

# Vocabulary Match



## Students Information:

Match each vocabulary word on the left with the correct definition on the right.

Word Bank	Definitions
1. Task Cards _____	<b>A. A number value for the shape of an object's orbit. Numbers range from 0 - 1.</b>
2. Asteroids _____	<b>B. A numeral scale that tells you how bright a night sky objects appears to the human eye from Earth.</b>
3. Commander _____	<b>C. A meeting time or place scheduled for two objects or people to meet.</b>
4. Triangulation _____	<b>D. A celestial object made up of ice, rock, and has that orbits the Sun.</b>
5. US Senator _____	<b>E. The time taken for a given object to make one whole orbit or go completely around another object.</b>
6. Comet _____	<b>F. A star that suddenly increases greatly in brightness because of a catastrophic explosion that ejects most of its mass.</b>

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<b>7. Meteoroids</b> _____	<b>G.</b> A step-by-step set of written instructions for performing a job or task.
<b>8. Supernova</b> _____	<b>H.</b> The title of the person who is in charge of the astronauts onboard a spacecraft.
<b>9. Orbital Period</b> _____	<b>I.</b> Large rocky celestial objects that orbit the Sun.
<b>10. Rendezvous</b> _____	<b>J.</b> The process of determining the location between any two points.
<b>11. Density</b> _____	<b>K.</b> A meeting place where detailed information or instructions are given, especially before people do something together as a team.
<b>12. Docking</b> _____	<b>L.</b> The joining with a space station or another spacecraft in space.
<b>13. Briefing Room</b> _____	<b>M.</b> The title of elected US government officials.
<b>14. Magnitude</b> _____	<b>N.</b> Small rocky celestial objects orbiting the Sun. Also known as space rocks.
<b>15. Eccentricity</b> _____	<b>O.</b> The compactness of an object.

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## Answer Key

1. G
2. I
3. H
4. J
5. M
6. D
7. N
8. F
9. E
10. C
11. O
12. L
13. K
14. B
15. A