

Your *guide* to the Young Eagles Experience

The EAA Young Eagles® program was launched in 1992 to give young people ages 8-17 the opportunity to go flying in a general aviation airplane.

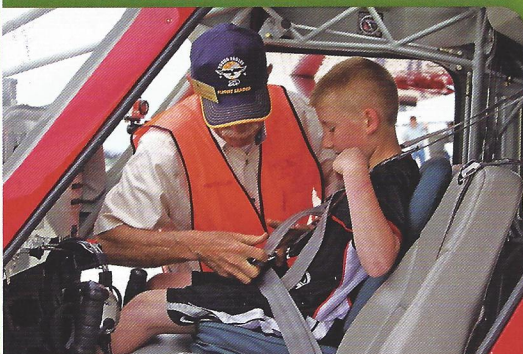
More than 2.2 million Young Eagles flights later, we've seen a lot of young people gain new motivation, focus, and maturity. For some, aviation becomes a lifelong hobby or career.

After today's flight, we encourage you to explore all the possibilities that aviation has to offer through the Young Eagles Flight Plan program—a series of valuable resources and enriching learning opportunities that can get your child's future off the ground.



Meet your **pilot**

The pilots who participate in the Young Eagles program are local members of EAA who are volunteering their time and aircraft to make your flight possible. Each Young Eagles pilot is certificated with the Federal Aviation Administration or Transport Canada. Flights are conducted according to federal regulations and no aerobatic maneuvers will be performed.



What will **my preflight** be like?

First of all, your pilot will explain what you will see and do. This may include explaining how airplanes work, looking at an aeronautical chart (or map), and describing the interior of the airplane, including the instrument panel. Then comes the fun part: **You get to go flying!**



Safety reminders

Safety is always a top priority when it comes to aviation. Listen and follow instructions given by your pilot, stay away from the propellers, and stay with your pilot or ground crew at all times.



What will **my flight** be like?

You will spend about 15 to 20 minutes in the air and follow the basic steps in the illustration to the right. You will experience the awesome feeling of flight that many people only dream about. Many people remember this experience for the rest of their lives. You will, too!

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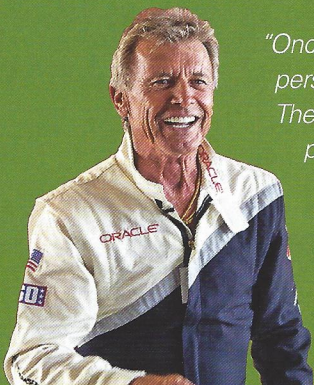


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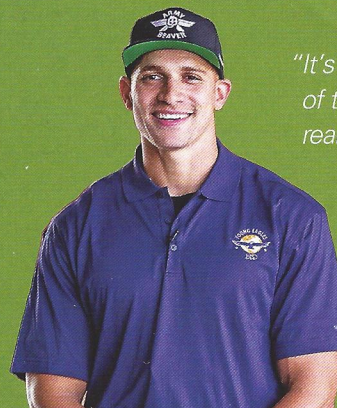
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A **special message** from the EAA Young Eagles co-chairmen



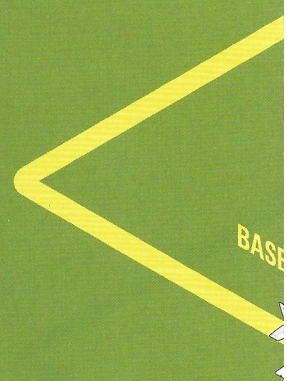
"Once a person leaves the ground, it changes their perspective. It's uplifting, inspiring, and empowering. The EAA Young Eagles program gives today's young people the opportunity to discover the magic of flight for themselves, and in doing so, empowers them to dream and achieve beyond what they can imagine."

