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Answer the questions. Check the correct boxes.



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ALAN SHEPARD

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NEIL ARMSTRONG

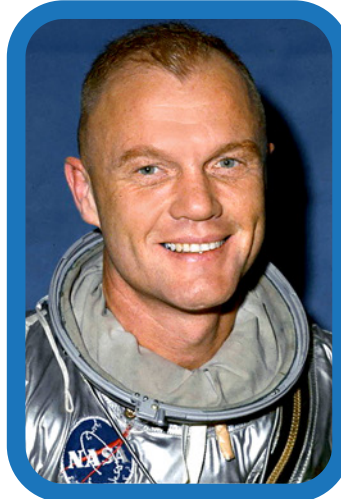
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EDWIN ALDRIN

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2. Who was the first American to orbit the Earth?

SALLY RIDE

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ALAN SHEPARD

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JOHN GLENN

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3. What is the name of the first American woman in space?

PEGGY WHITSON

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SALLY RIDE

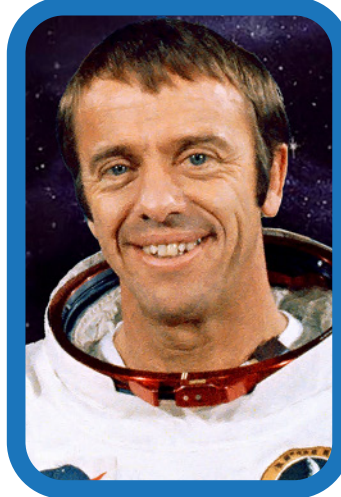
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EILEEN COLLINS

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4. Who was the first American in space?

ALAN SHEPARD

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NEIL ARMSTRONG

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SALLY RIDE

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Worksheet Answer Key.

Scan the QR code to get the answer key for this worksheet. In it, you'll also find an explanation of how to solve the worksheet and additional learning resources.

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