

Tasks for the Summative Assessment for the term 2

Reading

Task 1. Read the text

1 ★ Read the text below and answer the questions T (true), F (false) or DS (doesn't say).

Living on Mars

Would you like to go into space? How would you feel, looking back at Earth? It would be amazing, wouldn't it? But how would you feel if you had to stay up there? Believe it or not, a Dutch organisation is planning to send humans to live on the planet Mars!

The purpose of the Mars One project is to build a small village on Mars where people can live. Thousands applied for a place on the mission, but only 24 people can go on the first spacecraft. However, before they leave, there is a lot of work to do.

The astronauts have to train very hard for their mission and study science, technology and medicine.



Mars One is also going to send a rover in 2018 to test some of the technology the astronauts will use. Then, in 2020, another rover will land on Mars. Its job is to find a good place for the humans to build their village. In 2022, six spacecraft will travel to Mars carrying everything the astronauts will need to live on Mars, including a machine to produce water and make the air safe to breathe. Two years later, the astronauts will land and their adventure will begin!

1 Mars One is a Dutch project.

2 Mars One will send thousands of people into space on the first spacecraft.

3 The people who apply for the mission must be experts in science, technology or medicine.

4 The astronauts train every day for their mission.

5 The first rover will land on Mars in 2018.

6 The scientists at Mars One have already decided where to build the village.

7 Six astronauts will land on Mars in the year 2022.

8 They will need a special machine to breathe safely on Mars.

Writing

Task 2. Fill in the table showing causes, effects and solutions of the problem. Перепишите фразы, правильно заполняя таблицу (причина возникновения данной проблемы, к чему приводит данная проблема, способ ее решения)

Environmental problems

Problem	Causes	Effects	Solutions
Global warming 			
Endangered species 			
Deforestation 			

Man-made chemicals released from aerosol

Habitat destruction

Decline of species such as plants used for medicines

Ecotourism

Protect species by legislation

Glacial retreat

Factories should have filters installed

Severe water, air, ground pollution

Trees are cut or burned to the ground to build houses