Sean D. Tucker
Air show performer and Young Eagles co-chairman



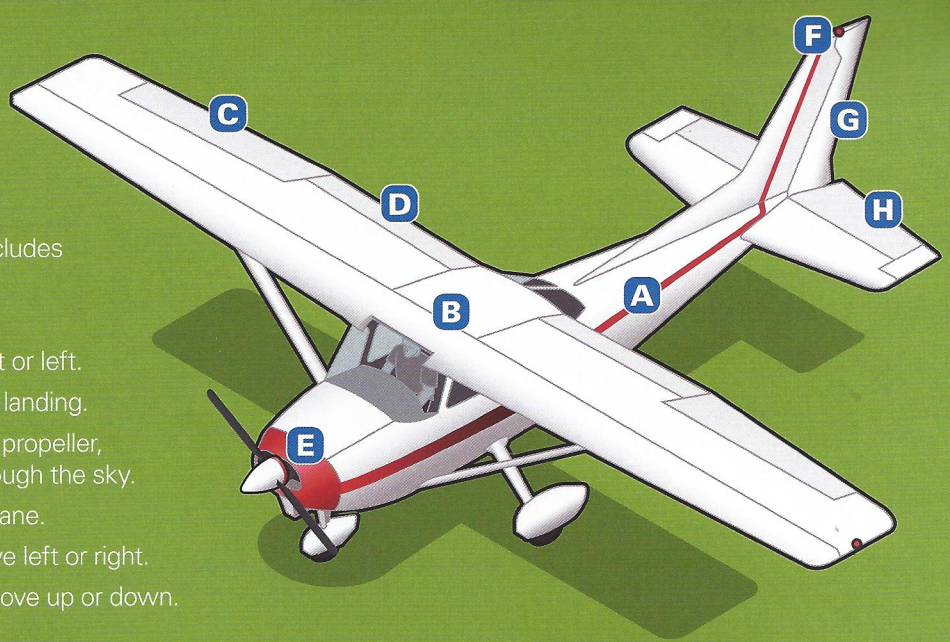
"It's truly humbling to be a part of this great organization, but it's really about the kids and inspiring them. It brings me back to my childhood and how much love I had for my first flight."

