

Reading Comprehension
Fictional Neil Armstrong Competition

Read the text on the next page about a fictional competition and answer the questions.

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2. What might the space party be like?

3. What did Neil Armstrong say when he took his first step on the moon?

4. What is the answer to the competition question?

5. How do you enter the competition?

Neil Armstrong Competition

COMPETITION

Win two tickets to The Space Museum's Neil Armstrong event!

On the 21st of July, The Space Museum will be putting on a very special event. On this day in 1969, Neil Armstrong was the first person to walk on the moon. We will watch the video of the historic event and some of NASA's top astronauts will be here!

Learn
about
Neil's life
and work!



Win prizes
in our
Moon
Landing
Quiz!



Enjoy our
Space
party with
food and
drinks!

When Neil Armstrong took his first step on the moon he said,
"That's one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind."
He was right! At our event, we'll also look at the steps we have taken in
space travel since that very first moon walk.

To enter the competition, simply answer this question:

Who was the second man to walk on the moon?

- A. Buzz Moon
- B. Buzz Aldrin
- C. Buzz Lightyear

Circle the correct answer, fill in your contact details and post this slip to:
The Space Museum, Moonlight Way, London, WC8 9AB
OR email your name and answer to: competitions@thespacemuseum.org

Name: _____ Contact Number: _____

English – Guided Reading – Fictional Neil Armstrong Competition

Children should read the text and answer the questions explaining, where possible, how they know the answer. Children may find it easier to read the text first and discuss what it is about and what is happening and then answer the questions.

The answers to the questions are given below.

1. What date did Neil Armstrong take the first steps on the moon?

21st July 1969

2. What might the space party be like?

Various answers, for example: It might be great fun.

3. What did Neil Armstrong say when he took his first step on the moon?

"That's one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind."

4. What is the answer to the competition question?

B. Buzz Aldrin

5. How do you enter the competition?

You have to answer the question on the slip and post it to the address given or email it to competitions@thespacemuseum.org.

