dragon5** glides to **dragon4***

*Layering gives the kite depth with the head in front and the tail behind. Move tail sprites forward as needed.*

10) Change **go forward layers** for each tail sprite:

***dragon2** goes forward **3** layers*

***dragon3** goes forward **2** layers*

***dragon4** goes forward **1** layer*

***dragon5** goes forward **0** layers*



11) *The kite twists and turns in the wind. Rotate each tail as it moves across the screen.*

12) Add this code to each tail loop:

13) **Save** your code with a good name.

**File > Save now**

