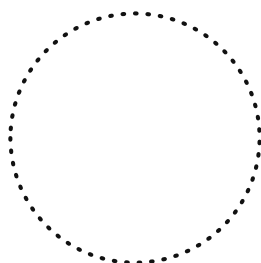


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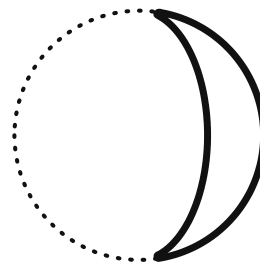
Moon Shapes

The moon seems to change shape. It goes from dark to full and back again, about once a month.



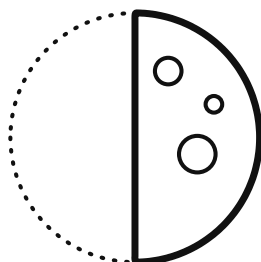
new moon

The moon is there, but we can hardly see it.



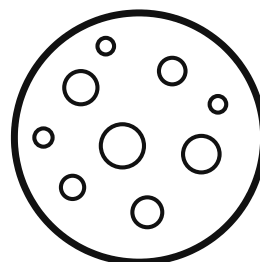
crescent moon

A thin curve of light, like a banana.



half moon

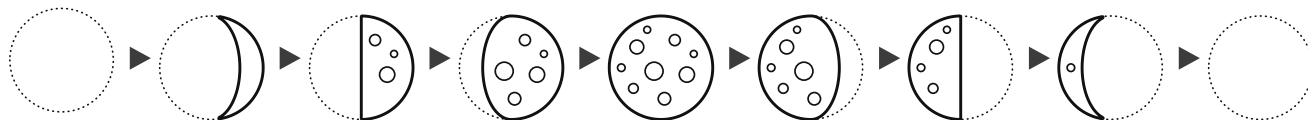
We see half of the moon lit up.



full moon

The whole round moon is bright.

The moon's shapes in order



The lit part grows from the right, then shrinks to the left, as we see it from the United States.

Moon shapes are a first-grade topic. This page is a gentle preview for kindergarten.