

# Grade 5 Reading Test - A Visit to the Planetarium

Grade 5 | Semester 1 | Grade 5A Unit 3 | Total: 10 marks

STUDENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

CLASS \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

## READING

10 marks

Read the text carefully. Choose the best answer for each question.

### CURRICULUM FOCUS

space, places, directions, and information text

Last Thursday, Class 5A visited a planetarium in Muscat. First, the pupils sat in a dark room with a round ceiling. When the show started, stars appeared above them. The guide explained that the Moon moves around the Earth, and the Earth moves around the Sun.

After the show, the pupils looked at models of planets. Salim liked Mars because it looked red and dusty. Aisha liked Saturn because it had beautiful rings. The class also learned how astronauts live and work in space.

Before they left, the teacher gave the pupils a map of the sky. She asked them to look for the Moon and three bright stars at home. Everyone felt excited because the visit made space feel closer.

- Where did Class 5A go?  
 a supermarket                       a planetarium                       a beach
- What appeared above the pupils?  
 stars                                       fish                                       cars
- What moves around the Earth?  
 the Moon                               Saturn                               Mars
- What did the pupils look at after the show?  
 models of planets                       new clothes                       old letters
- Why did Salim like Mars?  
 It was blue.                               It looked red and dusty.                       It had rings.
- Which planet had beautiful rings?  
 Saturn                                       Earth                                       Mars
- What did the class learn about astronauts?  
 how they live and work                       how they cook rice                       how they buy clothes
- What did the teacher give the pupils?  
 a phone                                       a map of the sky                       a football
- What did the teacher ask pupils to find at home?  
 the Moon and stars                       a shop                                       a whale
- How did the pupils feel?  
 angry                                       excited                                       sleepy

READING SCORE

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### ANSWERS

10 marks

1. a planetarium    2. stars    3. the Moon    4. models of planets    5. It looked red and dusty.    6. Saturn  
7. how they live and work    8. a map of the sky.    9. the Moon and stars    10. excited

SOURCE ALIGNMENT NOTE

Aligned to Grade 5A Unit 3: space, planets, places, and simple information texts.