

8th March 2021 What's going on this week?



Last month, Nasa's £1.9 billion rover mission successfully landed on Mars after its seven-month, 290-million-mile journey from Earth. The rover, named Perseverance is packed with ground-breaking technology. The mission marks an ambitious first step in the effort to collect samples from Mars and return them to Earth. It is thought that life forms from Earth could temporarily survive a Mars-like atmosphere.

Things to talk about at home...

- Do you think it is important that we learn about other planets? What kind of things do you think we might learn from them?
- The Perseverance rover has 23 cameras, do you think it needs that amount? What do you think they are for?

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