

Cut along the solid lines and fold along the dotted lines. Stick so the cards have a question on one side and an answer on the other. Shuffle the cards, give them out and start the loop going. With luck you should end up back at Mercury!

QUESTIONS

ANSWERS

<p>START a planet which has clouds of acid</p>	<p>MERCURY</p>
<p>the third planet from the Sun</p>	<p>VENUS</p>
<p>sometimes called the 'red planet'</p>	<p>EARTH</p>
<p>the biggest planet in our Solar System</p>	<p>MARS</p>
<p>the seventh furthest planet from the Sun</p>	<p>JUPITER</p>
<p>Pluto was discovered in this year</p>	<p>URANUS</p>
<p>the smallest planet in our Solar System</p>	<p>1930</p>

How long does it take for the Earth to turn on its axis?	PLUTO
How long does it take for the Earth to orbit the Sun?	ONE DAY
the season when the Sun appears highest in the sky	ONE YEAR
the season when the Sun appears lowest in the sky	SUMMER
What are the rings of Saturn made of?	WINTER
the American astronomer who discovered Pluto	ICE AND ROCK
the name of our galaxy	CLYDE TOMBAUGH
the name for all the galaxies	THE MILKY WAY

the distance travelled by light in one year	THE UNIVERSE
the name of the brightest star in the night sky	A LIGHT YEAR
the path of a planet around its star	SIRIUS, THE DOG STAR
when the Earth's shadow falls on the Moon there is	ORBIT
Which planets have the most moons?	AN ECLIPSE OF THE MOON
the second coldest planet in the Solar System	JUPITER, SATURN AND URANUS
Pluto's moon	NEPTUNE
a very large collection of stars	CHARON

an object which orbits a planet	A GALAXY
Which planets have rings?	A SATELLITE
Which is the nearest star to the Earth?	JUPITER, SATURN, URANUS, NEPTUNE
How many planets are there in the Solar System?	THE SUN
Which planet is nearest the Sun?	NINE