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Chapter 9, Practice Worksheet (9.B.2)

1. Complete the sentences.

a. Our galaxy is called the Milky way galaxy.

b. Four planets in our solar system are: Mercury , Venus ,
Earth and Mars .

c. The asteroid belt is between Mars and Jupiter .

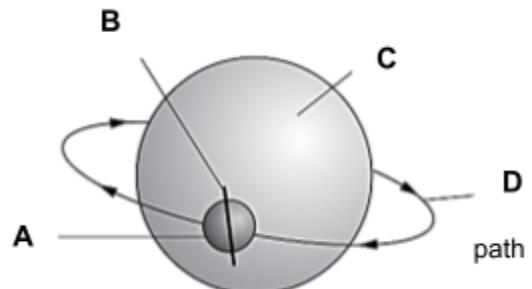
d. The Solar system contains planets and other objects like
asteroids and comets .

2. Draw a line from each letter to the correct label according to the model.

letter

label

A	axis
B	Earth
C	path
D	Sun



3. Circle the correct answer.

a. Earth revolves around the Sun once every _____.

hour

day

year

b. The _____ is at the centre of our solar system.

Mars

Earth

Sun

c. Earth spins on its axis once every _____.

hour

day

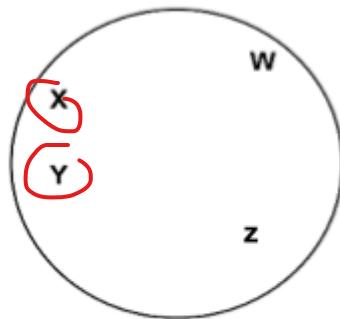
year

4. Veronica draws a picture of Earth and rays of sunlight.

Circle the letters that show where day is.

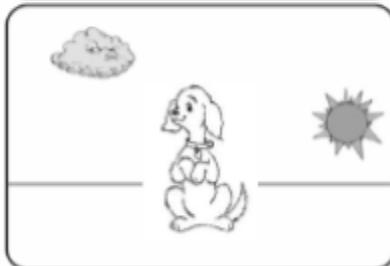
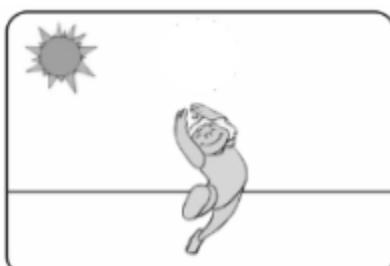
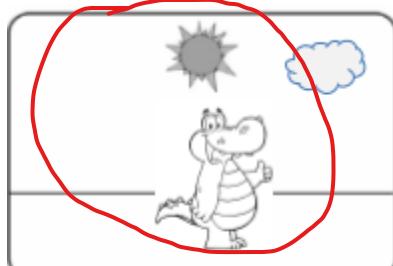


rays of sunlight



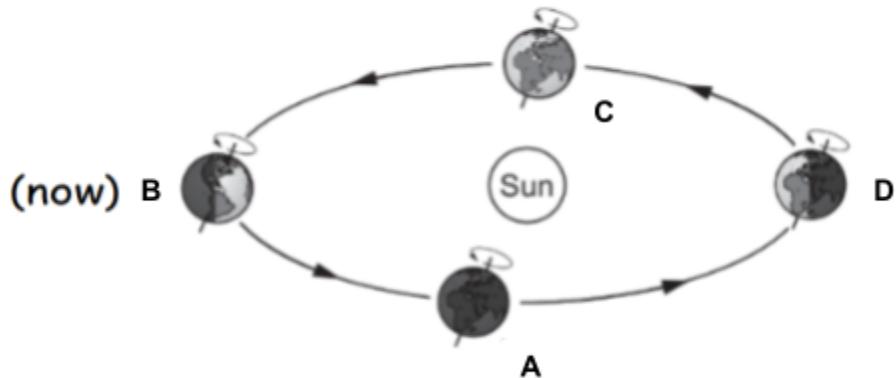
Earth

5. Circle the picture that has the **shortest** shadow.



6. Circle the correct answer.

If Earth is in **position B** now, where will it be



a. after half a year (6 months) ?

position A

position C

position D

b. after a year?

position A

position B

position C

7. Answer with 'true' or 'false'.

a. The Sun is a planet that gives off light.

[**false**]

b. Our solar system has 9 planets.

[**false**]

c. The moon is a planet, but is not a light source.

[**false**]