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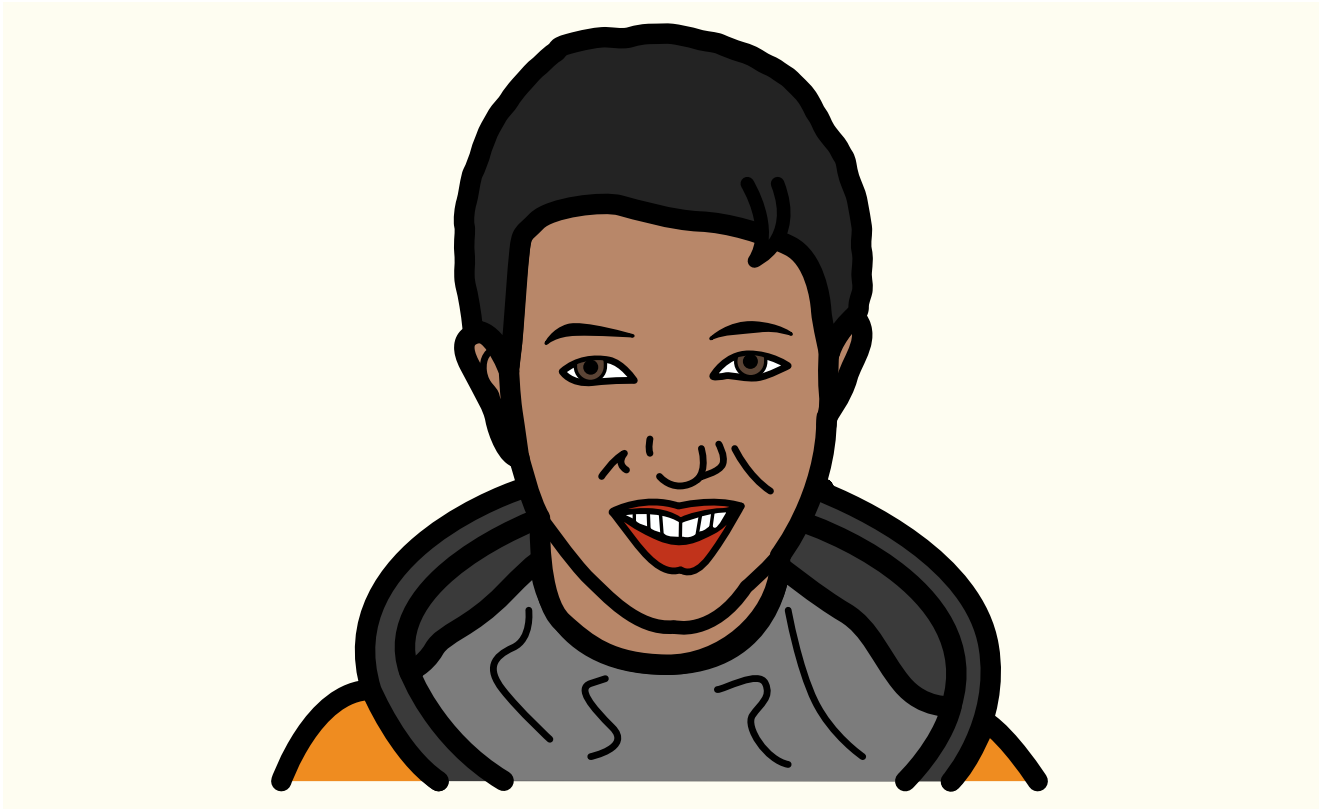
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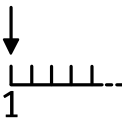


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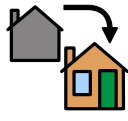

