

Answer the following questions.

## The Men Who Landed on the Moon

Neil Armstrong was enrolled in the NASA astronaut corps in September 1962, where he was convinced that he might someday travel to space. Amazingly, he piloted more than 200 different types of aircraft throughout his career! Armstrong and his crewmates Edwin Aldrin and Michael Collins launched into space at 13:32 on July 16, 1969. Neil Armstrong became the first ever person to set foot on the moon On July 20, 1969. Televisions all across the world broadcasted it. 600 million people are thought to have viewed the astronauts make history. The American flag was placed by Armstrong and Aldrin during their moonwalk. Additionally, they spent some time gathering moon pebbles from the surface. On July 24, 1969, the spacecraft made its way back to Earth.