



Scratch Camp 2023

Week 2, July 31st-Aug 6th: Mission to Mars

Welcome to Scratch Camp, where we invite you to imagine, create, and share along with us in the Scratch online community by participating in our featured studios. Learn more about Camp here https://resources.scratch.mit.edu/www/events/en/ScratchLearningResource_ScratchCamp2023.pdf

The theme for camp this year is “Space, Stars, & Beyond,” and camp officially starts July 24th. Scratch Camp will run for three weeks, and each week will bring opportunities to create projects around a particular space-related theme. It is free and anyone can join by participating in the studios.

Studio Description

Welcome to the second week of Scratch Camp: Space, Stars, & Beyond! This week, our adventure propels us forward from the past and into present-day space explorations. On this Mission to Mars (and other planets in our solar system!), we will focus on the wonder of our current space travel capabilities and imagine what it would be like to set foot on a planet other than our own.

Looking for ways to get started?

- Create an animation of a rocket launch
- Create a project to pitch your ideas for new freeze-dried meals, flavors, or snacks for astronauts to eat in space
- Design a game based on navigating through the solar system
- Develop a Mars Rover simulator
- Animate a story or write a diary entry about a day in the life of an astronaut on Mars
- Build an interactive tour of the International Space Station
- Design your own logo for a Space Travel Agency and create interactive artwork about it
- Create a space survival game for astronauts on a distant planet
- If an astronaut was picked to represent your country on the International Space Station, what would they bring with them to represent your country? Share an animation or informational project with your thoughts

Remember, these are only suggestions! You are welcome to come up with your own ideas or take inspiration from projects already in the studio! What will you create? =^..^=

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