

## Moon Phase Diagram & Cloze Activity

### PART A – Label the Moon Phase Diagram

**Instructions:** Below is a diagram of the Moon phases. Match the numbers to the correct moon phase using the words in the box.

#### WORD BANK:

**New Moon, Waxing Crescent, First Quarter, Waxing Gibbous, Full Moon, Waning Gibbous, Last Quarter, Waning Crescent**

[ 1 ]    [ 2 ]    [ 3 ]    [ 4 ]  
[ 5 ]    [ 6 ]    [ 7 ]    [ 8 ]

### PART B – Cloze Activity: Fill in the Blanks

**Instructions:** Use the correct moon phase vocabulary from the word bank to complete the sentences.

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ is when we cannot see the Moon at all.
2. A \_\_\_\_\_ moon looks like a small curve of light on the right side.
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ moon is when we see half of the Moon's right side.
4. A \_\_\_\_\_ moon is when almost all the right side is visible.
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ moon is when the Moon is fully lit.
6. A \_\_\_\_\_ moon happens after the Full Moon, as the light starts to decrease.
7. The \_\_\_\_\_ moon is when we see half of the Moon's left side.
8. A \_\_\_\_\_ moon looks like a small curve of light on the left side.

#### Bonus Challenge

Draw your favorite moon phase and write a sentence using one of these words: light, dark, shape, sky.