

Lesson - 10

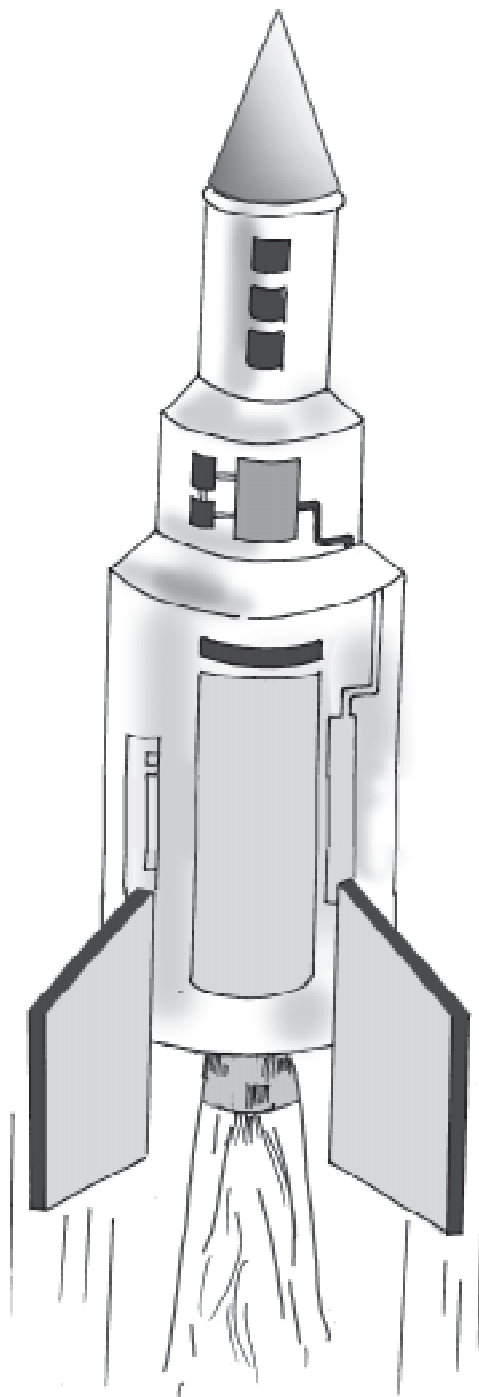
The Modern Way

The poet wants to take her friend for a ride in her rocket. A rocket here means a spacecraft.

O! come with me and see the moon,
If we have time we'll visit Mars,
It's really quite a pleasant trip.
Great fun at night with all the stars
That shine like diamonds in the sky.

Please say you'll come,
It won't take long.
My Rocket's waiting just outside.
I've passed my test with perfect ease,
And long to take you for a ride.

— *Jacqueline Newman*



1. Listen and Repeat:

fun	ring	rope	just	night	Mars
bun	sing	hope	must	might	cars
gun	bring	cope	rust	fight	stars

2. Comprehension:

Answer the questions given below:

1. Whom does the poet invite?
2. What does she want to see?
3. Which are the things that attract her?
4. Which test has she cleared?
5. What does she long to do?

3. Word Power:

Use the prefix 'un' to write the opposites of the words given below-

Example :	ease	-	unease
	pleasant	-	_____
	happy	-	_____
	wanted	-	_____
	natural	-	_____

4. Grammar in Use:

A) Rewrite the following lines using the punctuation marks wherever necessary:

i have a tree a green tree to shade me from the sun under it i often sit when all my work is done

B) Rearrange the words to make meaningful sentences:

Example : The moon / and / see / with / me / o / come / ! / . /

O! come with me and see the moon.

1. have / time / if / we / will / visit / . / Mars / we
2. it's / a / quite / trip / . / really / pleasant
3. diamonds / in / shine / the / sky / stars / . / like

4. my / rocket / just / waiting / is / outside / . /

5. you / take / . / will / a / long / for / ride / I /

5. Let's Talk:

Discuss with your friend and list the names of planets. Then ask these questions and find answers. Ask your friend to repeat the questions and learn the correct answers.

1. Which is the smallest planet?
2. Which is the hottest planet?
3. What are the people who go into space called?
4. Name the astronaut you have read about?
5. What do you find most interesting about the space journey?

6. Let's Write:

Add the missing lines of the poem:

- a) O! come with me and see the moon.

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It's really quite a pleasant trip.

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Great fun at night with all the stars.

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- b) Please say you'll come.

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My rocket's waiting just outside.

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7. Let's Do it:

Visit the school library to find a poem on nature and then recite it in the class.