Jimmy Graham
NFL tight end and Young Eagles co-chairman



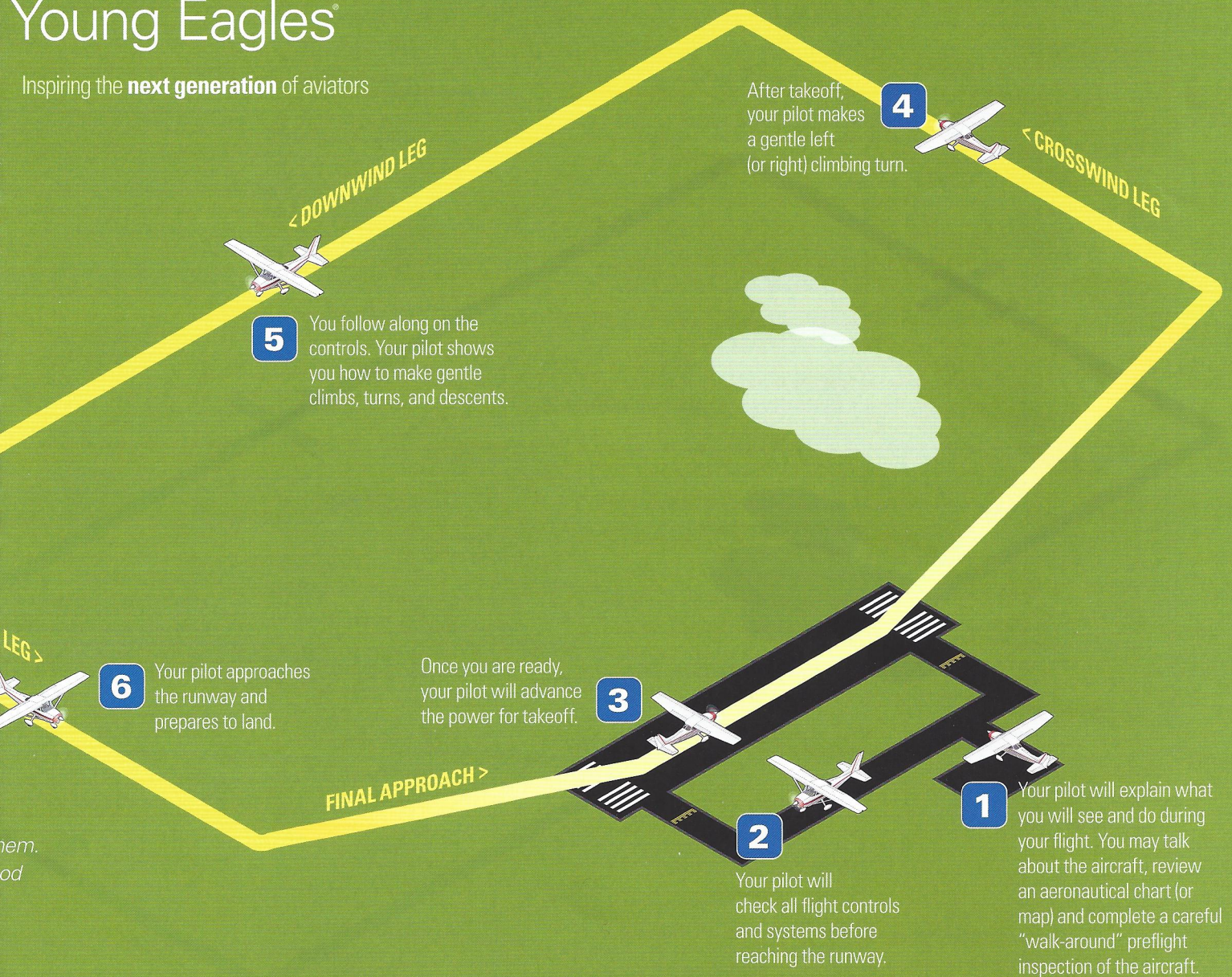
The parts of an airplane

- A. FUSELAGE:** The body of the airplane that includes the cockpit, where you and the pilot sit.
- B. WINGS:** These help create lift.
- C.AILERONS:** These help turn the airplane right or left.
- D. FLAPS:** These help the airplane fly slowly for landing.
- E. ENGINE/PROPELLER:** The engine turns the propeller, which in turn pushes or pulls the airplane through the sky.
- F. TAIL:** The “shark’s fin” at the back of the airplane.
- G. RUDDER:** This helps the airplane’s nose move left or right.
- H. ELEVATOR:** This helps the airplane’s nose move up or down.



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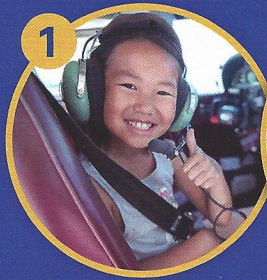
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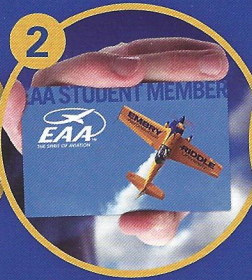
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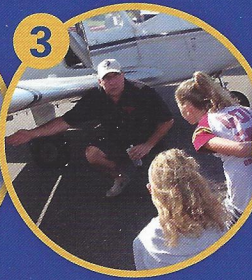
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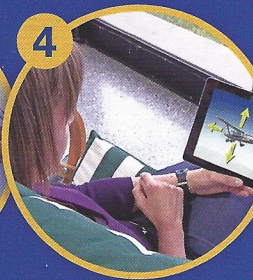
Young Eagles Flight



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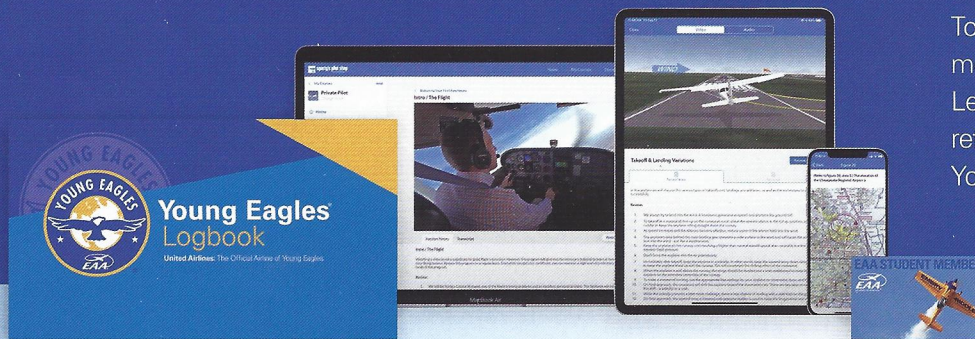
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