Moon Online Scavenger Hunt

What do you know about the moon? Complete this worksheet to learn more about what makes the moon look so bright, and how it is different from Earth! Use Nasa’s Space Place website to fill in the blanks!

Online Resource: https://spaceplace.nasa.gov/all-about-the-moon/en/

The moon is an average of ________ miles away from Earth.

The moon takes ________ days to orbit the Earth.

The moon’s light comes from the ________ shining on it.

We always see the same side of the moon because the moon rotates on its axis at the ________ ________ that it orbits the Earth.

Scientists believe the moon formed by a Mars sized planet ________ into Earth, breaking pieces off of both planets crust and forming the moon.

Nasa’s ________ ________ ________ has been orbiting the moon and sending back measurements since 2009.

The first two men on the moon were ________ ________ and ________ _________. These men arrived on the moon in July of ________

Since Apollo 11, ________ astronauts have visited the moon.

The dark spots on the are craters filled with dried ________.
The moon has _______ of the Earth’s gravity and doesn’t have an ____________.

Near the poles of the moon there is _______ ________.

Label Each Phases of the moon on the following diagram.