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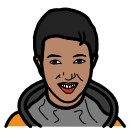
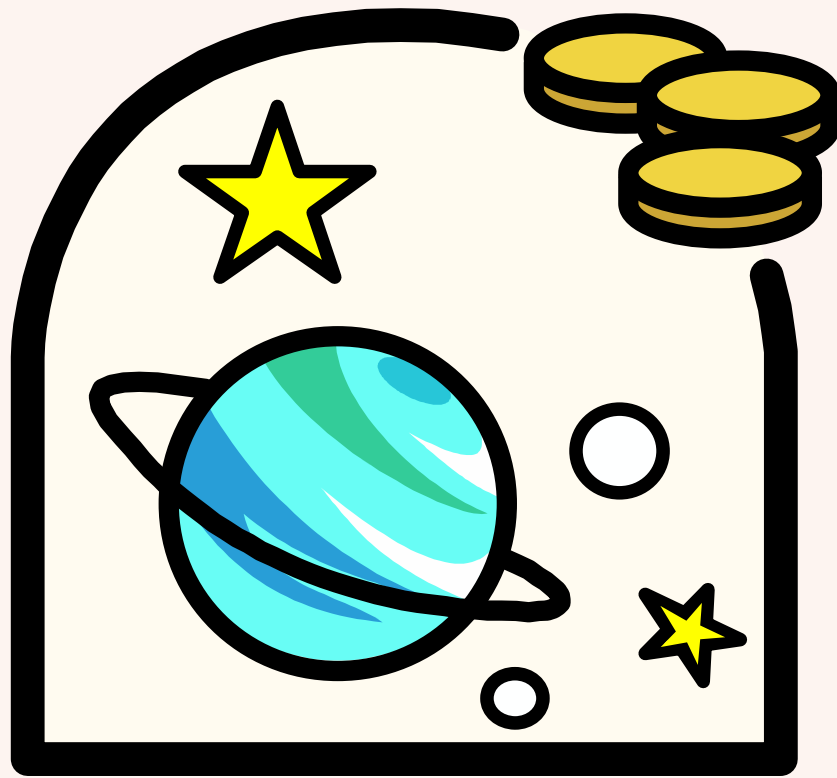


 was the  first  black woman  in space.

 She  was born  in  Alabama,  USA  in 1956.

 When  Mae  was  3,  her family  moved to  Chicago.

 Mae  loved  science  and  dreamed of being an  astronaut.



Mae

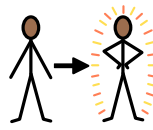


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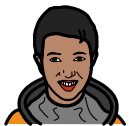


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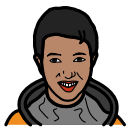
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Mae



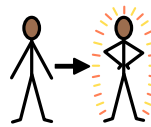
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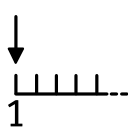


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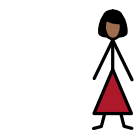


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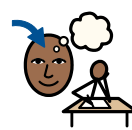


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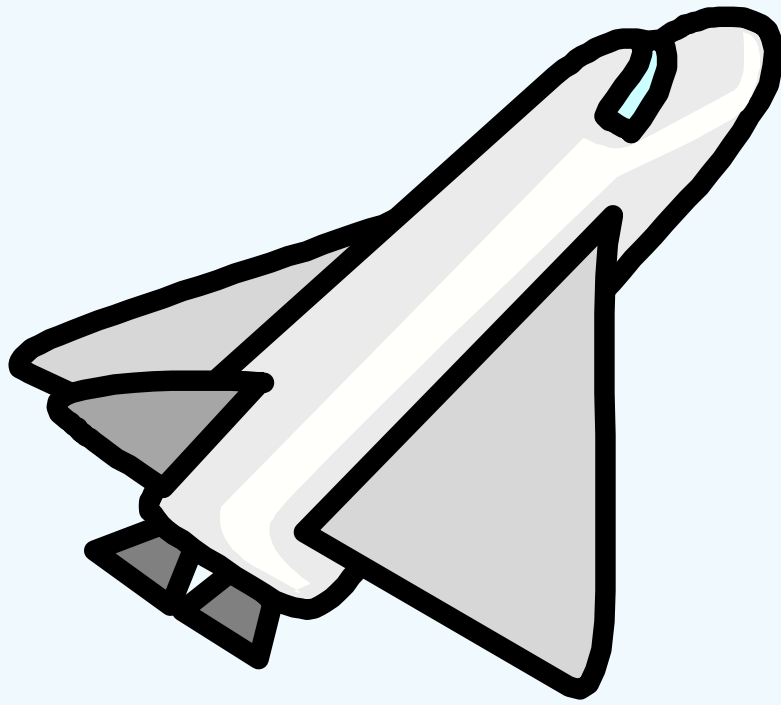


