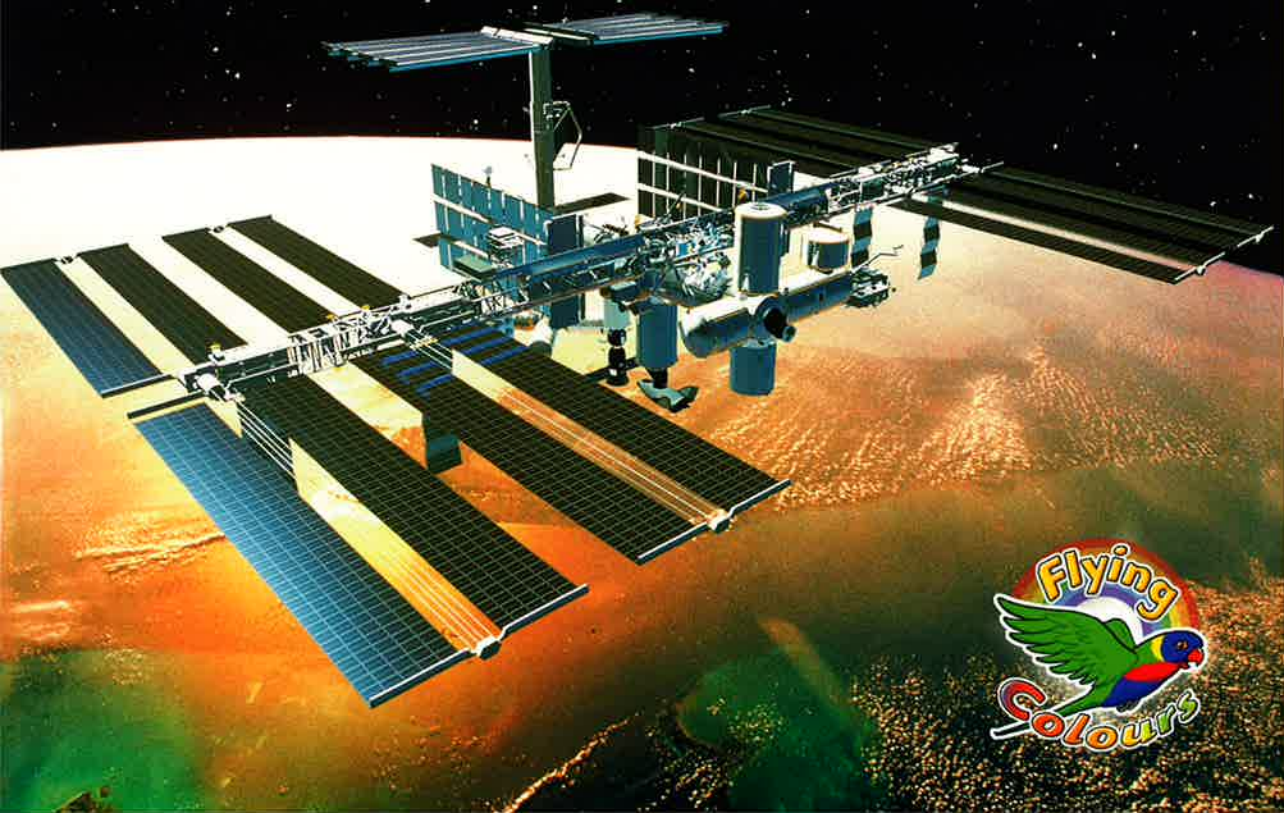
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