

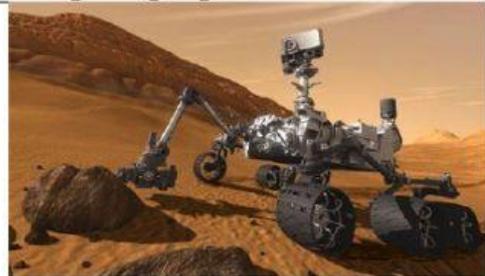
Task 1: Choose the correct answer.

As a planetary geologist, Bethany Ehlmann studies our solar system. She ¹*wonders / leads* to how the rocks on Mars were formed and how they interacted with water. She is also looking for ²*degrees / proof* that life could have been or could be present on the Red Planet- Mars. She works closely with ‘Curiosity’, a six-wheeled robot called a *rover*. Rovers can move around and explore. Curiosity travels through the plains and ³*valleys / aspects* on the surface of Mars. It uses scientific ⁴*dust / instruments* to analyse the Martian ⁵*proof / landscape*. Bethany hopes that Curiosity’s work, combined with new technological advances, will one day provide the answer to the ⁶*fundamental / satellite* question: Is there life beyond Earth?

Task 2: Complete the sentences with words from the paragraph.



1 _____ is a planetary geologist.



2 _____ is a robot that can move easily on rough grounds.



3 To _____ means to travel though unfamiliar areas to learn about them.



4 Our _____ has planets like the earth.



5 _____ is also called the Red Planet.



6 _____ are low areas between two mountains where rivers can flow.