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Mercury Word Match

Draw a line to match the correct fact about Mercury.

Mercury's surface is covered in.

88 days

Mercury's temperatures are

Smallest planet

Mercury is the

Atmosphere

Mercury has no

Craters and rocks

Mercury orbits the Sun in

Very hot and very cold

Fill in the Blanks

Use the word bank to complete the sentences about Mercury's orbit and rotation.

Word Bank: orbit, Sun, 88, rotation, day, slow, 176, shortest

1. Mercury has the _____ year in the Solar System.
2. It takes only _____ Earth days for Mercury to complete one full _____ around the _____.
3. Even though its year is short, Mercury's _____ is very _____.
4. One full _____ on Mercury lasts _____ Earth days.