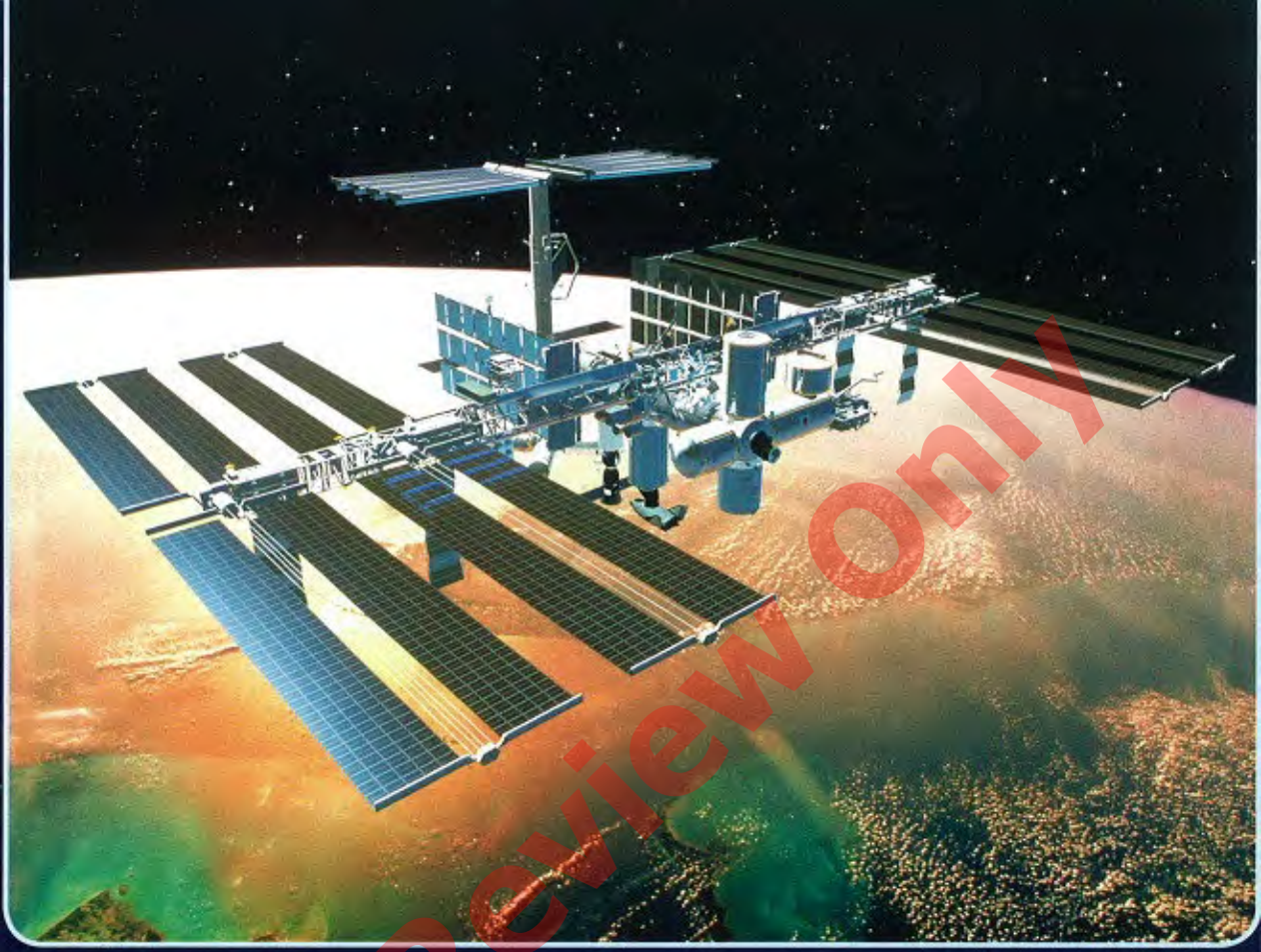
In Space

