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Solar System Quiz

Write the name of the planet that matches each clue. Use the word bank.

1. Largest planet _____
2. Closest planet to the Sun _____
3. Farthest planet from the Sun _____
4. Hottest planet: thick clouds trap heat _____
5. The only planet known to have life _____
6. Famous for its bright rings of ice and rock _____
7. Spins on its side _____
8. Called the Red Planet because of rusty dust _____

Jupiter
Saturn

Neptune
Uranus

Venus
Earth

Mercury
Mars

Solar System Quiz: Answer Key

1. Jupiter (Largest planet)
2. Mercury (Closest planet to the Sun)
3. Neptune (Farthest planet from the Sun)
4. Venus (Hottest planet: thick clouds trap heat)
5. Earth (The only planet known to have life)
6. Saturn (Famous for its bright rings of ice and rock)
7. Uranus (Spins on its side)
8. Mars (Called the Red Planet because of rusty dust)