

## Sunspots, the Moon and Technology

- John of Worcester sketches sunspots on 8th December 1128
- Thomas Harriot observes sunspots with a telescope - determines sun's rotation 8th December 1610
- Thomas Harriot draws images of the moon with a telescope 26 July 1609
- William Lower uses a Harriot telescope to observe the moon 6 February 1610
- "I have observed the moone in all his changes ... In full she appears like a tart that my cooke made me last weeke; here a vaine of brighte stuffe, and there of darke, and so confusedlie all over. I must confess I can see none of this without my cylinder"  
(Lower to Harriot 6 Feb. 1610)