

Meet a professional (video interview)

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Response Sheet

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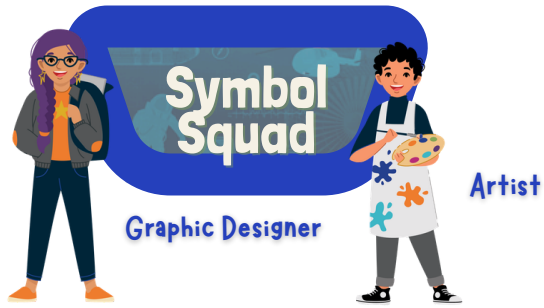
Extension Activities

- NASA Mission Patches
 - Take a closer look at the [mission patches during the AE program](#). Select one, study the contents, predict what the mission was about, and compare with the information provided on the [Human Spaceflight Mission Patches website](#).
 - [Our World: Mission Patches](#) [5m 22s] - NASA eClips video on how the Space Shuttle crew collaborates on designing their mission patch.
- Classroom connection
 - Have your classroom groups (reading, science lab, etc) design a "mission patch" that combines the purpose of the group with design elements.
- [STEMonstrations: Space Art](#) - Learn about the creative solutions astronauts employ to overcome the challenges of doing art in microgravity.
 - What creative talent do your students have? How can you bring them to your classroom?

Professional resources

- Free mission patches for your classroom! [STEAM4SPACE](#) is a non-profit endeavor to spark curiosity, light the flame of knowledge, and inspire the launch of new possibilities for you and your students using real mission patches.





Literature List

Artists & Illustrators

- Katie and the Starry Night - James Mayhew
- The Artist Who Painted a Blue Horse - Eric Carle
- Mix It Up! - Hervé Tullet
- Maybe Something Beautiful: How Art Transformed a Neighborhood - F. Isabel Campoy & Theresa Howell
- I Ain't Gonna Paint No More! - Karen Beaumont
- Sew Sister: The Untold Story of Jean Wright and NASA's Seamstresses - Elise Matich

Graphic Designers & Visual Communicators

- Radiant Child: The Story of Young Artist Jean-Michel Basquiat - Javaka Steptoe
- What Do Designers Do All Day? - Lisa S. French
- Art & Design Careers: Graphic Designer - Rachel Lynette
- Design Doer: Graphic Designer - Ellen Labrecque
- If I Were a Designer - Shelly Lyons
- You Can Be a Graphic Designer - Emma Jones
- Career Ideas for Kids Who Like Art, Second Edition Hardcover – Diane Lindsey Reeves
- Maybe I'll be an Architect - Tenille Bettenhausen and Ira Baykovska

Creative Thinking, Drawing & Design Foundations

- Not a Box - Antoinette Portis
- Beautiful Oops! - Barney Saltzberg
- The Dot - Peter H. Reynolds
- Ish - Peter H. Reynolds
- Design a Logo - Hilary Koll and Steve Mills