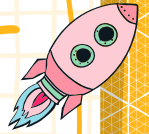




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Reach for the Stars with

Dana Bolles

Spaceflight Engineer
& Disability in STEM advocate

Dana Bolles always wanted to be an astronaut. Because she was born with no legs, she thought it would be amazing to work in space. She wouldn't need an electric wheelchair when she was floating around a space station. Now Dana is a mechanical engineer. Mechanical engineers design machines that



help people. Dana has worked on space flights and the search for life beyond Earth. Although she works from planet Earth, she loves her job!

QUESTION

When you were young, did you have any mentors you looked up to?

ANSWER

"As a young girl, I did have mentors but they were not in this field. Both of them taught me to give it my best in everything I do and to help others do their best as well."



“Always pursue your passion and put 110% into it.”
- Dana Bolles



Word Search

How many of these far-out words can you find below?
The words are hidden horizontally and vertically.

V	O	C	S	O	Q	F	C	W	J
L	S	T	A	R	S	I	D	L	T
F	Y	L	G	M	O	O	N	X	W
V	D	C	C	P	L	A	N	E	T
A	E	R	S	P	A	C	E	U	U
G	A	Z	C	I	P	Q	K	S	B
I	R	T	B	V	W	R	H	C	S
M	T	F	L	I	G	H	T	D	U
U	H	S	T	S	U	X	M	W	N
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ANSWERS

V O C S O Q F C W J
 L S T A R S I D L T
 F Y L G M O O N X W
 V D C C P L A N E T
 A E R S P A C E U U
 G A Z C I P Q K S B
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