

Chapter One: Blast off!

In the first chapter, there are five characters that are all members of the Nelson family. Write their names below and draw a picture of each.

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What happens when Zack punches the code into the keypad on his window?

What two planets did Zack say he had visited before, besides Earth?

Number these events from the chapter from 1-5.

Zack punches in the code to see out his window.	Zack's dad calls him Captain.	Dad reminds the family that Luna will join them soon.	Mom tries to cheer up Zack by pointed out Mars and Venus.	Zack's mom tells him that he can still talk to his friend Bert with chats and z-mail.
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Read the sentences below. Decide if they are a **FACT** or an **OPINION**.

1. _____ There were many stars outside Zack's window.
2. _____ The date in this story is February 11, 2120.
3. _____ Zack's twin sisters are annoying.

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In the space below, describe the setting of chapter one. Draw an illustration to go with it.

The setting is...

Zack is the main character in this story. What are two things we know about him?

Zack has twin sisters in this story. What are two things we know about them?

Zack talks about missing Bert and Luna. Who are they?

Use the bubble to the side to make a prediction about what will happen when Zack and his family get to Nebulon.

