Writing

1 Read these two email extracts. Which one shows that the writer is interested in the astronaut's life?

a

Hi Mariel,

Thanks for your last email. I love reading about space, too! I watch a lot of documentaries about space on TV.

I want to be an astronaut one day and work on the International Space Station. What do you want to be?

Write back soon,

Ellie

b

Hello Yuri,

I love learning about space. Can you tell me what it feels like to be in space? What does the Earth look like from space? Can you see the other planets in our solar system? What do you do when you work at the International Space Station?

Best wishes,

Ryan

2 Circle the things you would like to ask an astronaut. Then write two more.

where he/she sleeps what he/she eats how old he/she is
what he/she likes about space what his/her favorite planet is

3 Write an email to an astronaut. Use your ideas from Activity 2 to help you.

Remember

1. Greet the person you're writing to.
2. Ask questions to show you're interested.
3. Use paragraphs.
4. Say goodbye and write your name at the end.

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