

Know Your Planets:

SATURN!

This is a picture of Saturn. Color in the cross-section drawing below using what you've learned.

Name:

Saturn is named after the Roman god Saturn.

Size:

Saturn is the second largest planet in the solar system. 763 Earths could fit inside of Saturn!

What's It Made Of?:

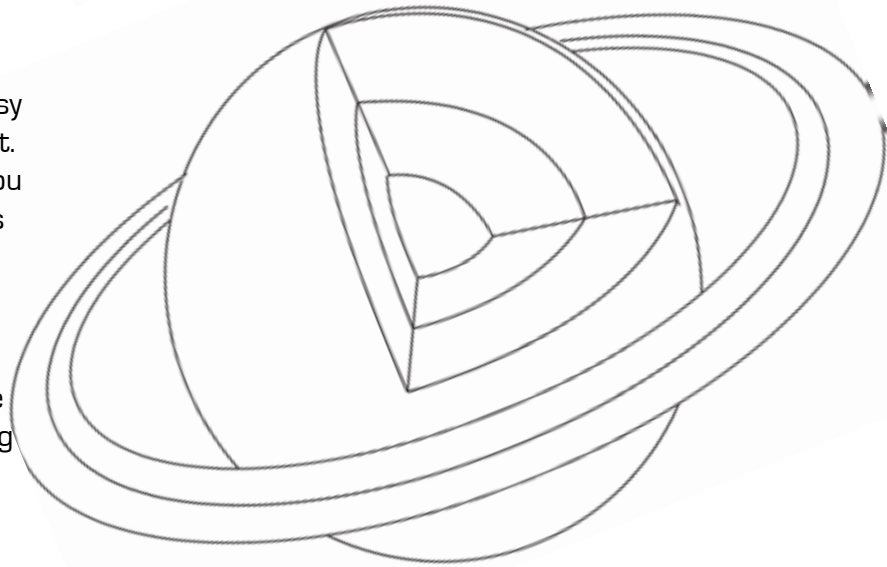
Saturn is considered one of the gas giants along with Jupiter, Uranus and Neptune. It has a rocky core but is mostly made of hydrogen and helium gas.

Where Is It?:

Saturn is the sixth planet from the sun. It is not easy to spot at night. It is the fifth brightest visible planet. It is a yellow point in the sky but with a telescope you can see its rings. It is on average 888 million miles away from the sun!

Rings:

Saturn has nine rings. They are made mostly of ice with some dust. Saturn also has 62 moons orbiting it and most of them have names!



Scrambles: Unscramble the words for the answer.

The fifth planet from the sun is:

PRUJETI

JUPITER

The lightest element is:

RDHOGYNE

HYDROGEN

This civilization gave Saturn its name:

ORMAN IRMEPE

ROMAN EMPIRE