

Introduction of Earth's Natural Satellite



Satellites

Now you know about the planets, solar system and the earth. This chapter will tell you about another objects found in outer space called satellites. They are small heavenly bodies that revolve around the planets. Some planets have their own satellites. For example earth.

A satellite is an object that revolves around a planet.

Now you know from the previous chapter that the earth and all the other planets revolve around the sun. Now the question is what revolves around the earth?

It Moon is the satellite that revolves around the earth therefore it is called the natural satellite of earth. Satellites are of two types:

- A. Natural Satellites:** These satellites are natural.
- B. Man Made Satellites:** These satellites are manmade.

