Warm-up: What Do You Know?

What does NASA stand for…
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What roles do you think women play in the early days of NASA? Explain your answer based on what the roles for women were in business and research in the late 1950s and 1960s. If you are not sure, make an educated guess by applying what you do know regarding the gender roles and their changes across time.
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Explain what the Space Race was in 1950s and 1960s. What two countries led the race to space? Explain why you think it was important for any nation to successfully launch an aircraft into orbit. If you are not sure, make an educated guess by applying what you do know regarding space technology and the impact it has on societies.
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Write down three new facts you learned while watching the Cold War Extends to Space Video.

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