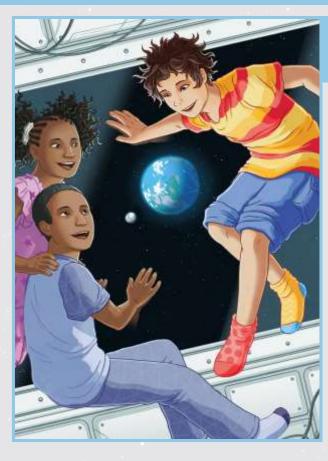


Extract from Jazz's Diary of Adventure 29<sup>th</sup> May 2060

- 1) What did Jazz say was the scariest bit about travelling into space?
- 2) How do you think Mum felt before the launch? Why?
- 3) Why does Jazz compare the launch to feeling like she was being 'sucked through a giant vacuum cleaner'?
- 4) Where is Jazz when she is writing in her diary?
- 5) Look at the last sentence. What do you predict the next text will be?



Extract from Jazz's Diary of Adventure 1st June 2060



### To think about while reading:

- 1) What does 'spacesick' mean?
- 2) What do we learn about Elijah's character?
- 3) How does Jazz make her first space friends?

Extract from Jazz's Diary of Adventure 1st June 2060

- 1. Who is Elijah's sister?
- 2. What was unusual about what Elijah was wearing?
- 3. What does Jazz mean when she says that her 'pointy elbows' helped her in the crowd?
- 4. What impression does the reader get of the moon when it is described as looking like 'a floating table tennis ball'?
- 5. "I could tell just from the way he said it that they were brother and sister." What do you think Jazz means here?



Extract from Jazz's Diary of Adventure 15<sup>th</sup> July 2060



#### To think about while reading:

- 1) How does this diary extract compare with the last one?
- 2) Look at Jazz's predictions for Mars school. Which idea do you think is most likely?
- 3) How old do you think Ellie-May is?

Extract from Jazz's Diary of Adventure 15<sup>th</sup> July 2060

- 1) Why does Jazz think that her teacher will be a robot?
- 2) What lesson is Jazz most looking forward to? Why?
- 3) What does Elijah think Martian maths will be like?
- 4) After travelling on the Argo for over a month, how have Jazz's diary entries changed?
- 5) Why do you think the author has used a numbered list for this section?



Extract from Jazz's Diary of Adventure 20<sup>th</sup> August 2060



#### To think about while reading:

- 1) Why is it important for the passengers on the Argo to visit the gym?
- 2) What is the 'Fun Zone'?
- 3) How do you think Jazz feels on the Argo?

Extract from Jazz's Diary of Adventure 15<sup>th</sup> July 2060

- 1) What is 'microgravity'?
- 2) List three things that can be found in the 'Fun Zone'.
- 3) 'She just raised one eyebrow and said, "We'll see."'
  Do you think that Jazz's mum will let them help her on a mission? Why?
- 4) What is the only rule for the no-hands eating contest?
- 5) Why has the author used capital letters to write 'the ONLY RULE'?

