

NASA SPACE PROGRAM

ESCAPE ROOM

NASA
The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) was established in 1958 to succeed the National Aeronautics Administration (NACA), which was established in 1915. NACA was created during the early years of the United States government to catch up with Europe's aeronautics program. NASA began one year after the Soviet Union (now Russia) launched the first satellite, known as Sputnik, into space. At the time, the United States was the only nation to have launched a satellite into space.

LEVEL 1 DECODER

A	B	C	J	K	L
D	E	F	M	N	O
G	H	I	P	Q	R
T	S	U	X	W	Y
V			Z		

L=2 J=q F=I
R=0 W=4 A=6
T=8 G=3 Z=5
Q=7 D=9 P=0
H=1 Y=8 B=3
N=4 C=6 K=1

LEVEL 2 DECODER

FIND THE VALUE OF EACH LETTER

A =

○	×	○
×	×	○
○	×	○

RECORDING SHEET

LEVEL 1	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
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LEVEL 1: QUESTION 2

Who was the first person to set foot on the moon?

John Glenn
 Sally Ride
 Buzz Aldrin
 Neil Armstrong

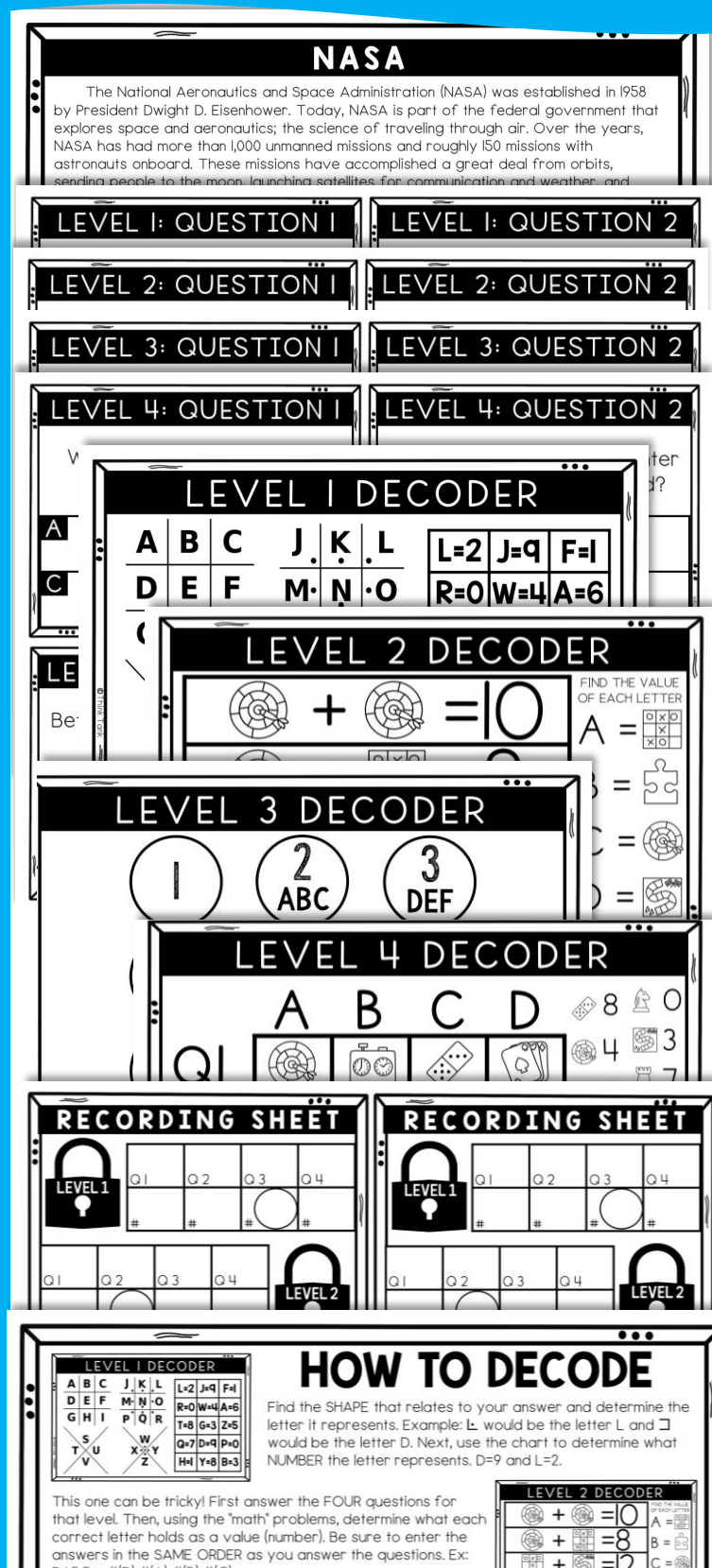
LEVEL 1: QUESTION 4

Gagarin was the first man to orbit the Earth.

THINK TANK

6 colored markers: purple, pink, blue, green, yellow, red.

WHAT'S INCLUDED?



- READING PASSAGE
- 4 PUZZLE DECODERS
- 16 MULTIPLE CHOICE Q'S
- TEACHER GUIDE
- ANSWER KEY
- STUDENT DIRECTIONS
- HINT CARDS



16 QUESTIONS

NASA
