

THE SOLAR SYSTEM

Think about this, we're heading about the planets in the Solar System.

We have learned that planets spin and orbit around the Sun. So you know the order of the planets around the Sun 1 Mercury to the Sun then are Mercury, Venus, Earth and Mars and the last three are Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune.

My teacher says that the Earth has got 4700 less and that Venus is bigger with 10000 less. But the biggest planet of all is Jupiter and its size with 70000 less.

So you know that the smallest planet with 1000 less is Mercury.

When scientists go to space they want to know what were planets are like in the system. For example, in Mercury is -40°C, in Venus is 470°C, in Earth is 15°C, in Mars is -100°C and in Jupiter is 170°C. What is the temperature?

Scientists say that there is the "Red Planet", Jupiter has got "Great" in its name. The Earth is the "Blue Planet" because it has got lots of water and our weather is the Blue.



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