



Conversation



Alireza is visiting an observatory. He is talking to Ms. Tabesh who works there.

- Ms.Tabesh:** Are you interested in the planets?
- Alireza:** Yes! They are really interesting for me, but I don't know much about them.
- Ms.Tabesh:** Planets are really amazing but not so much alike. Do you know how they are different?
- Alireza:** Umm... I know they go around the Sun in different orbits.
- Ms.Tabesh:** That's right. They have different colors and sizes, too. Some are rocky like Mars, some have rings like Saturn and some have moons like Uranus.
- Alireza:** How wonderful! Can we see them without a telescope?
- Ms.Tabesh:** Yeah..., we can see the planets nearer to us without a telescope, such as Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn. We can see Uranus and Neptune only with powerful telescopes.
- Alireza:** And which planet is the largest of all?
- Ms.Tabesh:** Jupiter is the largest one. It has more than sixty moons. Do you want to look at it?
- Alireza:** I really like that.

Questions

Answer the following questions **orally**.

1. How are the planets different?
2. Can we see all planets without a telescope?
3. Do you know the names of the planets in Persian?

