



4 Read and circle the correct word.

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

5 Learn new words. Listen to these words and match them to the definitions. Then listen and repeat. **TR: 73 and 74**

advance	astronomer	to equip with	requirement
_____	_____	1. provide	
_____	_____	2. progress, technology	
_____	_____	3. something that's necessary	
_____	_____	4. a person who studies the stars and planets	



Bethany Ehlmann with a Mars rover



Please, make sure to check your work, your spelling, your grammar before submitting it, OK!