

NAME: _____

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SPACE & SPACE TRAVEL



Question: *How many planets can you name in English?*

- Complete the 15 sentences with the words on the left.



A alien life *n.*
astronaut *n.*
astronomer *n.*

D discover *v.*
distance *n.*

E Earth *n.*
explore *v.*

G gravity *n.*

M Mars *n.*

K planet *n.*

R rocket *n.*

S solar system *n.*
spaceship *n.*

T telescope *n.*

W world *n.*

1. Animals or plants that might live on other planets are called _____.
2. Some people believe that there might be alien life on _____.
3. Last year, I got a _____ as a birthday present. Now I look at the stars every night.
4. Our _____ has eight planets.
5. I don't live on the moon. I live on _____.
6. _____ makes things fall down.
7. When I was a kid, I wanted to grow up and be an _____ and travel in space.
8. The _____ from the Earth to the sun is about 150 kilometers
9. Galileo Galilei was a famous _____ who used a telescope to study the night sky 400 years ago.
10. Astronomers have discovered hundreds of other _____s that orbit other suns.
11. The planet Neptune was _____ed in 1846. People didn't know it existed before that time.
12. Why do people want to _____ space? Why do they want to find out what is out there?
13. _____s, like the one in the picture at the top of this page, carry astronauts into space.
14. Another word for planet is "_____".
15. Perhaps, humans will travel in _____s to other solar systems and planets in the future.

Aim Supplementary vocabulary building

Level Intermediate to Advanced

Time Approximately 15 – 20 minutes

ANSWER KEY

My Notes

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Listed according to their orbital distance from the sun: Mercury; Venus; Earth; Mars; Jupiter; Uranus; Neptune

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