live from NASA's Kennedy Space Center in Florida you're watching coverage on NASA television of the final movement of space shuttle atlantis from NASA's Vehicle Assembly Building to its permanent home at the Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex. Space shuttle atlantis is parked in the Vehicle Assembly Building where it has been for the last few weeks after undergoing a series of modifications and renovations to prepare for public display. The move from the Vehicle Assembly Building where you can see Atlantis at this time will
take about 12 hours and will be a nine

point eight mile journey through the

grounds of Kennedy Space Center and here

we see first motion as space shuttle

Atlantis begins to back out of the

vehicle assembly building Atlantis is on

a 76 wheel orbiter transportation system

so it's not rolling on its own wheels it

will be gently traversing the grounds of

Kennedy Space Center while the weather

criteria for moving Atlantis is not

nearly as stringent as launching

Atlantis was it was very important to

have a an acceptable weather forecast
today in order to ensure that the vehicle was not subjected to rain it is going to be a beautiful day in Central Florida and the Space Coast to watch space shuttle Atlantis make its final move from the Vehicle Assembly Building to the Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex