

THE UNIVERSE GAME

Print this game onto thin cardboard. Then cut it into cards for lamination.

Q. What is the name of the galaxy in which the earth is found? A. <i>Milky Way Galaxy</i>	Q. What shape is the Milky Way galaxy? A. <i>spiral</i>
Q. What is the speed of light? A. <i>300 000 000 m/s</i>	Q. Why is there no sound in space? A. <i>no air to vibrate</i>
Q. Which planet is closest to the sun? A. <i>Mercury</i>	Q. What eclipses occurs when we can't see the sun? A. <i>solar eclipse</i>
Q. What is the position of the sun, moon and earth in a lunar eclipse? A. <i>sun, moon and earth in a straight line</i>	Q. In which direction does the tail of a comet point? A. <i>Away from the sun</i>
Q. Name a famous comet. A. <i>Hayley's Comet or others</i>	Q. What's the scientific name for the constellation of The Southern Cross? A. <i>Crucis</i>
Q. Name the planets. A. <i>Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune</i>	Q. Between which planets in our solar system are asteroids found? A. <i>Mars and Jupiter</i>
Q. Which planets have rings? A. <i>Saturn and Uranus</i>	Q. Which is larger – galaxy or solar system? A. <i>galaxy</i>
Q. Of what is an asteroid made? A. <i>Rock</i>	Q. Which planet is named after the Roman god of war? A. <i>Mars</i>
Q. Apart from planets, what other heavenly body orbits stars? A. <i>Comet</i>	Q. What type of heavenly body is composed of frozen rock and gases? A. <i>Comet</i>

<p>Q. What's the scientific name for the constellation of The Lion? A. <i>Leo</i></p>	<p>Q. Apart from earth, which planet is tilted on its axis? A. <i>Uranus</i></p>
<p>Q. What is the name for a planet's natural satellite? A. <i>moon</i></p>	<p>Q. What's the scientific name for the constellation of The Bull? A. <i>Taurus</i></p>
<p>Q. What is the correct name for a 'shooting star'? A. <i>meteor or meteorite</i></p>	<p>Q. Of what 2 gases are stars made? A. <i>hydrogen and helium</i></p>
<p>Q. What's the second closest star to earth? A. <i>Alpha Centauri</i></p>	<p>Q. Does the moon have an atmosphere? A. <i>no</i></p>
<p>Q. What colour are the hottest stars? A. <i>blue</i></p>	<p>Q. What's a light year? A. <i>The distance light travels in one year</i></p>
<p>Q. How long is one rotation of the earth? A. <i>One day</i></p>	<p>Q. What colour is our sun? A. <i>yellow</i></p>
<p>Q. By what nuclear process does the sun make its heat and light? A. <i>Nuclear fusion</i></p>	<p>Q. What is the closest star to our earth? A. <i>Sun</i></p>
<p>Q. Which planet is named after the Roman god of the sea? A. <i>Neptune</i></p>	<p>Q. How long is one revolution of the earth? A. <i>One year</i></p>
<p>Q. Name a spiral galaxy apart from the Milky Way? A. <i>Andromeda</i></p>	<p>Q. What shape is a planet's orbit? A. <i>elliptical</i></p>