

How Does a Lunar Eclipse Work?

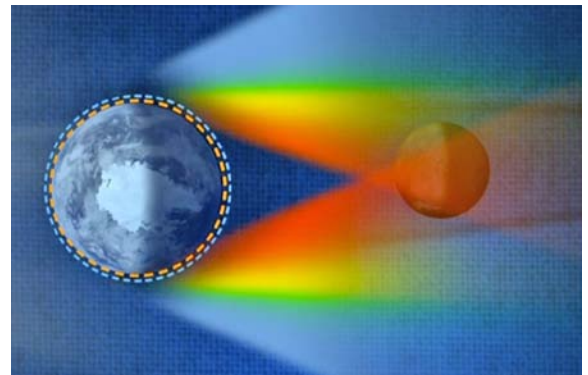
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1. Lunar eclipses happen about two times a year. Why do you think they don't happen more often?

2. In which phase is the Moon during a lunar eclipse?

3. How do Earth and the Sun help to make a lunar eclipse?

4. Why does the Moon sometimes glow red during a lunar eclipse?



5. Have you ever seen a lunar eclipse? If so, describe what it was like to watch it happen. If not, describe what you think it would be like to watch a lunar eclipse, based on what you saw in the video.

Teacher Instructions: Have students write their responses on this sheet or on separate paper.