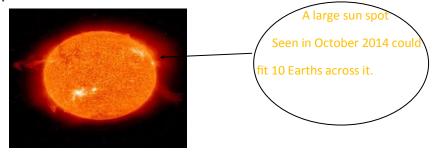
## **The Solar System**

This text will justify how the solar system has the most amazing facts you've ever heard! There are 8 planets as well as comets, meteors and asteroids. However Jupiter is the biggest planet in the solar system.

## The Sun

The sun (which is almost a perfect sphere) is about 4.6 billion years and formed as well .Because the sun is so large, you can fit about 1,300,000 planet Earth's inside of it.



## Galaxy

The Milky Way (which is our galaxy) is a disk and is about 120,000 light years across. It is warped in a shape, which astronomers attribute to galaxies, and that it can be in any shape. The two dwarf galaxies — which are part of our Local Group-may be orbiting the Milky Way. Although scientist believe that 90% of our galaxy's mass consists of dark matter, and says it gives a mysterious halo. Milky Way is the galaxy that contains our Solar System.



## The Moon

A full lunar orbit of the Moon takes 28 days which we call 4 weeks. Although scientists think the Moon used to be a part of Earth, you can only see one side of the Moon. However, the Moon is a quarter side of Earth and is the largest and brightest object in our night sky. In the atmosphere scientists study our solar system (and the moon) say that gravi-

ty affects the tides.





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Crater is about 110 million years old and 85 km (53 miles) across.