

The Solar System Card Game

Instructions:

1. Print out the two A4 sheets on coloured card, back to back. We suggest that you do this three or four times for a class set, using different coloured card.
2. On each card, carefully cut out the dotted lines to make a set of eight smaller cards. You might like to laminate these. Each card should have a question (Q) on one side and the answer (A) to a different question on the reverse.

How to Play:

1. Pupils should be in groups of eight. Give each group one set of coloured cards.
2. Distribute the cards among the pupils so that each pupil has one card. They should be held with the answers showing. One pupil at random turns over his or her card.
3. The pupil reads the question on his or her card. The pupil with the card containing the correct answer reads it out. The group agree with the answer and that pupil then turns over and reads out his or her question.
4. This continues until each pupil in the group has read out a question and a correct answer.
5. The cards can be shuffled and the process repeated.

We should be pleased to know what you think of the *Spaced Out* resources.

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<p>Q. What is at the centre of the Solar System?</p>	<p>A. Saturn</p>
<p>Q. Which planet is closest to the Sun?</p>	<p>A. The Sun</p>
<p>Q. Which is the largest planet?</p>	<p>A. Mercury</p>
<p>Q. What is the name of the Earth's natural satellite?</p>	<p>A. Jupiter</p>

<p>Q. Which planet is known as the 'red planet'?</p>	<p>A. The Moon</p>
<p>Q. Which planet is approximately the same size as the Earth?</p>	<p>A. Mars</p>
<p>Q. What is the name of the most distant planet from the Sun?</p>	<p>A. Venus</p>
<p>Q. Which is the sixth planet from the Sun?</p>	<p>A. Pluto</p>