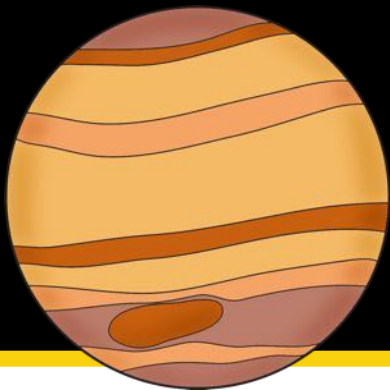




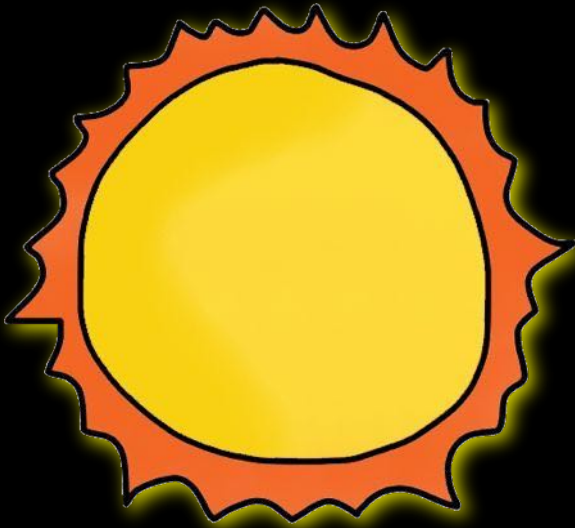
Space Race

Play Space Race to practice identifying and correctly ordering the eight planets in our solar system. Attach the two Space Race pages together so that all eight planets are lined up. The goal of this game is to be the fastest player to fill up their solar system. Players take turns spinning the Space Spinner. When a player lands on a planet, they can place that planet on their solar system. Planets should be placed in the actual order of the solar system. If a player lands on a planet that is already in their solar system, their turn is skipped. The first player to fill their solar system is the winner! Check the answer sheet to make sure that the planets are in the correct order.

To test your solar system skills, take turns asking and answering the planet trivia questions. Use the answer key to check your answers!



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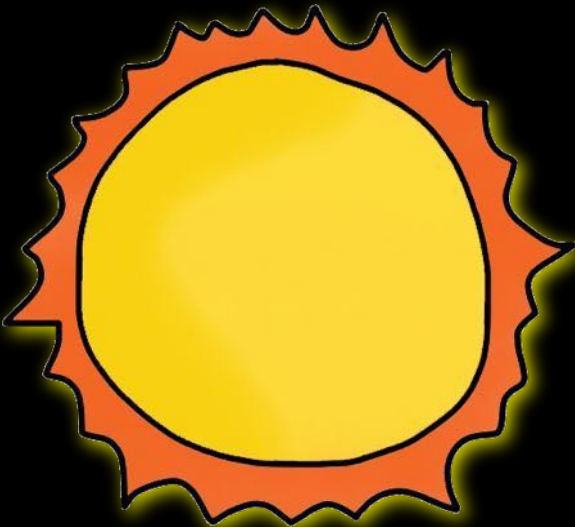


