

THE SUN

1. Watch the video:

Complete this text about the Sun using the words in the wordbank

The Sun is a huge _____ made of gas. It is in the _____ of the Solar System and all the planets _____ around it, attracted by its gravity. The surface temperature of the Sun is 5800°C and compared to Earth, the Sun is _____ so 1.300.000 Earths would fit inside it.

It is also very far _____ from us, at 150.000.000 km away, so it would take us 170 years by car to get there! At that distance, it takes about 8 _____ for the light to reach us. This means that when we see the Sun set, the event has actually occurred eight minutes ago!

The Sun is very important because it gives us _____ and _____, without it there would not be days or nights and the Earth would be a dark, _____ world. It also gives out _____ light which is very _____ for our skin and can cause sunburnts. That is why it is so important to use sunscreen.

light

centre

dangerous

away

minutes

ultraviolet

revolve

enormous

heat

star

frozen