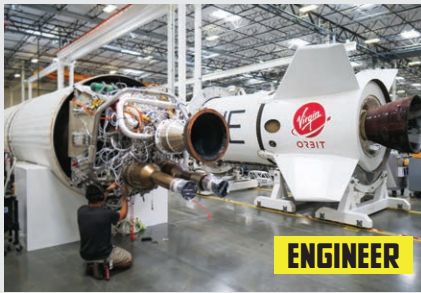


SPACE JOBS

WHEN JOBS IN THE SPACE SECTOR ARE TALKED ABOUT, MOST PEOPLE THINK ABOUT ASTRONAUTS, BUT ASTRONAUTS ARE ONLY A REALLY, REALLY SMALL NUMBER OF THE JOBS AVAILABLE. THERE ARE LOADS OF OTHERS.



TASK 15: CAN YOU MATCH THE JOB TITLE WITH THE EXPLANATION?



ENGINEER

These people use the information that satellites have produced. They use the data in applications that we may have on our phones, online or within products.



SPACE DATA SCIENTISTS

These people solve problems. They use science and maths to work out the best way of creating new things or to improve them. In this case, these people will be the ones who will build the rockets, satellites and spacecraft.



APPLICATION DEVELOPERS

Also called astrophysicists, these people explore the information that satellites send back to Earth. They store, maintain and analyse this information to share with the rest of the world. This can lead to fascinating, life-changing results.



SPACE CRAFT OPERATORS

Once up in space, our satellites will sometimes need to be controlled. These are the people who will guide and control space flight from their control centres. They can also help a satellite stay in its correct orbit, by telling it to change position slightly.