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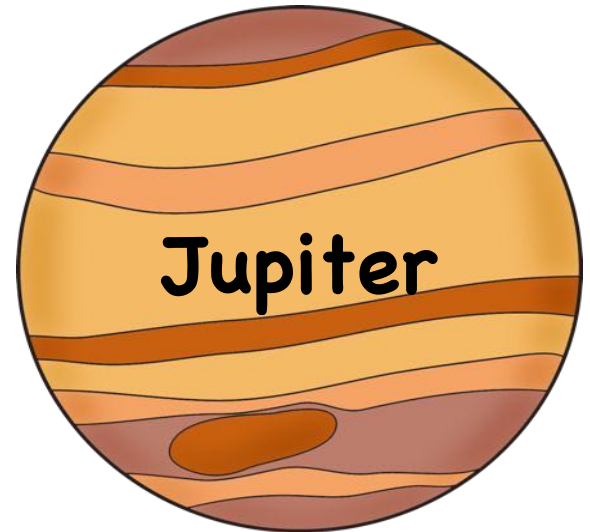
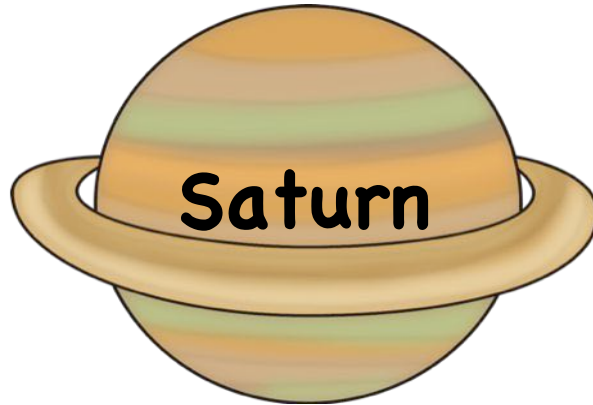
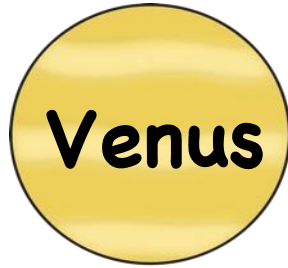
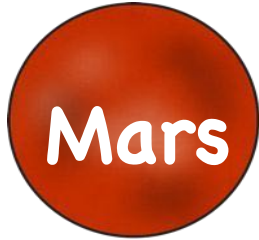
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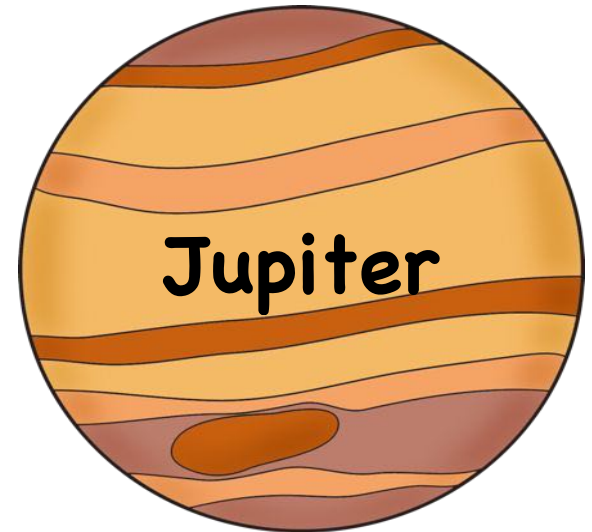
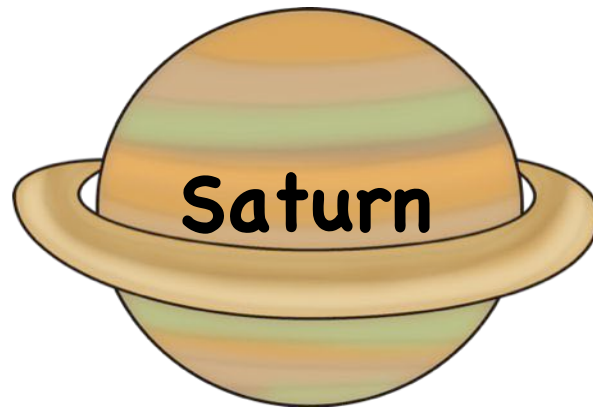
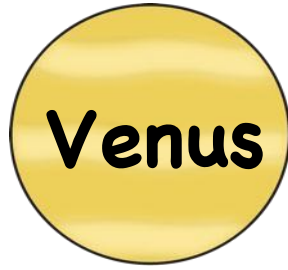
