

A TRIP TO THE MOON

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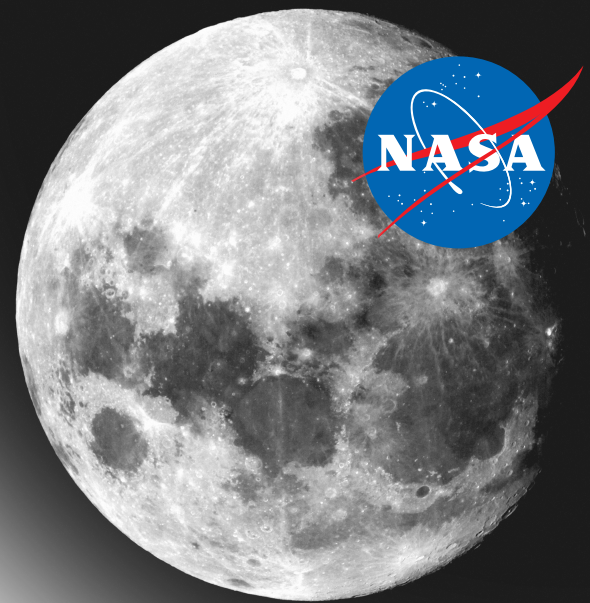


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(wikipedia.org/wiki/Selene)

Selene

Selene was a goddess in Greek mythology. Like the Roman goddess Luna, pictured above, her name means moon. It could be derived from the Greek word "selas," which means "light." Selene is the root of "selenology," the study of the geology of the moon.

Join NASA in this exciting research by playing our game. It will take only an hour of your time. Selene is designed as a single player online game. The game can be played by both Windows users with Internet Explorer 6 or Firefox web browsers and Macintosh users with Safari or Firefox web browsers. You will also need sound (headset or speakers), Java plug-in version 1.4, and Flash 7 player, which you can download for free.

WE NEED YOU

You must be at least 13 years old AND have your parent/guardian's permission to participate. You must be sponsored by a Selene-approved recruiter. Recruiters are adults who will distribute a permission slip (technically called an informed consent document) and speak with your parents about the Selene research project.

The Selene release is scheduled for May 1. Once you complete the study, you can return to the

Selene web site to play the game as often as you like. If you complete the entire study, we'll give you cool activities about the moon to do alone or share with friends and family. We have lots of ideas for future games and for building an online virtual community of Selene players who share ideas about the game and the moon. We hope you will join us. Log on to your Selene web site often to take advantage of new opportunities.

Because this is a research study, during May you must promise to keep the details of the Selene game and study a secret. You must also promise NEVER to let anyone else use your access code, user name, or password.

INTERESTED IN PLAYING THIS GAME?

All you need to do to get started is to tell your adult recruiter you want to play and then ask your parent/guardian to let your recruiter know you have their permission. That's it! Have fun playing Selene!

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