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# TEST 02

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### Question 1 of 2

**Directions** You have 20 minutes to plan and write your response. Your response will be judged according to the overall quality of the writing and how well you link the points in the lecture and the reading passage. Typically, an effective response is between 150 and 225 words in length.

## ① 읽기 제한 시간: 3분

Numerous astronomers over the years have reported seeing brief changes in the color or brightness of small areas of the Moon from time to time. Known as transient lunar phenomena, or TLPs, the cause of these events is the subject of a number of interesting and plausible hypotheses.

One possibility is that clouds of lunar gas are causing the phenomena. Many researchers believe that gases beneath the surface of the Moon are occasionally expelled into the thin lunar atmosphere. The resulting gas clouds are visible from Earth as reddish or white hues. This theory is consistent with the fact that most TLPs are seen in the vicinity of craters with large fractures, where the gas would be able to escape to the surface. In fact, a probe sent by NASA to the Moon detected the emission of radon gas in the vicinity of Aristarchus, a lunar crater where many TLPs have been observed.

Next, some experts believe that TLPs are illuminated clouds of dust floating above the lunar landscape. They posit that particles from space strike the Moon's surface, causing lunar dust to levitate above the ground. Light is then reflected off the suspended dust, creating glows that are visible from Earth.

A third theory holds that TLPs are caused by solar radiation. Occasionally, magnetic storms on the Sun's surface release intense bursts of radiation called solar flares, and it is argued that these flares can illuminate portions of the Moon's surface. Many astronomers have reported a greater incidence of TLPs during the peak of the solar cycle when the highest number of flares is emitted, a fact that strongly supports the solar flare hypothesis.

Now listen to part of a lecture on the topic you just read about.



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# Question 2 of 2

**Directions** Read the question below. You have 30 minutes to plan, write, and revise your essay. Typically, an effective response is at least 300 words in length.

Question Some people think that parents should set strict rules for their children if they want them to succeed in life. Others think that strict rules are not necessary for children to obtain success. Which do you think is better?

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