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## The FRAME Routine

Key Topic

## Inner Planets

is about...

The 4 small (for a planet) and rocky planets between the sun and the asteroid belt.

	Main idea	Main idea	Main idea	Main idea
	Mercury	Venus	Earth	Mars
	Essential details	Essential details	Essential details	Essential details
Distance from the sun	it is 57 million kilometers.	0.72 AU (108 million km	150 million kilometres (93 million miles). 1AU	42 million miles (229 million km)
temperature	(-173 to 427 °C; -280 to 800 °F)	820 degrees to nearly 900 degrees F.	14°C	(0 °C (273 K; 32 °F))
Atmospheric conditions	Very thin atmosphere, causes extreme temperature changes between day and night	Has a very thick atmosphere that causes it to trap heat and be the hottest planet	humidity, wind, cloud cover, and precipitation are all part of Earth's atmosphere	Has an atmosphere, thinner than Earth
Gravitational force (size/mass)	Least gravitational pull of the planets. Smallest planet	91% of the surface gravity on Earth	9.8 m/s <sup>2</sup> The highest gravity of the inner planets	Second smallest planet, second in gravitational pull

### So What? (What's important to understand about this?)

.... The inner planets are all rocky, small, and have atmospheres. Venus is the hottest, Earth is the largest. Earth has the most gravity of the inner planets because it has the most mass.

