Book View Of

"30 Years Of The Space Shuttle Program"

·Reflection

Most people around the world consider NASA missions is the pioneer of space. But after reading this book, I realize that NASA can also improve our quality of life.

After 30 years of the amazing space shuttle program, there are some spin-offs coming into existence. For example, the artificial heart is another light one has on foot in the grave of people. I think this incredible invention is a miracle for family members because it could postpone the sad situation of saying goodbye to family. Another thing was light-saving light which can help children who are suffering from brain tumors. These devices were developed from the space shuttle plant experiments.

You might ask, "what's the "30 years of the space shuttle program?" all about. Actually, it refers to the great daring feat of humans from April 1981 till July 2011. The project requires not only advanced technology but also countless technicians and great efforts. The space shuttle launched in Columbia and flew 135 missions. During this period, NASA broke the record of endurance and achievement. The spacecraft had brought people into orbit and repaired the satellite. The most important thing was to set the international space station. Although I am a person who doesn't have any knowledge of space, I was so shocked about how intelligent we are when I was reading the page is talking about this project's action.No wonder everyone's eyes will get on NASA for more interesting news about the outer space.

What impressed me most is a message by Col. Eileen Collins, who was *the first female commander of a U.S. spacecraft*. It's common sense that a female's physical condition inferior to a male's. But her passion for space and spirituality ever giving up, let her accomplish her dream and bring benefit to people worldwide. Thanks to this course that let me can schedule my time to do the thing, which increases my ability of English reading and memorize more vocabulary. Even though I still can't understand a lot of principles about orbiters, I try my best to find some attractive things. There are 78 pages in this book and every page is filled with tiny English words, when I started to read it, I just felt frustrated because I haven't seen half of the words before, and need to search online, which is tiring and boring. As time passed, I twig that I can handle the big article more smoothly and confidently. Finally, I finish my first reflection in English at such a long length.

·Vocabulary

Processed(p.9) Orbiter(p.15) Legacy(p.19) Module(p.27) Untether(p.30) Perdition(p.35) Attribute(p.43) Multipurpose(p.48) Antennas(p.58) Capable(p.66)

·Sentence

We have big plans for the future of our space.(p.79)