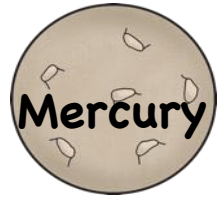
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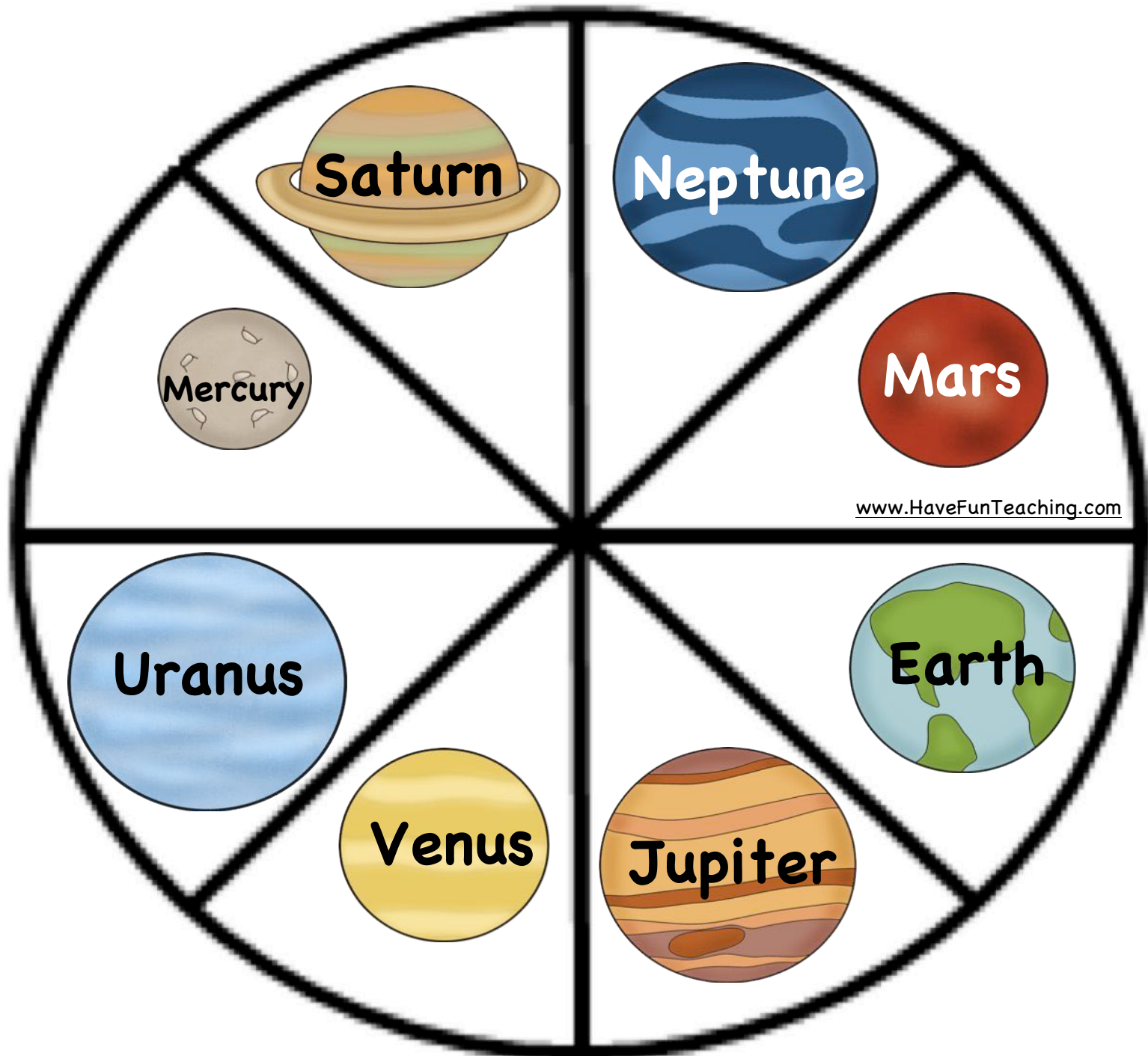
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Use a paper fastener (brad) and a paper clip to create a spinner. Slide a paper clip up to the top of the paper fastener and poke it through the center of the spinner.

