SPACE ASSEMBLY

HELLO

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What's your favorite planet?

Talk to your partner for 30 seconds!

The sun

The Sun is a star that gives off light and heat. Its pulling force, gravity, keeps our Solar System together. Never look directly at the Sun-Even wearing sunnies-(Australian slang for sunglasses).



Our song!

/outube.com/watch?v=F2prtmPEjOc











What is a galaxy?

A galaxy is a huge collection of gas, dust and billions of stars and their solar systems, all held together by gravity!











THE BIG BANG!

13.8 billion years ago the Big Bang was an explosion that created the universe. Once compressed into a ball it would be the size of a peach!!! A very hot peach.



William Herschel discovered additional moons and planets and was a great asset to the work of discovering the universe as we know it today.

Black holes

• A black hole is so dense that gravity just beneath the surface, the event horizon, is strong enough that nothing- not even light- can escape. • There's likely MILLIONS of black holes in our galaxy which will probably never know are there! • If you fell in a black hole you'd never escape!

http://www.quizyourfriends.com/take-quiz.p hp?id=2402070755271392&cpy&

Pluto

CAN YOU FIND AN ANAGRAM THAT SPELLS OUT THE PLANETS (EXCEPT FOR PLUTO). YOU HAVE 1 MINUTE.

Neptune

min.

Uranus

Mars

Jupiter

Earth

Saturn

Merc Venus ury

MY-Mercury VERY-Venus ENERGETIC-Earth MONSTER-Mars JUST-Jupiter SERVED-Saturn **US-Uranus NOODLES-Neptune**

Mars

What did you come up with?

Earth

Saturn

Jupiter

Pluto

Neptune

Uranus

Merc Venus ury

Pluto's not a planet.



<u>Pluto and the Kuiper Belt.</u>

We have reached the Kuiper Belt. It is like the asteroid belt but 200 times bigger and 20 times wider. Past the edges of our Solar System lurks interstellar space. Only one spacecraft has ever been there- NASA's Voyager 1. This frisbee shaped area is made up of thousands of lumps of ice, rock and metal. Pluto orbits the Sun very slowly...



Today, the sky is divided into 88 constellations.The Ancient Greeks named constellations after animals and heroes of their legends. The first star after the sun to be discovered was vega.

What is the asteroid belt?

The asteroid belt is a strip of rocks in a range of sizes spanning ten metres to five hundred kilometres.

This is what it looked like in the beginning

There was nothing [except for stars]. Then something happened that would change everything.

Secrets of Earth

Earth's core is as hot as the sun's surface.

- The days are getting longer. When Earth was formed 4.6 billion years ago, its day would have been roughly six hours long.
 - The driest place of Earth is the Atacama desert in northern Chile.
 The hottest place on Earth is Death Valley
 The wettest place on Earth is Mawsynram in India