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Social Studies

Place the correct letter on the line to match the correct statement. (1pt. each)

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| 1. _____ lumps of rocks | a. asteroid belt |
| 2. _____ frozen ball of ice that glows from the sun | b. Comets |
| 3. _____ found in the outer planets made of rocks or iron | c. planets |
| 4. _____ separates Mars and Jupiter | d. asteroids |
| 5. _____ a sphere orbiting the sun | e. meteoroids |

Answer all questions.

1. Define what the asteroid belt is. (1pt)
2. Explain two types of objects in the solar system. (2pts)
3. Compare and contrast comets and asteroids. (2pts)