

At the Planetarium

Following the order of the pictures, write an essay of about 100 words.



1 Fill in the correct **connector**. There may be more than one correct answer.

e.g. Jenny wants to be an astronaut because/seeing that she loves learning about the solar system.

- a) Antonio knows all about outer space. _____, he knows all the planets' names.
- b) They haven't seen any stars _____ the clouds.
- c) _____ being warned about the dangers of heat, they went to the beach.
- d) The sun is very hot, _____ Neptune is very cold.
- e) _____ the sun is very big, it isn't the largest star in our solar system.
- f) _____ Saturn, Uranus has rings.
- g) Hanan loves looking at the night sky and the stars. _____, she doesn't believe in horoscopes.
- h) The students learn astronomy. _____, they learn astrology.
- i) Scientists don't know a lot about Neptune _____ it being so far away.
- j) Andy studied a lot _____ pass his exam.
- k) Elizabeth studied astronomy, _____ her job isn't connected to her field of study.
- l) Yenni woke up late, _____, he didn't go on the class trip.
- m) _____ astrology, Jana wants to study science.
- n) There are many things to see in the planetarium, _____, films of the planets.
- o) No one could ever live on Mercury, _____ it is too hot.

Match the conditional clauses to the result clauses.

1. If the students went to the planetarium,	a)		they'll be very happy.
2. If the students were older,	b)		more people could study it.
3. If the teacher takes the students to the planetarium again,	c)		the students will learn and have fun at the same time.
4. If the planetarium is exciting,	d)		everyone will be upset.
5. If the students win the science fair,	e)		will the students want to go?
6. If astronomy was easy,	f)	<i>I</i>	they would learn so many interesting facts.
7. If there is another trip to the planetarium,	g)		it would close.
8. If the planetarium closes,	h)		they will celebrate.
9. If no one visited the planetarium,	i)		they could go to the planetarium whenever they wanted.

Wrap up with Grammar

① Match the questions to the answers.

1. Have you learnt a lot of facts about the Solar System?	a)	It has sent it to Mars.
2. Have scientists been studying our Solar System for many years?	b)	Yes, I have. I've seen the big dipper and the little dipper.
3. Where has NASA sent Curiosity?	c)	In order to learn more about what is out there.
4. What has Curiosity been looking for?	d)	No, I haven't. I haven't ever wanted to go.
5. Have you ever seen a constellation?	e)	I've learnt that they measure distance not time.
6. Why have scientists been studying our Solar System?	f)	Yes, we have. Some of them are very interesting.
7. What have you learnt about light years?	g)	It has been searching for microbes or any life forms.
8. Have you ever dreamt of flying to outer space?	h)	Yes, they have. They have been learning new things all the time.

Complete the sentences.

- a) Pluto is a dwarf planet; however, _____.
- b) Studying the constellations is interesting in addition to _____.
- c) I enjoyed studying this unit because _____.
- d) I think astronomy is _____ because of _____.
- e) If trips to the moon become common, I _____.
- f) In spite of the fact that _____, I still enjoyed it!
- g) If _____, it would be fun.
- h) If we _____, it melts.
- i) I learnt many interesting facts, for example, _____.
- j) In spite of _____, Mars might be inhabitable.
- k) I want to read more about space, in order to _____.
- l) Venus _____ whereas Neptune _____.