## Which Planet Would You Like To Visit? Mars and Jupiter

## Planet 3: Mars

- Mars is the planet which is most like Earth. It has volcanoes, deserts and ice. However, Mars is further from the Sun and is much colder than Earth. There are lots of storms on Mars.
- <sup>4</sup> Mars is about half the size of Earth, but has the same amount of dry land because there is no liquid water on Mars.
- 6 We don't know if there was ever life on Mars.

## Planet 4: Jupiter

- Jupiter is the biggest of all the planets. It is so big that all of the other planets could fit inside it. Jupiter is mostly made of gas, although there is some liquid. It does not have solid land that you could stand on.
- The planets Saturn, Uranus and Neptune are even further from the Sun. They are too cold for you to go to.

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1.	Tick three ways in which Mars is like Earth.  It has volcanoes.  It has no liquid water.  It's further away from the Sun.  It has deserts.  There are storms.	1 mark
2.	Why is Mars colder than Earth?	1 mark
3.	What information can you learn from the headings?	1 mark
4.	Why could you not stand on Jupiter? Tick the best answer:  It is too big.  There is no solid land.  All the other planets are inside it.	1 mark
5.	Look at the diagram. Fill in the missing words in the boxes.  This planet's name is	1 mark
6.	If we were to add a new heading about the next planet, what do you think the heading would be	? I mark