

MISSION THREE:

If you're in space, are you really "walking?"

Spacewalk or spacefloat?
Technically, spacewalks are really astronauts floating outside the spaceship. This happens because in space, you're weightless. On Earth, gravity keeps us glued to the ground. Without gravity, our bodies don't work as hard to carry around our own weight and move other things. Astronauts aren't allowed to stay in space for too long because muscles will weaken without this constant battle with gravity. You could lift your own house and not break a sweat!

Earth to kid what's your mission?

Okay, space cowboys and girls, now you know about NASA's beginnings and the dreaming it took to get into space. So what's your dream? Does it include rockets? Weightlessness? Well, even if it's not in outer space, your dream is worth trying. The magic to making it come true is sticking to it like gravity to your shoe. Act smart, follow your interests, and if you're going to dream, you might as well dream big!

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