

Did You Know?

A solar system is a group of planets and moons that all rotate around a sun.

There are eight planets in our solar system – Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune.





Did You Know?

The Moon is made of rock.

It rotates around the Earth.

It takes around 28 days for the Moon to rotate around the Earth.

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Did You Know?

As the Earth orbits the Sun, it turns on its axis.

It rotates one full turn in 24 hours (a day).

The side of the Earth that faces the Sun is in daytime and the side of the Earth that is turned away from the Sun is in night-time.

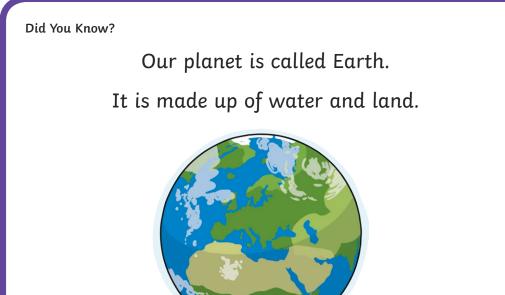




The Sun is a giant star.

It is found at the centre of our solar system.

It controls our seasons and gives life to things on Earth.



Did You Know?

Mars is called the 'Red Planet'. This is because it has a dusty red surface.

Mars is similar to Earth. It has seasons like Earth and its days are 24 hours and 39 minutes long.

