What are the 4 inner planets?

What are the 4 outer planets?

Write down 2 facts about each of the planets.

Mercury
1.
2.

Venus
1.
2.

Earth
1.
2.

Mars
1.
2.

Jupiter
1.
2.
Astronomy Notes

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Saturn
1.
2.

Uranus
1.
2.

Neptune
1.
2.
Asteroids
1. A rocky mass that orbits the ____________.

2. Most are found in the ____________ between the orbits of Mars and Jupiter.

3. A few pass close to the earth or enter the atmosphere as _________________.

4. The largest asteroid on record is ________________.

Meteoroid/Meteor/Meteorite
1. A general term for a space rock particle is a ________________.

2. A meteor is commonly called a ________________.

3. A meteorite lands _________________.

Comets
1. A celestial object made of ice and dust that _________________.

2. A comet’s three components are ____________, ____________ and, ____________

Oort Cloud
1. A region of the solar system far beyond the orbit of the dwarf Planet, ____________.

2. Here billions of comets move in nearly ________________ around the sun rather than in the ________________ plane of our planets.

3. When a comet comes nears the sun, the “tail” always ________________ from the sun due to the solar winds.

Kuiper Belt
1. This belt has millions of icy comets which circle the ____________.