Please reply these two questions concerning the first chapter of Avicenna’s *On the Soul*. You can reply in **English or in Czech** and send the reply to my address: [anna.tropia@ff.cuni.cz](mailto:anna.tropia@ff.cuni.cz). About the length: no more than 500 words for each question ideally, but feel free to organize your answer in the way in which it suits you better.

1. Following all the qualifications Avicenna attributes to the soul, describe the activities the soul can perform.
2. At the end of the selected passage from *On the Soul* (I.1, §7), Avicenna makes up a mental experiment usually referred to as “the flying man”. According to you, what Avicenna aims to prove by it?