

Floating in Space

Sandy was excited. Her suitcase was packed with her favorite t-shirts, pants, and socks. Sandy, her mother, father, and older brother were going to the International Space Station for one month!

In the morning, a black car took Sandy's family to the rocket. Everyone changed into orange space suits. They sat down and put on their seatbelts. Sandy sat by the window. T minus 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1...and BLAST OFF!

Sandy heard the engine. She saw a big white cloud outside her window. Up, up, up! Sandy and her family were flying towards outer space! Suddenly she felt very light. Sandy was floating!

On Earth, Sandy used a wheelchair. She couldn't walk. Here in space, she didn't need to use her legs. She moved her arms and did a flip in mid-air. This was fun!