

Exercise

Read the newspaper report to find the following facts about the Columbia's ill- fated voyage.

1. Date and place of lift off: _____

2. Number of astronauts on board: _____

3. Number of days it stayed in space: _____

4. Number of experiments done by scientists: _____

5. Date of return journey: _____

6. Height at which it lost contact: _____

Answers

1. 16 January 2003

2. Seven

3 .About 16 days

4.eighty experiments

5..1 February 2003

6. 200,000 feet

Use these phrases in sentences of your own, after finding out their meanings.

1.broke apart

2. streaked over

3. spread across

4.lifted off

5. blast off

6. went on

7. cheered along

8. on board

9. carry on