What is the average distance between Earth and the Moon?

What causes the alternation between day and night?

How old is the Moon?

Why do we always see the same side of the Moon?

How long does it take for the Moon to complete one revolution around Earth?

What shape is the Moon's orbit?

How long does it take for the phases of the Moon to repeat?

During what phase is the near side of the Moon completely black in the sky? revolution period (synchronous rotation)

An almost perfect circle (it's actually an oval, but very close to a circle)

384400 km
3474 km

## Earth's rotation <br> 23 h 56 min

27.3 days
27.3 days

Our changing perspective of the visible portion of the Moon while it revolves around Earth

During what phase is the near side of the Moon completely visible in the sky?

Which phase comes after the last quarter?

Which phase comes after the waxing crescent?

## Which phase comes after the first quarter?

Which phase comes before the waxing crescent?

Which phase comes before the first quarter?

Which phase comes before the waning gibbous?

Which phase comes before the waning crescent?

During which Moon phase is it possible for a lunar eclipse to occur?

During which Moon phase is it possible for a solar eclipse to occur?

During what type of eclipse is the Moon between Earth and the Sun?

## Waning gibbous

First quarter
Full Moon

## Full Moon

During what type of eclipse is Earth between the Moon and the Sun?

During what type of eclipse is the Sun completely hidden by the Moon?

During what type of eclipse does the Moon appear red?

During what type of eclipse does the Moon not entirely cover the Sun even if it is centred over it?

During what type of eclipse is only a portion of the Sun hidden by the Moon?

During what type of eclipse is there only a part of the Moon hidden by Earth's shadow?

How many eclipses (lunar and solar) happen in one year?

What causes solar eclipses?
What causes lunar eclipses?

Which is the largest moon in the solar system?

The strength of gravity on the Moon is not as strong as it is on Earth. How much weaker is it?

If you can jump a maximum height of one metre on Earth, what is the maximum height you could jump on the Moon?

What caused the numerous craters (holes) on the surface of the Moon?

Why is the sky always dark on the Moon?

How many times heavier or lighter would a person weigh on the Moon compared to their weight on Earth?

How many times larger or smaller would a person's mass be on the Moon compared to their mass on Earth?

What is the diameter of the largest crater on the Moon?

Why did we name the large, dark expanses on the Moon "seas"?

Because the Moon does not have an atmosphere

Around six times lighter

Because the first astronomers thought they were large expanses of liquid water, like the seas on Earth

Six metres (six times higher)

Rocks of various sizes that hit its surface at very high speeds

Because they remain intact due to the fact that the Moon has no atmosphere, liquid water or geological activity. If it did, the craters would disappear in time

