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Add the missing punctuation to these sentences.

- 1 The space probe arrived back it had collected data for the scientists.

_____ - _____ ; _____ : _____

- 2 After months of travel, the astronauts arrived home tired.

_____ - _____ ; _____ : _____

- 3 The glowing planets, the blue earth, the inky black sky this is what made them want to be astronauts.

_____ - _____ ; _____ : _____

- 4 There was a lot to remember spacesuits, flight tools, cameras.

_____ () _____ : _____ ; _____

- 5 Sten saw the Milky Way sparkling and shimmering through the spaceship's window.

_____ () _____ : _____ ; _____

- 6 Klara excited and eager couldn't wait to take off into space.

_____ , _____ : _____ ; _____

- 7 Sten couldn't believe what he was seeing an amazing meteor shower.

_____ , _____ : _____ ; _____

- 8 Stig was looking at the planets Mars, Jupiter and Saturn.

_____ - _____ ; _____ : _____

- 9 The earth our home is one of billions of planets in our galaxy.

_____ , _____ ; _____ : _____

- 10 The Solar system formed 4.6 billion years ago includes eight planets.

_____ () _____ : _____ ; _____



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Which sentence has used the punctuation correctly?

- 11** **a** Looking through the telescope; Stig could see Mars.
b Looking through; the telescope Stig could see Mars.
c Looking through the telescope Stig could see; Mars.



- 12** **a** Asteroids made of rock, and metal, orbit the sun.
b Asteroids made, of rock and metal, orbit the sun.
c Asteroids, made of rock and metal, orbit the sun.



- 13** **a** Saturn famous for its beautiful rings is the (second biggest) planet in our solar system.
b Saturn (famous for its beautiful rings) is the second biggest planet in our solar system.
c Saturn famous for its beautiful rings is the second biggest (planet in our solar system).



- 14** **a** Klara – adjusting – her helmet went to open the spaceship door.
b Klara – adjusting her helmet – went to open the spaceship door.
c Klara adjusting her helmet – went to open – the spaceship door.



- 15** **a** Stig was looking forward: to having some home comforts comfy bed, hot bath and TV.
b Stig: was looking forward to having some home comforts comfy bed, hot bath and TV.
c Stig was looking forward to having some home comforts: comfy bed, hot bath and TV.

