The U.S. Space and Rocket Center in Huntsville is Alabama’s top tourist attraction. It has so much to see and do that you’ll want to come back again and again.
A star of the Rocket Center is its IN-TUITIVE® Planetarium, which opened in 2019. With its 8K laser projection system and full dome theater, the planetarium provides an immersive, jaw-dropping trip through the universe and beyond. In addition to daily programming, the INTUITIVE® Planetarium also offers Friday night shows on the cosmos for the whole family.

The Rocket Center is also home to the world-renowned Space Camp® program. Since 1982, Space Camp has trained future engineers, scientists and astronauts, including NASA Astronaut Christina Koch, who recently set the record for the longest duration space flight by a woman, Koch, who recently set the record for the longest duration space flight by a woman, is one of six Space Camp graduates to go to space - so far. Among those six is Beth Moses, the chief astronaut trainer for Virgin Galactic and the first female commercial astronaut.

While Space Camp began as a program for children ages 9 to 18, it has expanded to include experiences for families, adults and for corporate training. Designed to fit into a long weekend, Family Space Camp and Adult Space Camp apply the same principals of leadership, team building and fun the weeklong Space Camp programs offer to students.

One of the best parts about Space Camp is having the U.S. Space & Rocket Center for a classroom. It’s one thing to read about space travel and the people who made it happen. It’s another to gaze up at the tip of the Saturn V or peek inside the capsule that took three people to the moon and think about the bravery it took to go. Imagining the future becomes possible.

For more about the U.S. Space & Rocket Center, visit rocketcenter.com. Learn more about Space Camp at spacecamp.com.