Name _____ Mnemonic

Mnemonic

A mnemonic, or memory aid, is a tool that helps you to remember a specific piece of information. The word mnemonic comes from the Greek word *mimnēskesthai*, which means "remember." There are many kinds of mnemonics, including rhymes, poems, acronyms, images, songs, outlines, etc.

DIRECTION: Create a mnemonic to help you remember the names of the nine planets. Each word in your mnemonic should begin with the same letter as the planet you want to remember. For example:

Mercury, **V**enus, **E**arth, **M**ars, **J**upiter, **S**aturn, **U**ranus, **N**eptune, **P**luto

My **v**ery **e**ager **m**anatee **j**ust **s**wam **u**nder **n**ine **p**orpoises.

M _____

V _____

E _____

M _____

J _____

S _____

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