

**NAME:**

## THE SUN AND OTHER STARS

A. Complete the outline. Click and drag your answers.

### CELESTIAL OBJECTS

#### ASTEROIDS

- are small, \_\_\_\_\_ objects
- orbit the \_\_\_\_\_
- are many in the asteroid belt

#### COMETS

- are balls of \_\_\_\_\_, rock, and \_\_\_\_\_
- orbit the sun
- get tails as they near the sun
- \_\_\_\_\_ can be millions of kilometers long

#### STARS

- can see thousands in the \_\_\_\_\_ sky
- \_\_\_\_\_ = groups of stars that form shapes
- \_\_\_\_\_ = billions of stars

night	tails	galaxies	dirt
sun	constellations	ice	rocky

B. Match each picture with the correct word and definition.



**constellation**

a huge collection of billions of stars



**galaxy**

an object in the sky



**comet**

looks like a bright ball with a tail



**celestial object**

a group of stars that forms a shape

