

PHASES OF THE MOON CALENDAR

As the Moon makes its way around the Earth, we see the bright parts of the Moon's surface at different angles. These are called "phases" of the Moon. In this activity, you can keep track of the phases of the Moon all year round!

Instructions:

- 1 Add the month and the year to the Moon Phase Calendar.
- 2 Work out which day the month starts, and start your numbering on that day.
- 3 Fill in the days of the week at the top of the calendar. If the month starts on a Tuesday, put Tuesday first and the following days after.
- 4 Find out how many days are in that month.
- 5 Each night, observe the Moon and draw the Moon phase you see on the calendar on the correct date.

You will need:

Warm Clothes
Moon Phase Calendar
Moon Phases Sheet
Jungle Formula

Tips on viewing the Moon:

Just like the Sun, the Moon rises and sets each day. The difference is that the Moon rises and sets at specific times, depending on what phase it is in



The New Moon

The new moon rises and sets at roughly the same time as the sun.



The First Quarter Moon

The first quarter moon rises at mid-morning and sets at midnight (it's at its highest point around dusk)



The Full Moon

The full moon rises at sunset and sets at sunrise.



The Last Quarter Moon

The last quarter moon rises around midnight and sets around mid-morning. This is the hardest one to see because it rises so late!

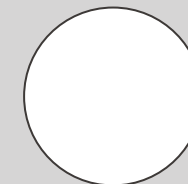
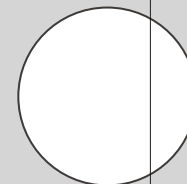
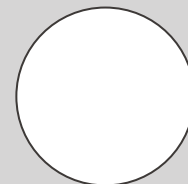
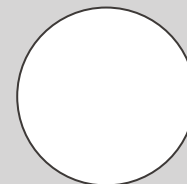
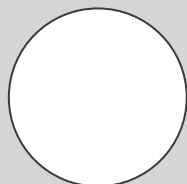
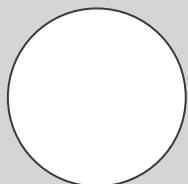
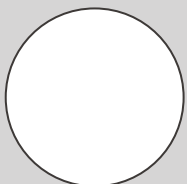


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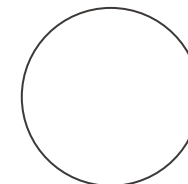
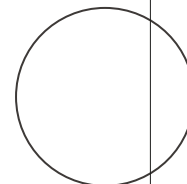
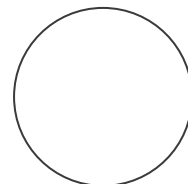
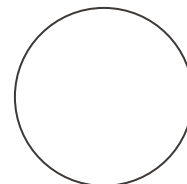
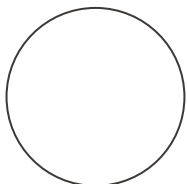
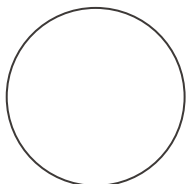
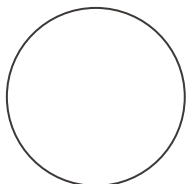
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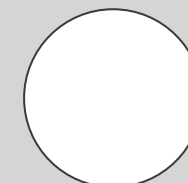
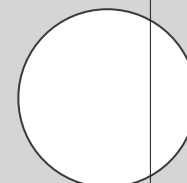
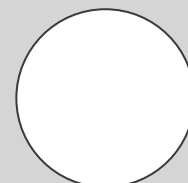
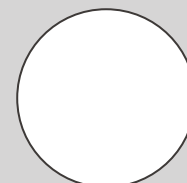
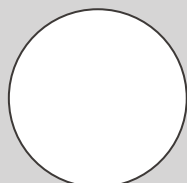
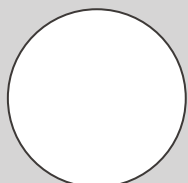
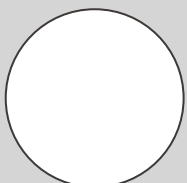
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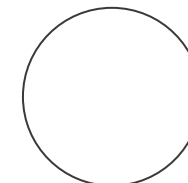
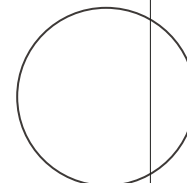
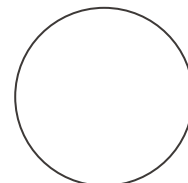
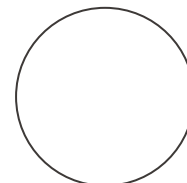
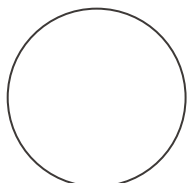
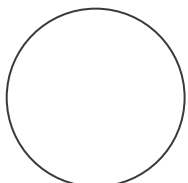
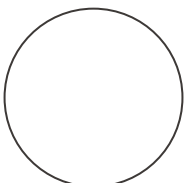
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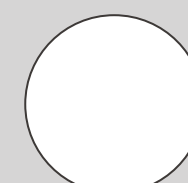
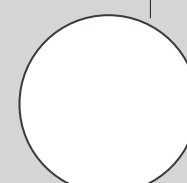
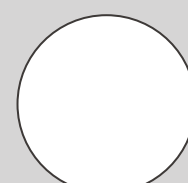
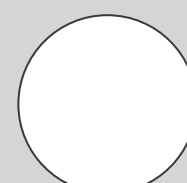
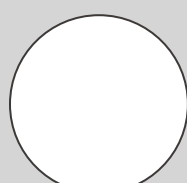
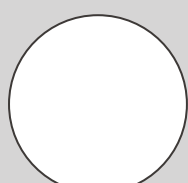
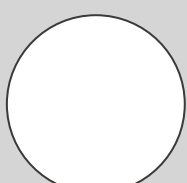
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