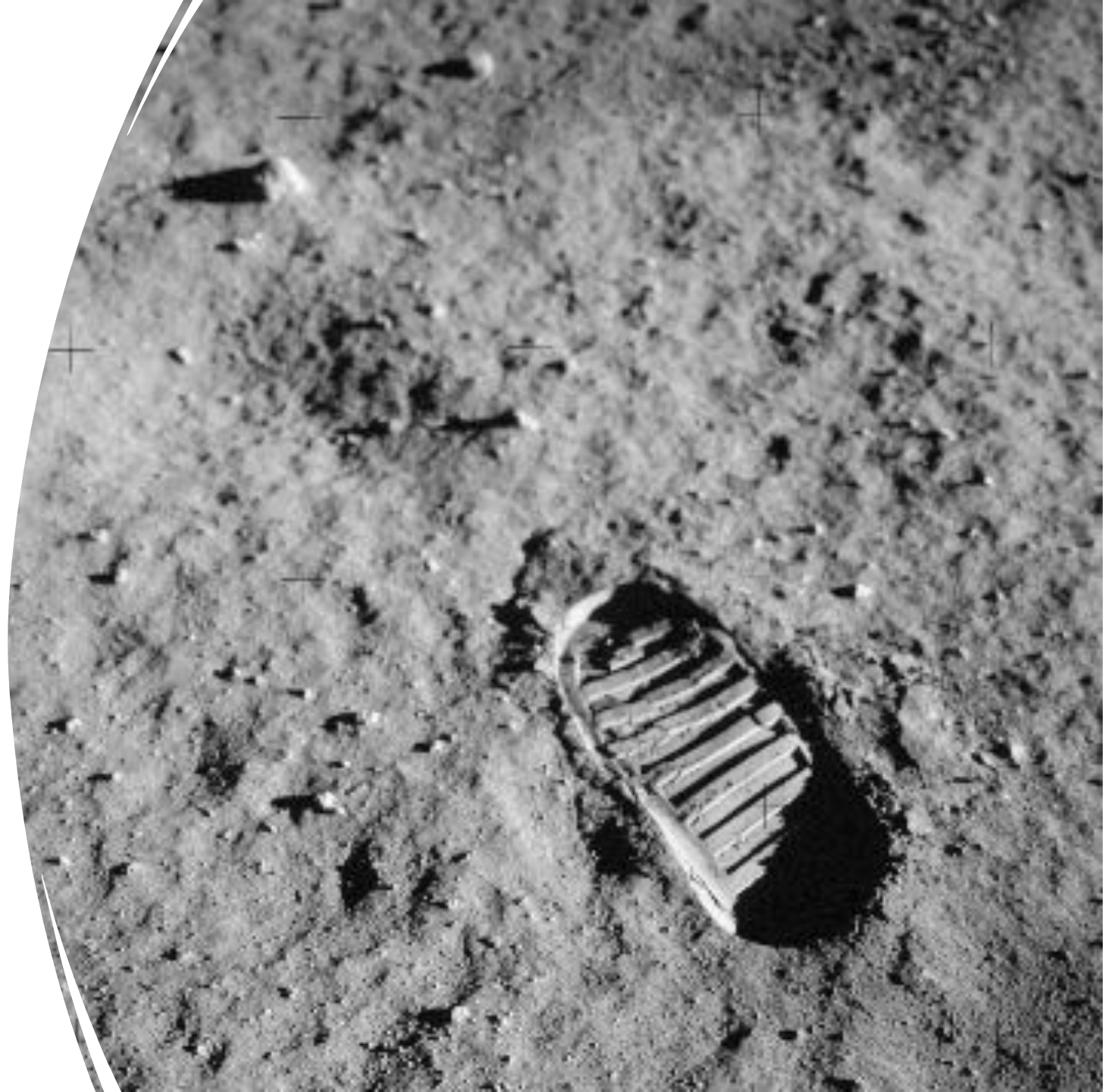


Finger Knitting on the Moon



Art on the Moon

- The surface of the Moon is various shades of gray. To promote the mental health of the astronauts living on the moon or beyond colorful art would be beneficial. At a current cost of \$1.2 a pound to bring anything to the moon, astronauts must create art only using recycled material such as clothing. This activity uses astronauts' discarded T-shirts cut in strips and made into yarn. A HUNCH team at Olympia High School in Washington developed this project.





OUR IDEA

We can recycle our old, worn t-shirts and cut them into yarn. The yarn can then be used to crochet into blankets, seat covers, flags, or whatever your heart desires!



This is a How to make T-shirts into yarn video. The video demonstrates how to use finger knitting to make artistic items out of old T-shirts. The aim is to inspire astronauts to express themselves through knitted items while on the moon or beyond without bringing up even knitting needles!

By the NASA
HUNCH Team
at Olympia
High School in
Washington



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pcemBhKLa2M>

This video is a great way to help even kindergarten students to learn to use their fingers to knit. Cutting up some of the students' outgrown T-shirts would make a terrific gift for parents.

By Sunday
with Sarah



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Jennifer from Fiber Flux does an excellent job of explaining exactly how to do the Finger Knitting

By Jennifer
from Fiber Flux



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