

7L The solar system and beyond

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nine

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sun

mercury

spin

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- The Earth spins on its axis. One full _____ takes a 24 hrs.
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- During our winter, the northern hemisphere is pointed _____ from the sun.
- The _____ orbits the Earth once a month.
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