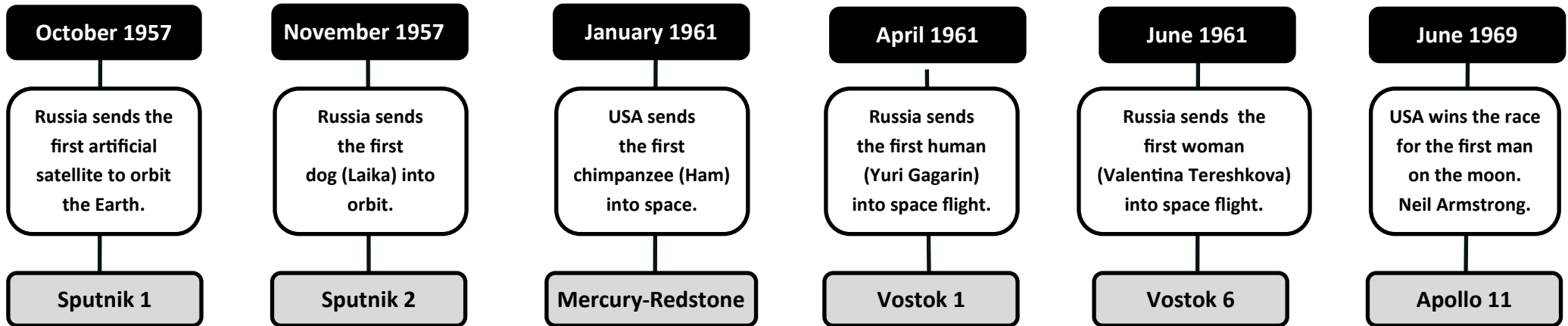


# Y2: SPACE RACE

## KEY EVENTS



## PEOPLE:



### NEIL ARMSTRONG

Who is he?

He was the first man to step foot on the Moon, giving us the famous quote: "One small step for man. One giant leap for mankind."



### MAE JEMISON

Who is she?

She was the first black woman to travel into space in 1992 on Space Shuttle Endeavor.

## THE MOON:



- \*The moon is a ball of rock in space that orbits the Earth.
- \*It takes 29 days for the Moon to travel around the Earth.
- \*It is covered in craters that have been made by meteorites.
- \*It is a lot smaller than Earth.

## KEY VOCABULARY



**ASTRONAUT:** a person who is specially trained to travel into outer space.



**SATELLITE:** an object that orbits a planet or moon.



**GRAVITY:** a force that attracts (pulls) objects to the Earth.



**SPACE SHUTTLE:** a rocket launched spacecraft able to make journeys between Earth and space.



**ORBIT:** a repeating path that one object in space takes around another



**SPACE STATION:** large artificial satellite used as a long term base for space missions.