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# PLANET & STAR BANNER!

This colorful banner activity is a fun way to get to know the planets in our solar system!

## Supplies in kit

- 1 template of planets to color
- 1 craft stick
- 1 strip of black paper
- 1 length of yarn
- 1 list of the planets in order from the sun
- 2 strips of gold star stickers

#### What you'll need from home

- glue stick
- markers, crayons, or colored pencils
- scissors

#### Directions

 Color the planets and cut them out. The names of the planets are lightly penciled in on the back of each planet, so that you can arrange them in order if you like.





2. Glue the planets on to the banner either in order or free style and add the gold stars.







 When you have finished gluing the planets and stars to the banner, turn it over and add glue to the top of the back of the banner and press the craft stick onto the glue. Use plenty of glue!





2. Finally, tie the ends of the yarn to the craft stick, and your banner is all ready to hang and enjoy!



### **BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS**

Star of the Party: the Solar System Celebrates by Jan Carr
The Darkest Dark by Chris Hadfield
Professor Astro Cat's Frontiers of Space by Dominic Walliman
There's Nothing to Do on Mars by Chris Gall
Moon! Earth's Best Friend by Stacy McAnulty



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