

Amazing Space Facts

Space is
very big and
full of amazing
things!



Space is everything outside Earth.

It is very, very big!

There are **stars**, **planets**, **moons** and more.

The **Sun** is a star.

It gives us light and heat.

Earth is a planet.

It is where we live.

There are eight **planets** in our solar system.

They go around the Sun.

The **Moon** is Earth's moon.

It shines at night.

It does not make its own light.

There are millions and millions of **stars**.

They are so far away!

Space is full of wonders. ★

VOCABULARY

space

everything outside
Earth

star

a huge ball of hot gas
that gives out light
and heat

planet

a large round object
that goes around a star

moon

a smaller object that
goes around a planet



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COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

- 1 What is space?

- 2 What is the Sun?

- 3 What does the Sun give us?

- 4 What planet do we live on?

- 5 How many planets are in our solar system?

- 6 What goes around the Sun?

- 7 What is the Moon?

- 8 Does the Moon make its own light?

- 9 How many stars are there?

THINK DEEPER



What do you find most amazing about space?
Write or draw your ideas.



EXTENSION ACTIVITY



Draw a picture of space.
Label THREE things you might see.

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____

