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Planet: _____

Interplanetary Adventure Company

Imagine that you are a travel agent working for **Offworld Safari Tours**. You have been hired to promote tours to one of the planets other than Earth. In this activity, your task is to design and produce a travel brochure that will attract tourists to the planet you have been assigned by Ms. Bretherton. Remember: you are trying to sell tours. Make your brochure exciting and interesting!

Your brochure should include the following information:

1. A creative and colourful cover page.
2. An attractive but accurate description of the planet, including the planet's:
 - size
 - atmosphere
 - temperature
 - weather conditions
 - surface features
3. A map showing the path to the planet. (On your trip you may pass asteroids, comets, or other interesting objects. Be sure to include information about these.)
4. Special attractions: what are some features of the planet (such as craters, volcanoes, low gravity, etc.) that make the planet unique and interesting to visit? You may also offer extra side trips to a moon, but make sure that your information is accurate.
5. Activities that could be enjoyed on the planet. The activities should be related to the special features of the planet.
6. Things to bring and accommodations: will the tourists need special clothing or breathing apparatus? Where will they stay?
7. Any other information that your customer might find interesting or useful.

Other requirements:

- The brochure is to be made entirely by hand. **NO COMPUTERS!**
- You must use at least **THREE** sources of information:
 - i. One online database such as World Book.
 - ii. One website from the back of this sheet.
 - iii. One book.
- **Cornell Notes** – one set for **EACH** source to be handed in with the brochure.
- **Bibliography** – to be handed in with the brochure (you may hand in the fill-in-the-blank template that the librarians will use with you).

So... on **Tuesday, May 29th** you will hand in:

- ✓ Completed brochure
- ✓ Cornell notes
- ✓ Bibliography

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Allowed Websites

You may use any of the websites below... just make sure you don't follow a link that takes you OUTSIDE that web page! Stay within the sites or you will lose marks.

1. <http://www.space.com/>_____ (type your planet on the blank line)

Click on your planet at:

2. <http://science.nationalgeographic.com/science/space/planets>
3. <http://www.abc.net.au/science/space>
4. <http://www.bbc.co.uk/science/space/solarsystem>

Follow the fill-in-the-blank template carefully when you use information from the internet.

Plagiarism

Dictionary definition: the unauthorized use or close imitation of the language and thoughts of another author and the representation of them as one's own original work.

Do NOT copy any information word for word into your brochure. Take brief notes in point form and then create your own sentences using the information you have gathered.

DUE DATE: Tuesday, May 29th at the start of class