Chapter five: Mojo puts it all together



Months of hard work had all built up to this moment. ¡Today, Mojo and Katie would attempt the biggest challenge of all!

"Mojo, are you ready?" Said Katie

Mojo snapped back to reality, he could hardly contain his excitement as he waved it by to the crowd and prepared for launch.

Katy counted down: "three, two, one, blast off!" But, things didn't go exactly as planned.

"Well," said Katie, "at least we probably grew our brains by trying such a big challenge."

"Yeah," said mojo. "Maybe this challenge was just too hard."

Disappointed, he walked home.

That evening, Mojo couldn't stop thinking about the failed launch.

"What did it even matter if your brain was like a muscle?" He thought... "If you always ended up failing in the end, anyway."

Still trying to make sense of it all, he drifted off to sleep. But when the Sun came up the next morning, Mojo was beginning to see things differently. He rushed off to school to find Katie:

"Katie, we've got to adjust this fin design, repair the boosters, and see if Bruce can check our thrust calculations."

"Sounds great! Said Katie "but, I thought you said Rockets were too hard."

"No, no, no! That's all nonsense!" said Mojo.

"See I got to thinking last night, trying to figure out why it matters that your brain is like a muscle."

"First, I thought it meant that if you don't succeed you should just try harder, but it's not just about trying harder."

"Then, I thought it meant you could do anything if you work hard enough, but that's not exactly it either."

"But now, I think the truth is much simpler. It's that working on challenging things is the only way to grow your brain."

"So, if you learn to love challenges you'll always be growing, getting a little better every day, until one day, you can do something incredible!"

Katie smiled. She thought back to how Mojo had wanted to leave school because he thought he wasn't smart enough. Now he was unstoppable!

But, what do you think? As Mojo changed since chapter one. Is it possible for anyone to change, like Mojo has? hmm now that's an interesting question indeed.

