Specialist roles:

Astronomer:

1. What are exoplanets and have scientists discovered any that are good candidates for life?

2. Do scientists believe in the existence of extraterrestrial life? Why?

3. Where do scientists believe extraterrestrial life may exist? Why?

4. What current missions or projects are currently devoted to the discovery of exoplanets or ET searches?

Historian:

1. What are some of the different ideas that previous generations have had about extraterrestrial life?

2. What do people living today believe about the existence of life beyond earth?

3. Are there any races in Earth’s history who thought that there were planets other than Earth in the solar system or around other stars?

3. Has our theories regarding the existence of extraterrestrials changed? If so, what has produced this change?

Astrobiologist:

1. What are some of the theories explaining the origin of life on earth?

2. What are some of the chemical characteristics common to all organisms on Earth

3. What physical conditions to organisms on Earth require in order to survive?

4. What do you think alien life will physically look like? Will there be similarities to life on Earth?

Journalist:

 1. How did authors portray aliens in the nineteenth and twentieth century?

2. How are they depicted in modern-day movies/television? Are they believable?

3. Why do you think stories, TV shows and movies about aliens popular?

4. How are other planets or aliens often portrayed in the media (pos. or neg)?