



Teacher Key Level B Worksheet for Planets

Mercury

What is Mercury the same size as?

The earth's moon

Venus

What is Venus called?

The Evening Star

Earth

How much of the Earth is covered by water?

70%

Mars

What gives Mars its color?

Iron in the atmosphere

Jupiter

What is the Great Red Spot?

A large hurricane

Saturn

Saturn spins very rapidly.

True or False

Uranus

How does Uranus rotate on its axis?

On its side

Neptune

What do astronomers feel are the black spots on the planet?

Storms

Pluto

What happens every 248 Earth years?

Pluto swings inside the orbit of Neptune.