

For each of the text sets, there are some additional suggestions of articles listed and a few possible new questions the club might discuss. Note that these are just a few of the questions students could discuss—the best situation would be that they come up with their own questions—the ones below are only meant as a guide. Students can also discuss ideas rather than questions.

As always, please preview these sets before giving them to your students to make sure they are best-suited for your particular class.

Underwater and Outer Space Exploration Additional Text Set

Should we be more focused on the Moon or Mars?

Should humans go on a one way trip to Mars?

How should we handle space trash?

- “Trash . . . In Space?” by Sona Dolasia
<http://www.dogonews.com/2012/3/19/trashin-space>
- “Collision In Space” (By: Dante A. Ciampaglia, *Scholastic News*, February 19, 2009)
<http://www.scholastic.com/browse/article.jsp?id=3751404>
- (video) “Space Trash: The Next Big Pickle” by SciShow
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qQgXeGzxfE>
- “The Solar System’s Biggest Junkyard” (By: Stephen Ornes, Student Science, September 23, 2008)
<https://student.societyforscience.org/article/solar-systems-biggest-junkyard>
- “Wanted: Garbage Collectors In Space” (By: Stephen Ornes, September 21, 2011)
<https://student.societyforscience.org/article/wanted-garbage-collectors-space>
- “Your Next Vacation: Outer Space?” (from *Scope Magazine*, Sept. 2011)
- “Creepy, Crawly Sub” (from *Super Science Magazine*, October 2014)
- “What Should I Wear to Mars (By: Salvatore Domenick Desiano)
<http://teacher.scholastic.com/scholasticnews/indepth/space/mars/index.asp?article=lifefonmars>
- “Woman is excited that she might go to Mars—even if she can’t come back” (By *The Baltimore Sun*, adapted by *Newsela* Staff)
<https://newsela.com/articles/mars-finalist/id/8183/>
- “Move to Mars: Apply Now” by Zach Jones
<http://www.scholastic.com/browse/article.jsp?id=3758076>
- Mars One: Mission
<http://www.mars-one.com/mission>
***may be one that you want to steer students toward during Session 12 “Who Said What? Studying Perspective”**
- “Why NASA scientists are heading underwater” by Meera Dolasia
<http://www.dogonews.com/2011/5/22/why-nasa-scientists-are-heading-underwater>

- “Forget Mars, we should live on the MOON”—Can use the whole text but the first half directly speaks to this issue. Excerpt could end at: “We’ll be living on the space station for 10 or 15 years, then onto the moon for several generations, then eventually to Mars.”—
<http://www.dailymail.co.uk/sciencetech/article-2796937/forget-mars-live-moon-chris-hadfield-says-red-planet-big-leap-nasa-moment.html>
- “Why Haven’t We Colonized Mars Yet?” by Charles Q. Choic
<http://www.space.com/11361-space-mars-exploration-human-spaceflight-50-years.html>
- Was there once life on Mars? Spacecraft will look into the mystery (By *Scientific American*, adapted by *Newsela* Staff)
<https://newsela.com/articles/mars-maven/id/5323/>
- “Life, the Universe, and Everything” (By: Steven Ehrenberg) Interview with Neil DeGrasse Tyson
<http://teacher.scholastic.com/scholasticnews/indepth/space/spacestories/index.asp?article=tyson>
- “Living under sea: Japanese visionaries unveil underwater city plan” <http://rt.com/news/207407-underwater-city-plan-japan/>
- “Blast off: Astronauts will print custom tools and fast foods” by Kirsten W. Larson (*Odyssey Magazine*, February 2015)
- “Interview with Buzz Aldrin”
<http://teacher.scholastic.com/space/apollo11/interview.htm>