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Visit the Freedom Space Station. What are some things in this station that make life in Space possible for astronauts? What would happen if one of those things had not been invented?

Take a look at the Mercury capsule up the small staircase. How does it differ from the Freedom Space Station? What basic needs does the Mercury capsule meet to make life in Space possible?



Visit the DSB Poseidon. This research habitat reveals how a person can live several hundred feet underwater. Here you'll find the yellow sub, SAM suit and Nautilus submersible. Pick one, and describe the features of it that would keep you safe several hundred feet under water. Next, describe some of its limitations.

Where else can you find technology in Ocean? What is it and what does it do?

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Make observations about the storefronts, people, and technology in 1898. Make some predictions about what it will become in 1962, and then pass through the hallway to see if you were correct. Choose at least three of the following places in 1898 to observe, predict and compare with 1962 and the present:

Market
Balliwick's General Store
Streets and Lighting
Telephones

The Telegraph Office
The Carriage House
Horse Hitching Posts

The place I observed is...			
1898 Observations			
1962 Predictions			
1962 Observations			
The present			