




Mercury

Worksheets

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Think Out of the Box

Now that Pluto is no longer classified as a planet, Mercury is the smallest planet in the solar system. Write the correct answer inside the box.

1. The  is the  smallest planet in the  solar system.

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True or False

Identify whether the statement below is TRUE or FALSE. Write your answer in the space provided.


Mercury has two moons.

The second space probe to explore Mercury is Messenger.

Caloris Basin is a huge crater on Mercury with a diameter of 1,550 km.

The nearest planet to the sun is Mercury.

Mercury is a Roman god known for traveling quickly.



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The Swift Planet!

Like all the planets, Mercury is named after one of the Roman gods, Mercury. Can you briefly explain why it was called the "Swift Planet"?