People who live and work in space are called astronauts.

Astronauts can live and work on spacecraft. Spacecraft are machines that can fly in space.



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Astronauts can live and work on a space station. A space station is a place in space where astronauts can live for a long time. Space stations are put into space by people.

The first space station was put into space in 1971.

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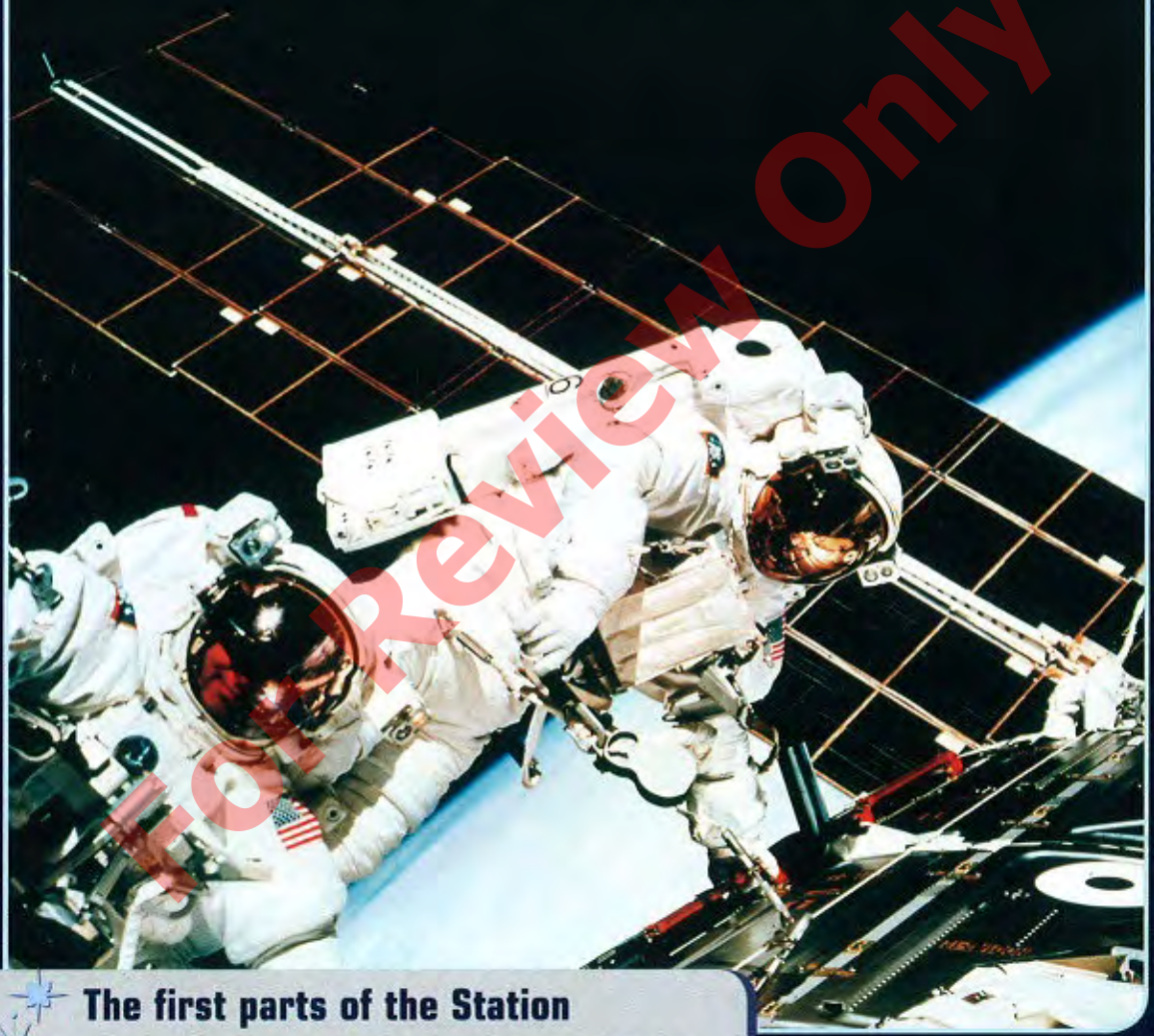
The International Space Station

A new space station is being built in space. It is called the International Space Station. Astronauts live and work on the Station, but it is not finished yet.



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The Station is made up of parts. Each part is made on Earth. The parts go into space on spacecraft. Astronauts and **robots** put the parts together.