What is the smallest planet?

- a) Mercury
- b) Saturn
- c) Venus
- d) Jupiter

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What is the biggest planet?

- a) Earth
- b) Jupiter
- c) Mars
- d) Uranus

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What is the hottest planet?

- a) Mars
- b) Venus
- c) Neptune
- d) Earth

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Which planet has rings?

- a) Neptune
- b) Earth
- c) Saturn
- d) Jupiter

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What planet is farthest from the sun?

- a) Neptune
- b) Mercury
- c) Mars
- d) Earth

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What planet is closest to the sun?

- a) Earth
- b) Saturn
- c) Uranus
- d) Mercury

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What planet is called "The Red Planet?"

- a) Mars
- b) Venus
- c) Neptune
- d) Earth

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What is the third planet from the sun?

- a) Mars
- b) Neptune
- c) Earth
- d) Saturn

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What is the second planet from the sun?

- a) Venus
- b) Earth
- c) Jupiter
- d) Neptune

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What is the fourth planet from the sun?

- a) Mars
- b) Mercury
- c) Earth
- d) Neptune

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What is the fifth planet from the sun?

- a) Jupiter
- b) Mercury
- c) Saturn
- d) Mars

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What is the seventh planet?

- a) Neptune
- b) Uranus
- c) Mars
- d) Venus

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What is the sixth planet from the sun?

- a) Saturn
- b) Neptune
- c) Uranus
- d) Jupiter

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What is the eighth planet from the sun?

- a) Mars
- b) Mercury
- c) Earth
- d) Neptune

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How many planets are in our solar system?

- a) 8
- b) 6
- c) 9
- d) 10

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What planet do we live on?

- a) Mars
- b) Neptune
- c) Earth
- d) Saturn

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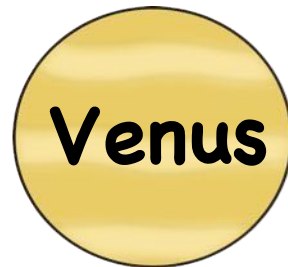
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Space Race Answer Key

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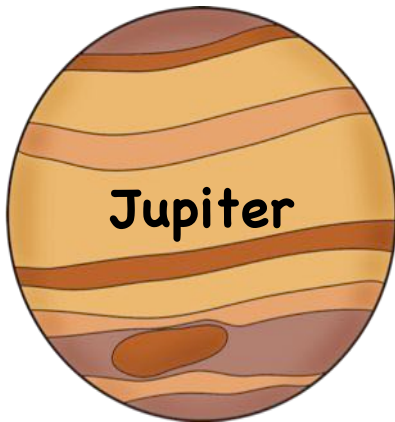
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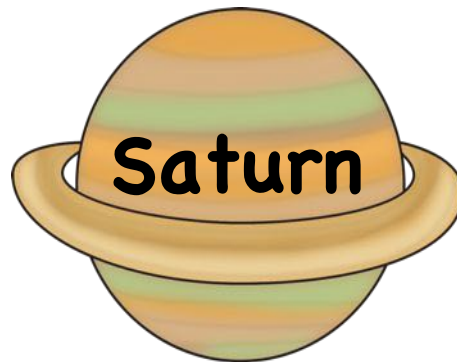
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7th



8th



Trivia Questions Answer Key

1. a) Mercury
2. b) Jupiter
3. b) Venus
4. c) Saturn
5. a) Neptune
6. d) Mercury
7. a) Mars
8. c) Earth
9. a) Venus
10. a) Mars
11. a) Jupiter
12. b) Uranus
13. a) Saturn
14. d) Neptune
15. a) 8
16. c) Earth