

## UNIT 15: SPACE CONQUEST

### PART A: READING

#### I. AIMS/OBJECTIVES OF THE LESSON

##### 1. Language focus:

- To help students develop their reading skills to get general and specific information
- To provide students with new words and vocabulary

##### 2. Skills: Reading + Listening/Writing/Speaking

##### 3. Attitudes: Ss are eager to read the reading passage and do the tasks

#### II. PREPARATION

##### 1. Teacher: - Teaching aids: Lesson plan, text book

- Teaching method: Communicative language teaching

##### 2. Students: - Read Unit 15 – reading at home

#### III. PROCEDURE:

##### 1. Class organization (1 minute)

##### 2. Check – up (5 minutes) - Some Ss go to the board, read out their letter

##### 3. New lesson (35 minutes)

Students' activities	Teacher's activities
<b>1. Before you read</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Work in pairs, ask and answer the questions</li><li>+ Yuri Gagarin is the first human to fly into space</li><li>+ Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin are the first humans to set foot on the moon</li><li>+ Pham Tuan is the first Vietnamese to fly into space.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Asks some Ss to give the answer</li></ul>
<b>2. While you read</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Ss listen to the tape and pick out the new word in the reading passage</li><li>+ lift off into space</li><li>+ astronaut = cosmonaut</li><li>+ orbit</li></ul> <b>Task 1</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Ss read the passage silently then do task 1</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Play the tape once</li><li>- Helps Ss to explore new words and phrases</li></ul>

P1: The lift off P2: A view on earth P3: Uncertainties P4: Congratulations P5: The tragic accident	- Instructs Ss to study task 1, checks understanding  - Asks Ss to compare their answer
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- 4. Consolidation: (3 mins)**     - Words and phrases  
   - Summarize the reading text

- 5. Homework (1 min)** - Summarize the reading text