

# The Moon

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## Moon Facts

Research some facts about the Moon.



Use the following questions as a guide.

Does the Earth travel around the Moon or does the Moon travel around the Earth?

How far is it from the Moon to Earth?

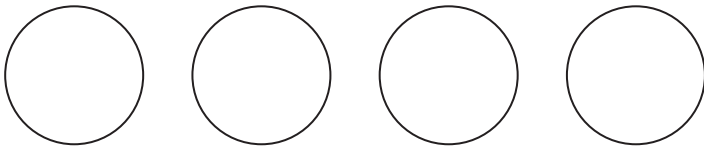
When did man first step foot on the Moon?

How big is the Moon compared to the Earth?

## Phases of the Moon

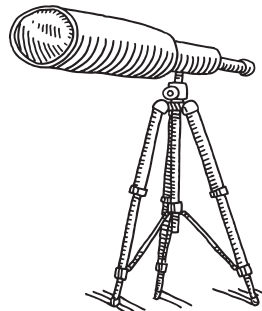
Once every week for a month, draw a picture of the Moon.

How does the shape of the Moon change over the month?



## Amazing Fact

Did you know that there are three golf balls on the Moon.



How do you think they got there?

## Pre-Writing Activity

Write ten words that rhyme with 'moon'.

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## Poetry Writing

Use some of your 'moon' rhyming words to write a short funny poem.

Draw a picture to illustrate your poem.

## Number Crunchers

In the future, it takes a spaceship 17 hours to travel from the Earth to the Moon and back to the Earth.

If you were the captain of the spaceship, and you made six trips every month, how many hours would you spend going to and from the Moon in three months?