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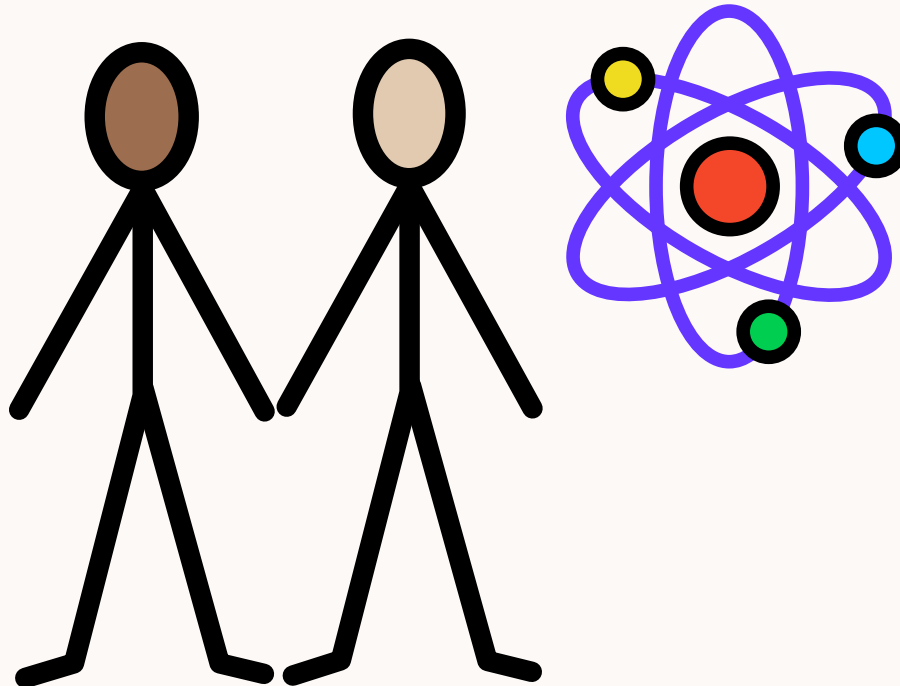


In 1992 Mae flew on the space shuttle Endeavour.

She spent 8 days in Space.

Mae orbited the earth 126 times.

She performed medical tests on the other astronauts.

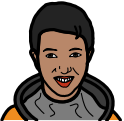
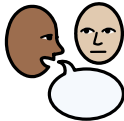
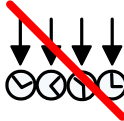
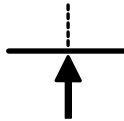





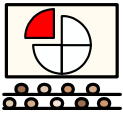




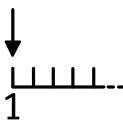



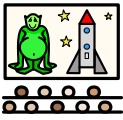


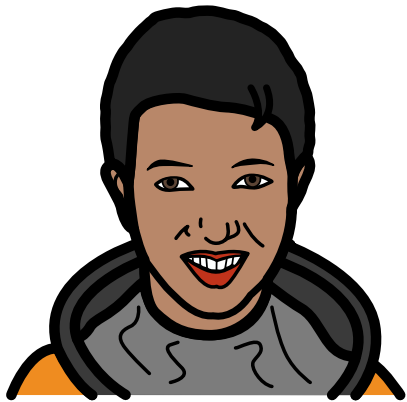


 Mae now inspires young people to become scientists.

