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The Sun Is a Star

Earth Science Reading

The sun is a big, bright ball of hot gas.

It gives us heat and light. Without the sun, Earth
would be cold and dark.

The sun helps plants grow by giving them light. It also
helps people and animals stay warm. The sun rises in
the morning and sets at night.



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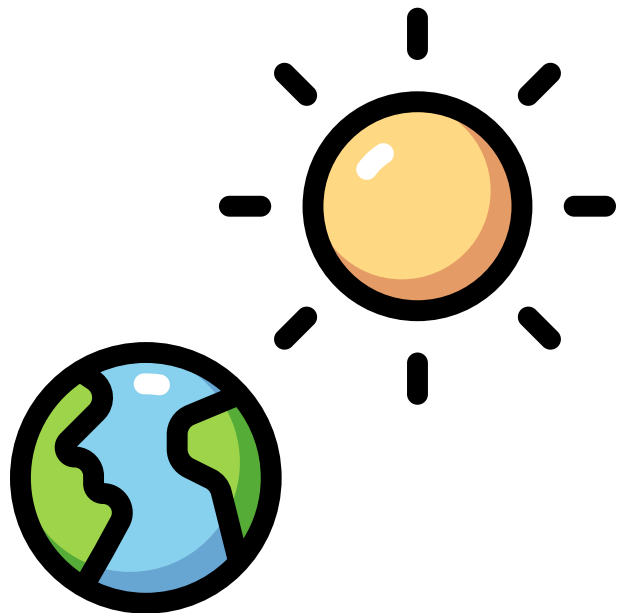
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- c) Sleep

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- c) In the winter

What is the sun made of?

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Creative Draw & Write



Directions: Draw a picture of the sun shining on plants. Write a sentence about how the sun helps Earth.

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Sentence Writing

I like the sun because

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It makes me feel

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