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My Rocket Ship

When I fall asleep, I dream about what it would be like to have a rocket ship. If I had a rocket ship, my first destination would be the Earth's moon, which is called Luna. When I got to Luna I would jump all around. Because there is little gravity I would be able to jump very high.

After I finished jumping all over the moon, I would fly to Saturn and travel around Saturn's beautiful rings. On my way to Saturn, I would try to avoid a number of Asteroids. Asteroids are large pieces of rocks and minerals.

In my science class I learned that would take me almost my entire life to travel to Pluto. Pluto is the last Planet in our solar system. Because it's so far from our Sun that it is super cold. I wish I could see Pluto up close.

ANSWER THE QUESTIONS:

1. What is the name of Earth's Moon?

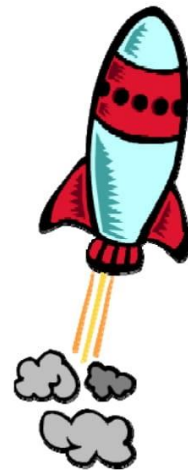
- a. moona b. muna c. moon d. luna

2. Which of the following IS true?

- a. You wouldn't be able to jump on the moon.
b. The moon's gravity would allow you to jump high.
c. The Earth has less gravity than it's moon.
d. None of the above.

3. What is a unique feature of Saturn?

- a. it's a moon b. it has lots of water
c. it bright pink in color d. it has rings



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4. What are asteroids made of?

- a. vitamins b. ice
- c. plastic d. rock

5. Why is Pluto a cold planet?

- a. it is too close to our Sun b. it's far away from our Sun
- c. it's outside our solar system d. has no moons

6. Which planet do think is furthest from our Sun?

- a. Luna b. Pluto
- c. Earth d. Saturn