



Solar System Chalk Hop

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3-5 years



6-12 years

HOW DO I SET UP & PLAY?

Curiosity Spark - What order are the planets in from the sun?

- Draw a hopscotch rocket on pavement or a mat with chalk.
- At the top of the 'rocket' hopscotch colour in and label the space as the sun
- Write the names of the planets in our solar system from closest to the sun down to farthest from the sun. Fill in each space on the hopscotch frame.
- Children throw the stone or stick to mark a place and play hopscotch per normal rules but they must name the planet they land on.
- You could also choose to just yell out the name of a planet and action they must perform e.g hop to Earth.

EXTENDING LEARNING SPARKS

- Fill squirt bottles with water and on each turn, a child squirts the name of the planet (written in chalk) that they land on. When the names have disappeared challenge children to name all of the planets and help you write them in order again.

WHAT MATERIALS DO I NEED?

- Pavement chalk
- Rock or stick to use as a marker



Challenging My
Gross
Motor Muscles



Exploring Simple
Math Concepts