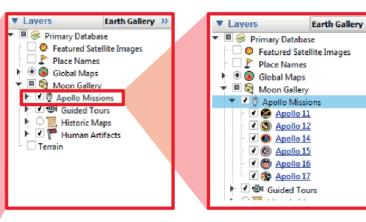
13.1 FOLLOWING THE ASTRONAUTS

In this activity you are going to follow in the footsteps of the astronauts of Apollo 15 using the Google Earth Google Moon map. You will find out about the experiments that they did, and work out how much time they had to do them.

1. LOADING GOOGLE MOON



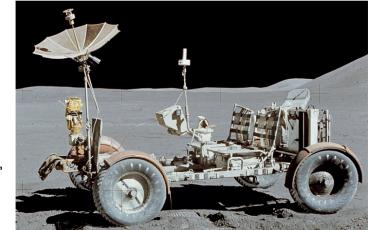


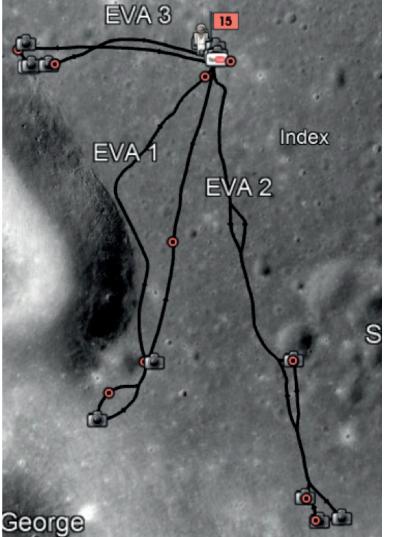
d) The black lines show the three EVAs (Extra Vehicular Activities) that the astronauts made during their mission. They were able to cover so much ground because they had a LRV (Lunar Roving Vehicle) – a battery powered Moon buggy that they could use to explore much further than they could on foot.

a) Launch Google Earth and open Google Moon (see Exploring the Moon in Google Earth guide for details).

b) In the layers tab, double click on Apollo Missions and then click on Apollo 15 to bring up the information box. "zoom in" text in the bottom left-hand corner of the information box to go to the landing site. Close the text box by clicking the "X" in the top right-hand corner.

c) Click on the





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