

X. Supply the correct form of the words in brackets.

John Young, NASA most _____ astronaut, flown into space six times. (**experience**)

2. The high concentration of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere makes it _____ to humans. (**poison**)

3. _____ have just discovered a giant, Jupiter-like planet. (**astronomy**)

4. The planet Mars has been _____ remotely by spacecraft. (**exploration**)

5. Saturn's moon Rhea may have a _____ atmosphere that is very similar to Earth's. (**breathe**)

6. The term UFO stands for “ _____ flying object”. (**identify**)

7. A _____ is a native inhabitant of the planet Mars. (**Mars**)

8. How can someone fight hunger, _____, and radiation on Mars? (**lonely**)

9. That film about aliens might _____ be classified a horror film. (**appropriate**)

10. What _____ could you propose for humans to live in a City on the moon? (**accommodate**)

XI. Fill in each blank with an appropriate preposition.

1. The children were excited _____ Star Wars: The Last Jedi.

2. Yuri Gagarin was the first person to fly _____ space.

3. NASA scientists are looking _____ habitable planets.

4. Mercury is the closest planet _____ the Sun.

5. He saw aliens coming _____ of the UFO.

6. Venus is very similar _____ Earth in terms of size and surface gravity.

7. Mars is named _____ the Roman God of war.

8. If intelligent aliens exist, how could we communicate _____ them?

9. Humans will be living _____ Mars far sooner than most people think.

10. Neil Armstrong took the first steps on the moon's surface _____ July 20, 1969.

C. SPEAKING

I. Complete the dialogue with the appropriate sentences (A - H).

- A. It's so interesting!
- B. It's a ring of icy bodies just outside of Neptune's orbit.
- C. It's a dwarf planet that lies in the Kuiper belt.
- D. Because it did not meet the three criteria the IAU uses to define a full-sized planet. It is not big enough to clear smaller bodies close to it.
- E. Well, you should read astronomy books.
- F. Sure. Eight planets.
- G. Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, and Neptune.
- H. Yes. A while back, Pluto was the ninth planet from the sun, but it is not counted as a planet any more.