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GENIUSCHALLENGE

OUR SOLAR SYSTEM

1. The sun consists of _____ % of the mass in our solar system.

2. Earth is found in a region of space called the _____ zone.

3. What are the planets called that are mostly made of gas?

4. What can be found in the Asteroid Belt?

5. What can be found in the Kuiper Belt?

6. Why was Pluto reclassified as a dwarf planet?

7. Why are the models of solar systems that you can purchase in stores not to scale?

8. Why do the planets stay in their orbit around the Sun?

9. What constitutes a solar system?

10. Why are scientists studying Mars?
