On his 16 <sup>th</sup> birthday, he earned his student pilot's license.	
When he was 6, Neil and his Father had a ride in a small plane nicknamed the Tin Goose.	
In his teenage years, Neil stared through a homemade telescope on clear nights and saw the moon and stars.	
A few years later, he became an astronaut Their spacecraft landed on the moon on July 20, 1969.	
After the ride in Tin Goose, Neil spent his free time reading flying magazines and building model aeroplanes.	
In 1932, 2-year-old Neil Armstrong watched airplanes race.	
At the age of 11, he had dreams about hovering above the ground.	