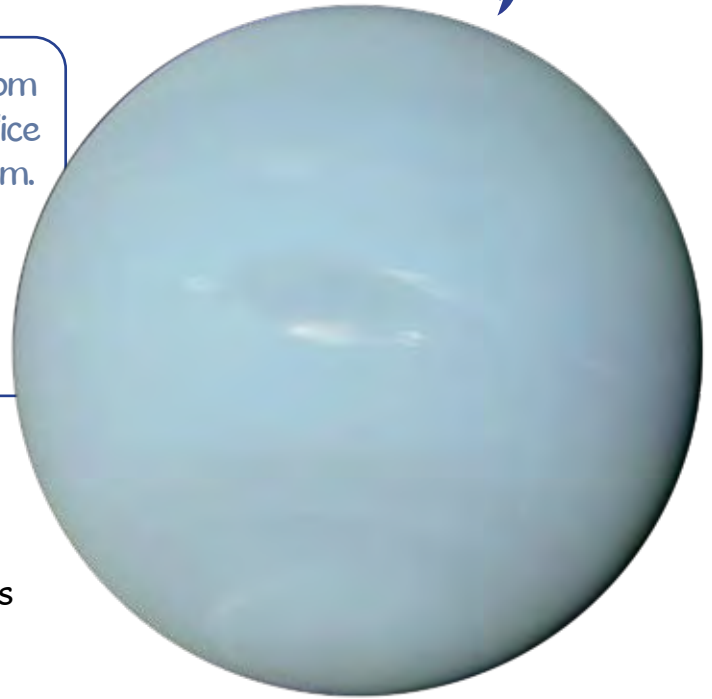







Neptune

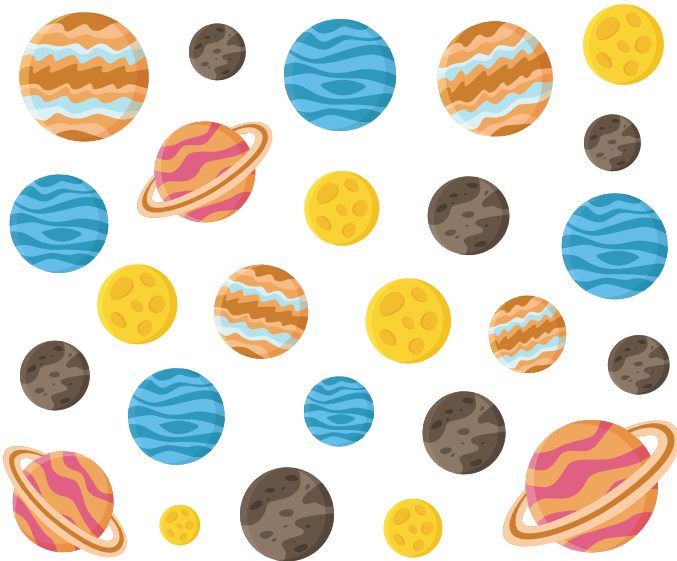
Far, far away is a planet big and blue. The farthest from the sun, it's the one and only Neptune! This freezing "ice giant" is the eighth planet in our incredible solar system. The average temperature of Neptune's gas surface is below -300°F. But believe it or not, its interior is hot! This heat is easy to explain if Neptune is only thousands of years old. Did you also know...



- ✓ God made Neptune on Day 4 of the creation week.
- ✓ It takes around 165 years for Neptune to orbit the sun.
- ✓ Neptune's methane gas absorbs red light and reflects blue, giving the planet its color. It's surrounded by rings, like Saturn, but they're very faint.
- ✓ Neptune has the strongest winds in the solar system. They can reach 1,300 miles per hour!

Count the planets. How many do you find of each?

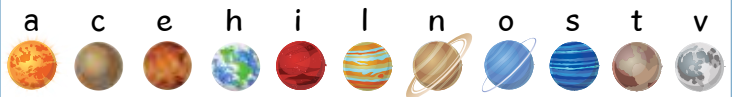
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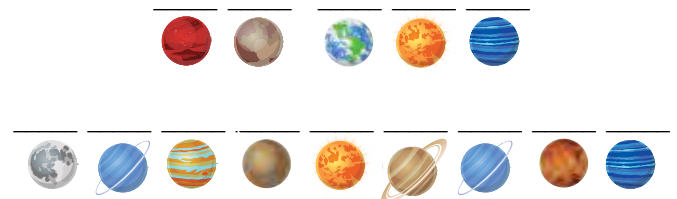
Fill in the Blanks

"When I consider Your _____, the work of Your fingers, the moon and the _____, which You have ordained, what is man that You are _____ of him, and the son of man that You visit him?" (Psalm 8:3-4)

Use the key below to find the answer.



What's special about Neptune's largest moon, Triton?



Answers to Count the planets: a. 3, b. 5, c. 4, d. 6, e. 7; Fill in the Blanks: heavens, stars, mindful; Code puzzle: it has volcanoes