

Secondly school named after V.I.Chuikov

Project «The first flight in space»

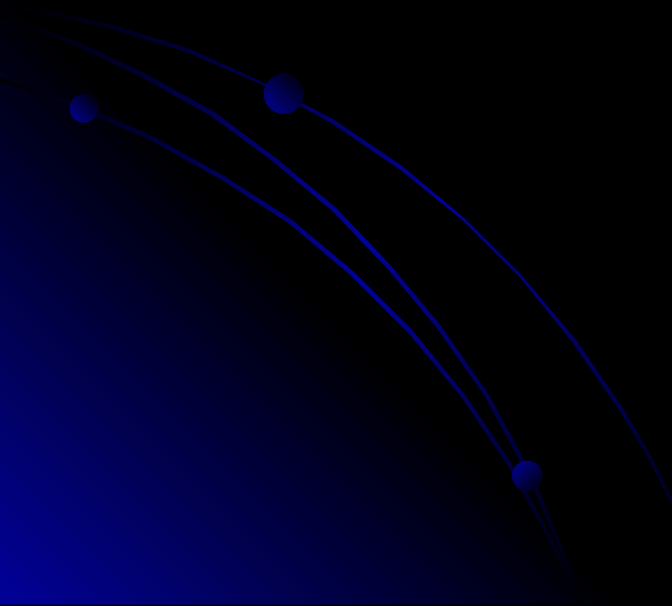
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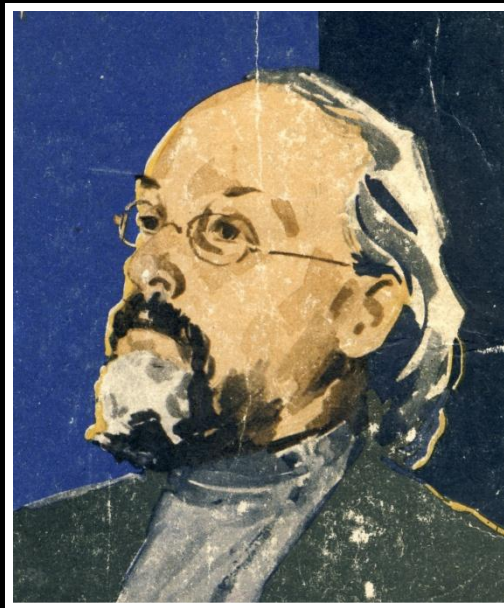
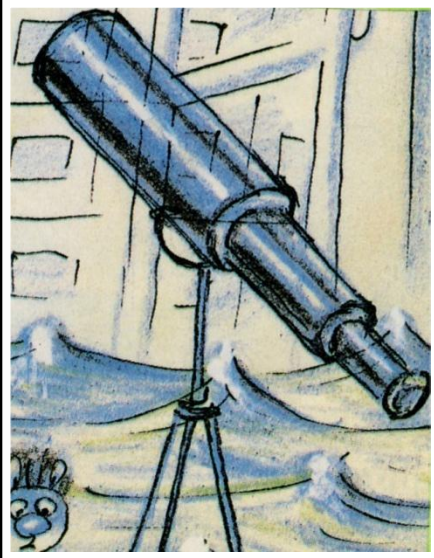
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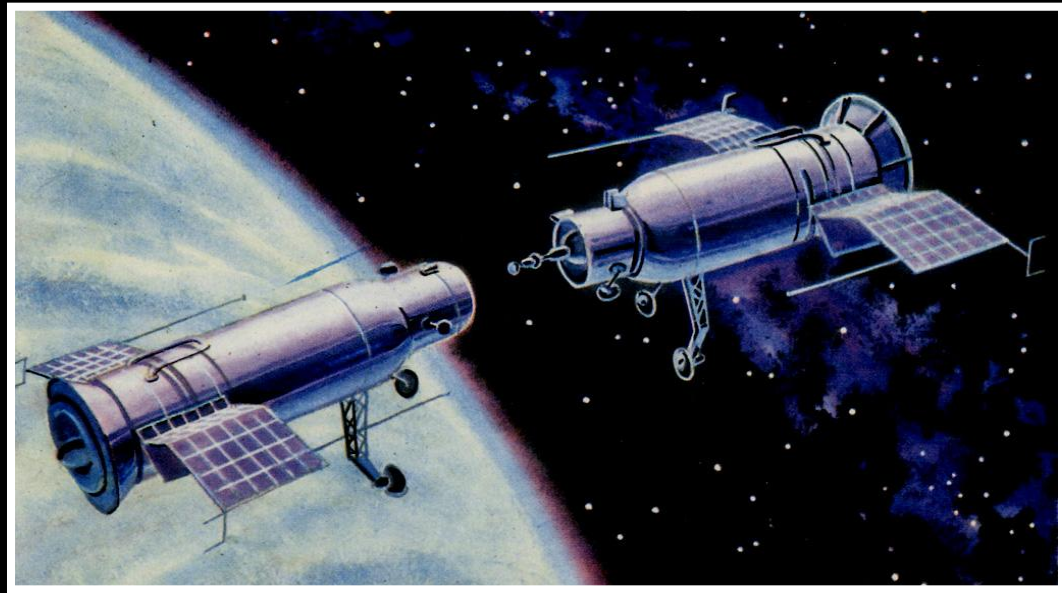
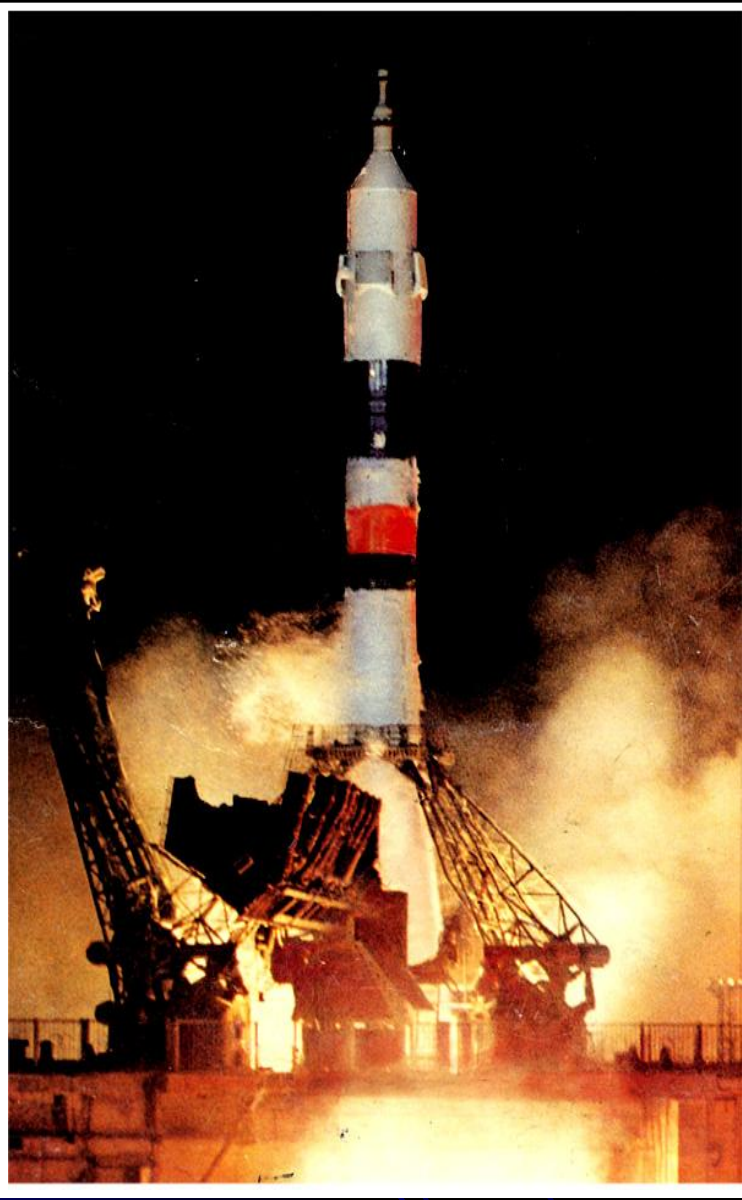
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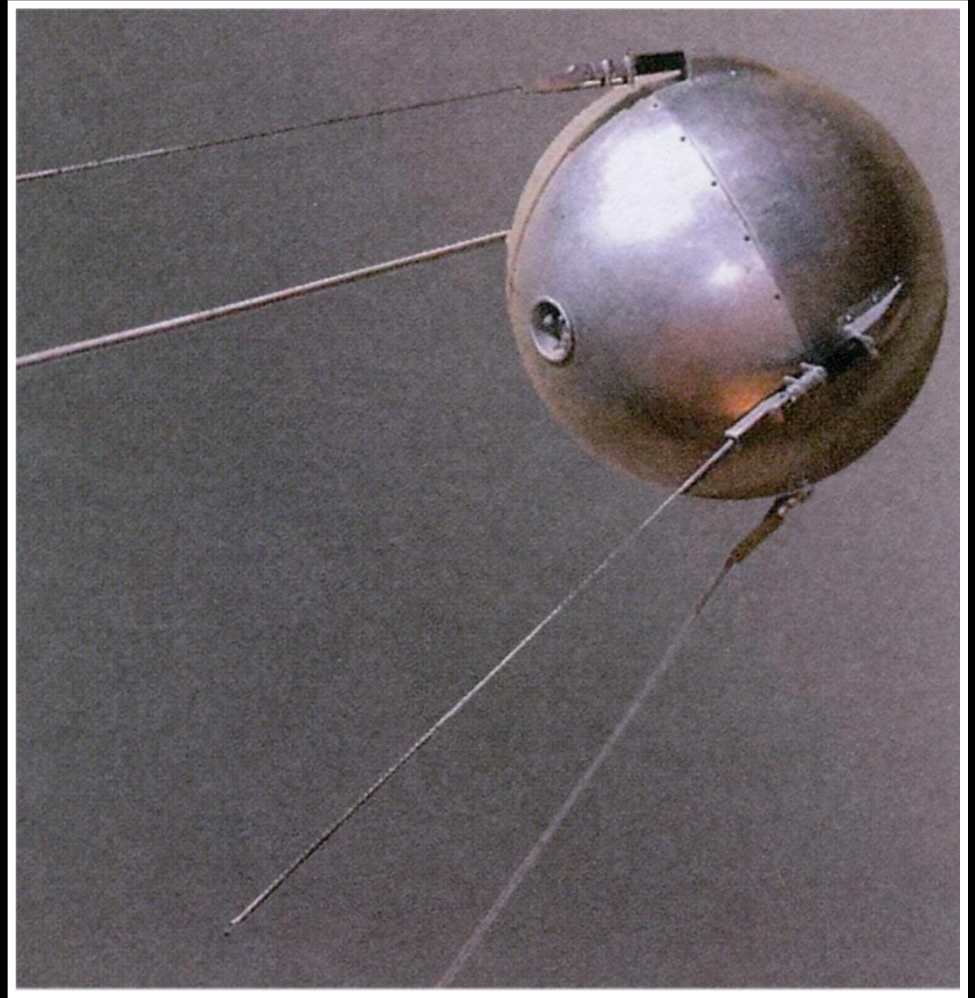




Russia is famous for its outstanding people - scientists, writers, poets, travellers and explorers. For centuries Russia has encouraged research and innovation and it has a lot of achievements.



All Russian people are proud of our achievements in space explorations.



Konstantin Eduardovich Tsiolkovsky, the great Russian scientist, dreamt of space travels, and his dreams came true. On 4 October, 1957 our country launched the world's first satellite "Sputnik".



The first cosmonaut on the Earth to fly into space, Yuri Gagarin, was our countryman. His flight around the Earth, which he made on 12 April 1961, lasted 1 hour 48 minutes.



When Yuri Gagarin came back in his spaceship “Vostok”, he was made a hero of our country.



After his flight he visited 30 countries and everybody wished to see the first cosmonaut. Everywhere he went – in Europe, Asia, Africa and America – Yuri Gagarin was welcomed as a representative of our country.



He was a patriot , a man with a big and great ideals. He took an active part in training the other cosmonauts.



Yuri Gagarin died in 1968, but people all over the world will always keep in their hearts the memory of the man who devoted his life to science, peace and friendship among nations.



“Flying round the Earth
in a spaceship,
I saw how wonderful our planet was.
People, let us preserve this beauty and not destroy it.”

Yuri Gagarin