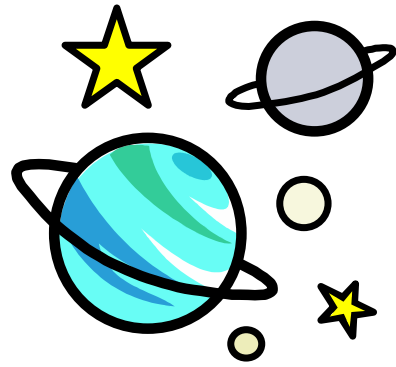





 She says, "Never limit yourself".

1993
 



 In 1993 Mae acted in an episode of Star Trek.

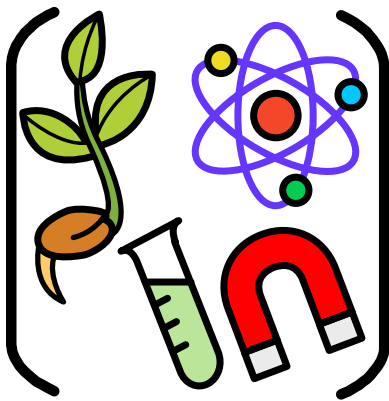






 She was the first real astronaut to star on the show.



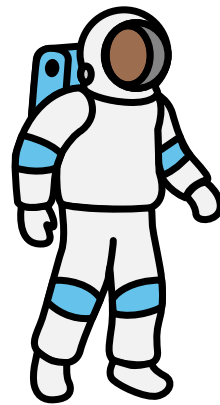
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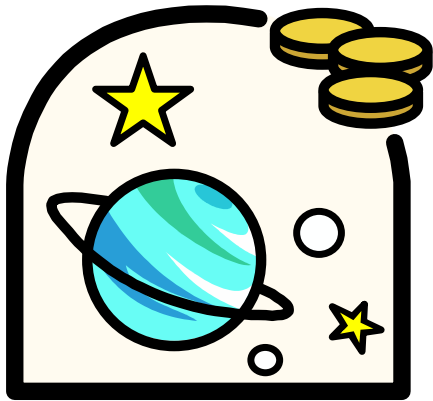
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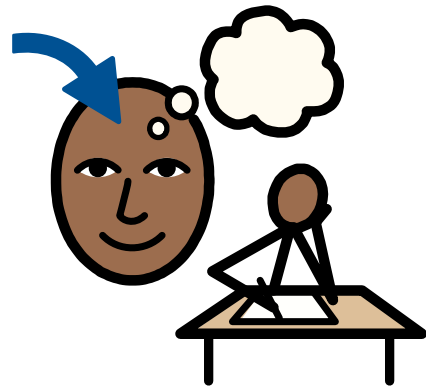
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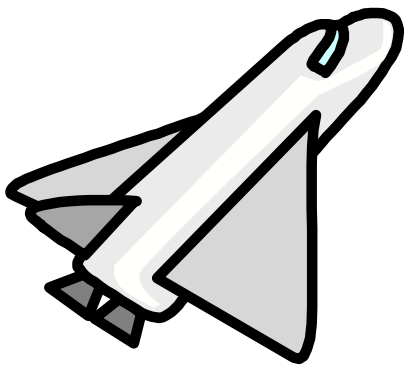
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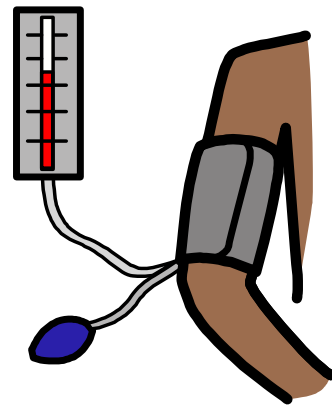
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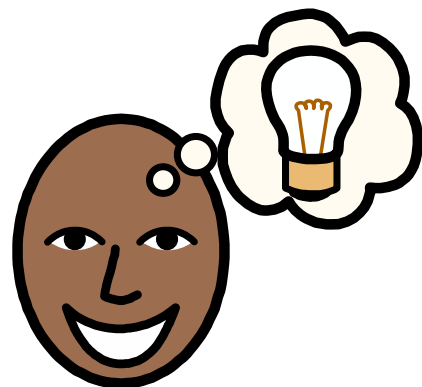
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