Science Reading Comprehension Worksheets

Read the paragraph and answer the questions that follow!

The Moon

The Moon is the brightest and largest object in our night sky. We see it shining it a night because its surface reflects light from the sun

The moon is a satelite because it moves around Earth. The Moon is Earth's only natural satelite. It is about one-quarter the size of Earth and orbits around our planet about once every 27,3 days.

The Moon has no atmosphere or water, and its surface is rocky and dusty. It is also home to many craters, mountains, and vaileys. We can better see The Moon with telescope.

Choose a, b, or c for the correct answer!

- 1. What is The moon?
 - a. The moon is a satelite of sun
 - b. The moon is a satelite of earth
 - c. The moon is a star
- 2. Why does The Moon shine?
 - a. Because its surface reflects light from the sun
 - b. Because its surface reflects light from the earth
 - c. The Moon makes its own light
- 3. What is The Moon covered by?
 - a. Trees
 - b. Rivers
 - c. Dusty

- 4. How long does it take for The Moon to orbit around Earth?
 - a. 24,3 days
 - b. 27,3 days
 - c. 28 days
- 5. What tool can we use to better see the moon?
 - a. Telescope
 - b. Stopwatch
 - c. Microscope



ANSWER KEY

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- 1. b. The moon is a satelite of earth
- 2. a. Because its surface reflects light from the sun
- 3. c. Dusty
- 4. d. 27,3 days
- 5. e. Telescope



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