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This is Houston

1 Look at the pictures. Complete the words.



s c r e e n



s



c



h



l
m



s
c



c
c



l
p



c
p

2 Correct one moon landing word in each sentence.

- 1 There was something wrong with the ~~headset~~ and the astronauts didn't know the temperature.
- 2 When the space capsule reached zero, the rocket took off.
- 3 They couldn't speak to the astronaut because he wasn't wearing his launch pad.
- 4 The astronauts put on their control panels and climbed into the rocket.
- 5 The lunar module landed in a large countdown clock on the moon.
- 6 Before they took off, the astronauts sat in the crater and checked the control panel.

control panel

3 Read and match.

- 1 The three children have landed
- 2 The photo on the wall
- 3 It was taken
- 4 One of the engineers
- 5 Patrick explains that
- 6 A security officer thinks that

d

- a shows the Saturn V rocket.
- b asks them what they are doing.
- c they could be spies.
- d ~~in Houston, Texas. It is 1969.~~
- e they are from the future.
- f four days ago.

- 1 Complete the sentences with the gerund of the verbs in brackets.

Language focus

- 1 _____ (go) on a space trip is exciting!
 2 _____ (look) at the sky is such fun!
 3 _____ (stay) up late is really tiring.
 I need to go to bed – it's almost one!



- 2 Write sentences for the photos.



Eating vegetables is
healthy.



fun.



exciting.



hard.



dangerous.



boring.

- 3 Write five more sentences about yourself. Use a different adjective in each sentence and the gerund of some of the verbs from the box.

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- 1 Reading about the moon landing is interesting.

2 _____
 3 _____
 4 _____
 5 _____
 6 _____