Moon Phases

Are different forms that the moon takes in its appearance from Earth.

The phase depends on the relative positions from Earth, Moon, and Sun.
It takes a little more than 28 days for the moon to complete its orbit.
New Moon
Waxing Crescent
Waxing Gibbous
Waning Gibbous
Last Quarter
Waning Crescent
Drag the phase of the moon to match its correct position.
This picture is an example of which phase of the moon?

1) Waxing Gibbous
2) First Quarter
3) Waning Crescent
This picture is an example of which phase of the moon?

1) New Moon
2) Full Moon
3) Last Quarter
This picture is an example of which phase of the moon?

1) New Moon
2) Waxing Gibbous
3) Waxing Crescent
About how many days does it take for the Moon to revolve around the Earth?

1) 30 to 31

2) A little more than 28

3) One year
Where does the light from the moon come from?

1) It's light reflected from the sun.

2) The moon has burning gas pockets that create light.

3) The moon reflects light from the Earth.
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