



What's in the Sky?

Recommended Vocabulary for Explicit Discussion

Some vocabulary is learned implicitly by repeated exposure through reading books on a related topic. However, it is also beneficial to explicitly discuss and teach a few words from each read-aloud.

Utilize these key terms chosen from this read-aloud collection in conversation and activities to build vocabulary and reinforce concepts.

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| air | full moon | shine |
| astronauts | gravity boots | shuttle |
| bright | leaped | silver |
| calendar | light | sky |
| cast | mission | soil |
| center | night | space suit |
| closest | noon | sprang |
| crew | oxygen helmets | star |
| dandelion | planets | sun |
| darkness | pride | time |
| daytime | rockets | tumbled |
| dew | rocky | turning |
| Earth | satellite | wish |
| evening | shadow | world |
| farthest | share | zero gravity |