

### Teacher Information

#### Objective

Students will prepare some appropriate questions to ask crew members. Then, students will also become familiar with the proper operation of a video camera.

#### Materials:

one set of crew descriptions  
paper  
video camcorder  
operating instructions

#### Procedures:

1. Students will make an Interview Booklet. Fold 3 sheets of plain white paper in half. Have them label each page with the name of each of the nine crew and make a cover for the Booklet.
2. Students will write at least two questions for each one of the nine crews, including PRESS. They will write one question for Mission Control and one question for the Space Station. They could also write some questions for the Flight Director and Mission Commander.
3. Students will closely examine the video camera. With adult supervision, they should learn how to load, focus, and operate the camera.
4. After learning about the camera, students should draw a picture of the camera, showing the parts needed to properly operate it. They will label those parts.
5. Students should write the steps needed to operate the camera, from loading the tape to turning the power off and returning the camera to its case.

## Video Lab

### Student Sheet

#### Objective

You will prepare some appropriate questions to ask crew members. You will also become familiar with the proper operation of a video camera.

#### Materials:

one set of crew descriptions  
paper  
video camcorder  
operating instructions

#### Procedures:

6. Make an Interview Booklet. Fold 3 sheets of plain white paper in half. Label each page with the name of each of the nine crew. Make a cover for the Booklet.
7. Write at least two questions for each one of the nine crews, including VIDEO. Write one question for Mission Control and one question for the Space Station. You could also write some questions for the Flight Director and Mission Commander.
8. Closely examine the video camera. With the adult in charge, learn how to load, focus, and operate the camera.
9. Draw a picture of the camera, showing the parts needed to properly operate it. Label those parts. Use plain white paper, and attach the drawing to the steps you will write.
10. Write the steps needed to operate the camera, from loading the tape to turning the power off and returning the camera to its case.