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# Astronomy #1 - Funding for NASA

**Part 1:** Use the resources below to identify pros and cons for funding NASA programs in the future. Select pros and cons that you feel are the strongest reasons for and against funding future space programs.

[www.buzzle.com/articles/pros-and-cons-of-space-exploration.html](http://www.buzzle.com/articles/pros-and-cons-of-space-exploration.html)

<http://federalbudget.com>

<http://www.space.com/24913-how-nasa-will-spend-your-money-video.html>

<b>Pros for Funding NASA</b>	<b>Cons for Funding NASA</b>

**Part 2:** Based on your research, notes and your own personal beliefs, Write a paragraph stating whether or not the federal government should continue to support funding NASA for future space programs.