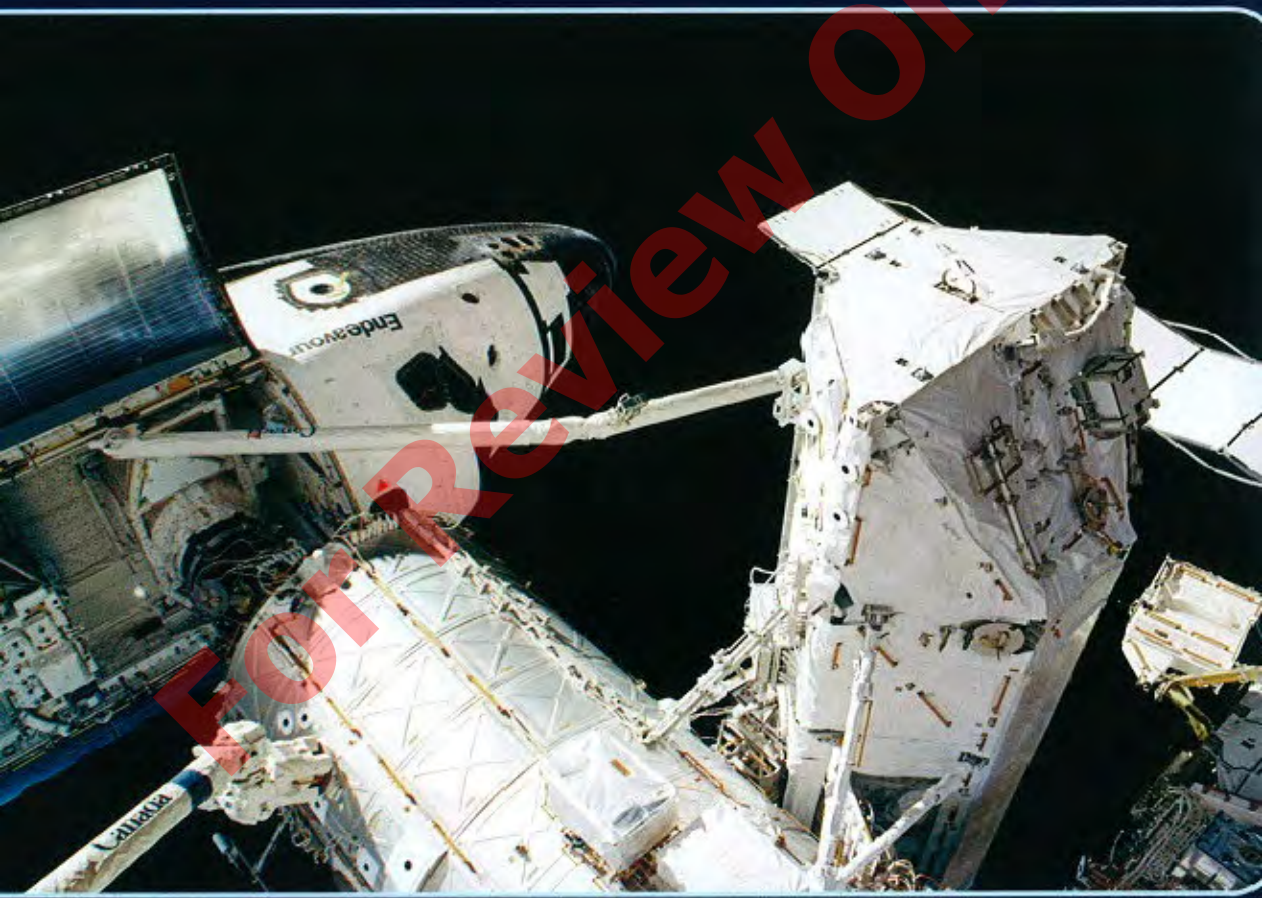
The first parts of the Station were put together in space in 1998.

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Travelling to the Station

Astronauts fly to the Station on spacecraft. Spacecraft carry things such as food and clothes to the Station too.



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This is one of the spacecraft that flies to the Station. This spacecraft is a **shuttle**. It is named after a famous ship.



If something goes wrong on the Station, the astronauts can use a spacecraft to fly back to Earth.

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