...cs and Space Administration (NASA)
...hower. Today, NASA is part of the
...autics; the science of traveling thro
...1,000 unmanned missions and roughl
...ese missions have accomplished a gr
...oon, launching satellites for communi

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LEVEL 1: QUESTION 1
Which president established NASA?
A Nixon B Hoover
C Kennedy D Eisenhower

LEVEL 1: QUESTION 2
Who was the first to set foot on the moon?
A Sally Ride B Buzz Aldrin
C ... D ...

LEVEL 2: QUESTION 1
What year was NASA established?
A 1948 B 1942
C 1958 D 1968

LEVEL 1: QUESTION 3
Project --- became the second manned space program.
A ... B ...
C ... D ...

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LEVEL 1
Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4
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LEVEL 1 DECODER
B C J K L
E F M N O
H I P Q R
U X Y Z

L=2 J=q
R=0 W=4
T=8 G=3
Q=7 D=q
H=l Y=8
N=4 C=6 K

LEVEL 4: QUESTION 1
What was the name of the first man-made satellite launched into space?
A Sputnik B Expedition I
C Discovery D NACA

LEVEL 4: QUESTION 2
... should ...
A ... C ...

LEVEL 3 DECODER
1 2 3
4 5 6
7 8 9
ABCDEFGHIJKL MNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

LEVEL 2
+ [Grid] + [Grid] [Puzzle]

LEVEL 3: QUESTION 1
The first successful manned mission of NASA was part of Project ---.
A Earth B Mercury
C Saturn D Neptune

