1 **Complete the sentences with the nouns below. There is one extra noun.**

atmosphere engine galaxy gravity
orbit satellite solar system

1 The jet _____ in the spacecraft makes it fly very fast.
2 The recent mission sent a _____ into space to improve communication systems.
3 There are billions of stars in our _____.
4 The Earth takes one year to _____ the sun.
5 The Earth's _____ protects us from the sun's rays and allows us to breathe.
6 _____ makes things fall to the ground.

2 **Complete the words for each definition.**

1 the word for 1,000,000 **m** _ _ _ _ _ _
2 someone who studies the stars **a** _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _
3 an icy rock travelling through space with a 'tail' of gas **c** _ _ _ _
4 ours has eight planets in it **s** _ _ _ _ **s** _ _ _ _ _
5 the measurement of how wide something is **w** _ _ _ _
6 something you use to look at the stars **t** _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _
7 the measurement of how high something is **h** _ _ _ _ _
8 the Earth is one of these **p** _ _ _ _ _

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