

# Is Space Exploration Still a Good Idea?

What are the parts of speech for the **bold** words? Write: Noun, Verb, Adjective, or Adverb in the blank.

1. "Once you've been in space, you **appreciate** how small and **fragile** Earth is." →

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3. "That's one small step for a man, one giant **leap** for mankind." →

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4. "We have a basic responsibility to our **species** to venture to other worlds." →

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Match the words on the left with the definitions. Write the letter of the definitions in the blank. (Definitions taken from [Learner's Dictionary](#).)

----- appreciate      **A:** a great and sudden change, increase, or improvement

----- fragile      **B:** a particular group of things or people that belong together or have some shared quality

----- leap      **C:** very delicate

----- species      **D:** to understand the worth or importance of (something or someone)

----- venture      **E:** to go somewhere that is unknown, dangerous, etc.