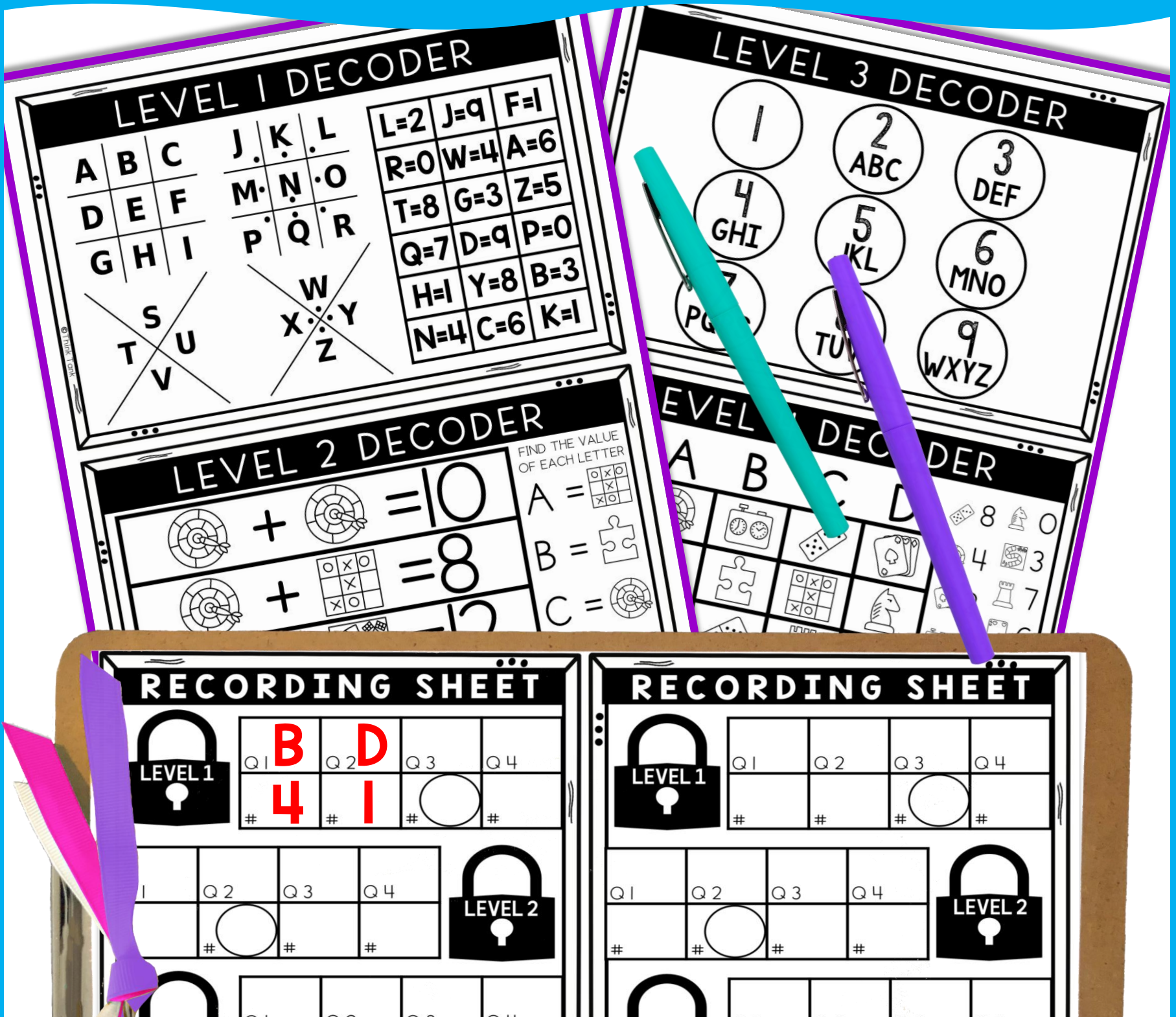
LEVEL 3: QUESTION 2
NASA is divided into how many directorates?
E 3 M 9
Y 5 B 12

LEVEL 3: QUESTION 3
John Glenn orbited the Earth aboard which spacecraft?
I Friendship 7 J

LEVEL 3: QUESTION 4
NASA stands for the National --- and Space Administration.

LEVEL 4 DECODER
Q1 Q2 Q3
A B C D
[Grid with icons]

PUZZLE TYPES





PRINT, CUT, PLAY




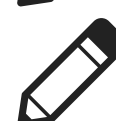


BENEFITS



THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX!

-  ANTICIPATORY SETS
-  UNIT REVIEW
-  EARLY FINISHERS
-  STATIONS
-  SUB PLANS
-  PARTNER WORK
-  ENRICHMENT

-  LOW PREP
-  PRINT, CUT & PLAY
-  CROSS-CURRICULAR
-  HIGHLY ENGAGING

