



**The answers to these's questions can be found on the Mercury page on the planets for kids website.**

Q. What's NASA's latest mission called?

Q. What is the surface of the planet covered with?

Q. How cold can it get on Mercury?

Q. How many days does it take the planets to orbit the sun?

Q. How did the planet get its name?

Q. How far the planet from the sun?

Q. What temperature can it rise to on the sunny side?

Q. When did the Mariner spacecraft take close photographs of the planet?