

Test your knowledge of Mars by answering the following brain teasers. Check your answers in the book.

1. Are there canyons and volcanoes on the surface of Mars?

2. What do scientists believe Mars has lost over millions of years?

3. What types of storms are common on Mars and can last for months?

4. What are Mars's two moons called?

5. How many Earth days does it take Mars to make one orbit around the Sun?

Below are some number facts about Mars. Place each number in the correct sentence to make a true statement about Mars.

**142**                      **4,221**                      **85**                      **24.6**

1. Mars is  miles in diameter.

2. The rotation period on Mars is  hours.

3. Mars is  million miles from the Sun.

4. The mean temperature on Mars is  degrees Fahrenheit.

