

The Planets Research Sheet

Name: _____

Planet	Size	Characteristics (at least 3 per planet)
Mercury		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • •
Something interesting I found about this planet:		
Venus		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • •
Something interesting I found about this planet:		
Earth		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • •
Something interesting I found about this planet:		
Mars		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • •
Something interesting I found about this planet:		

Planet	Size	Characteristics (at least 3 per planet)
Jupiter		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • •
Something interesting I found about this planet:		
Saturn		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • •
Something interesting I found about this planet:		
Uranus		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • •
Something interesting I found about this planet:		
Neptune		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • •
Something interesting I found about this planet:		
Pluto		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • •
Something interesting I found about this planet:		

Planets Order/Characteristics Chart

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Directions: Order the planets from smallest to largest. List at least two characteristics for each planet. On the back, draw and label each planet with the name of the planet. Then mark “R” if the planet’s composition is rocky, or “G” if the planet’s composition is gaseous.

Planet	Characteristics (at least 2 per planet)
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	
6.	
7.	
8.	
9.	

*Explain why the night sky looks different each month when you see it.