

Moon Time Detectives

Listen to Moon observations and show when the Moon was seen.

SC.K.E.5.4 "Observe that sometimes the Moon can be seen at night and sometimes during the day."

NAME _____

DATE _____

Teacher: this page is run aloud. The script and answers are on the guide page.

1 MOON CLUES _____

a	NIGHT	BOTH	DAY
b	NIGHT	DAY	BOTH
c	DAY	BOTH	NIGHT

2 TIME WORDS _____

DAY
NIGHT

HOW TO RUN THIS PAGE

Read each Moon observation aloud, then read the large choices in the row. Students listen for clues about the time and circle a choice, then trace the two time words that name the observations.

Students never read directions on this sheet. Read each part's script aloud, then each prompt, giving think time before students mark.

PART 1 • MOON CLUES

SAY "Listen to each Moon clue. I will read the choices in each row. Circle the word that matches the clue."

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	A child saw the Moon at recess. The sky was light. Is that NIGHT, BOTH, or DAY?	DAY
b	A child saw the Moon after the sky got dark. Is that NIGHT, DAY, or BOTH?	NIGHT
c	The Moon can sometimes be seen in the day and sometimes at night. Is that DAY, BOTH, or NIGHT?	BOTH

PART 2 • TIME WORDS

SAY "Look at the gray word in each box. Trace the letters to make the time word."

- Box 1: **DAY**
- Box 2: **NIGHT**

WHAT TO ACCEPT

Circle row answers are DAY, NIGHT, and BOTH. Accept reasonably traced DAY and NIGHT letters, including letters traced over the gray models.