

6. A (n) _____ is a scientist who studies the stars and planets.
A. captain B. alien C. astronaut D. astronomer

7. Astronauts _____ around in space because there is no gravity in space.
A. fly B. float C. walk D. trace

8. In a weightless environment, everything floats _____.
A. uncontrollably B. downwards C. smoothly D. constantly

9. On June 2, 1966, Surveyor 1 becomes the first U.S. _____ to land on the moon.
A. flying saucer B. airplane C. spacecraft D. helicopter

10. Mars is the most _____ planet in our Solar System besides Earth.
A. powerful B. notable C. appropriate D. habitable

IV. Complete the sentences using may (not) or might (not). Where two answers are possible, write them both.

1. Aliens _____ exist in ways that we can't even imagine.
2. Many scientists think that there _____ be life on other planets.
3. Scientists said that farthest stars in Milky Way _____ be cut by another galaxy.
4. I _____ go to the party because I'm not feeling very well.
5. In the future, it _____ be possible to build a spaceship that can travel to distant planet.
6. I have an appointment at the dentist's at 4.00. _____ I leave half an hour early?
7. Astronomers thought the dwarf planet 2007 OR10 _____ have a moon.
8. If we found water on Mars, we _____ use it to make rocket fuel.
9. The examiner says we _____ leave when we've finished.
10. Some scientists think aliens _____ have two legs, or any legs at all.

V. Underline the correct answers.

1. Levy asked me **what / why** the future life looked like.
2. Mr. Brown asked me **if / how** I had ever visited NASA.
3. Dr. Memphis asked me where humans **could / may** live besides Earth.
4. Stoner asked me if Voyager 2 **had passed / has passed** Saturn.
5. Davy asked me what the aliens **will / would be doing** when he might saw them.
6. Christina asked me **where / if** scientists had responded to the signs from outer space.
7. Norman asked me **when / whether** Mercury had been discovered.
8. Jacob asked me how much I **knew / had known** about the Red Planet.
9. Richard asked his teacher **whether / why** there was life on other planets.
10. Roy asked me if I **was meeting / had met** Val the previous day.