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**Something Cool in Space**

Instructions. Using the internet, and using reputable websites, find a photograph or picture of an interesting object in space (beyond the Earth). Your interesting object can be stars, planets, moons, features on other planets or moons, asteroids, the Sun, galaxy, spacecraft, black holes, quasars, nebula, constellation…anything in space that you find interesting or cool.

1. Copy the photograph or picture from the internet source, and paste it into the document on the next page. Paste the photograph or picture as a jpeg, png, or bitmap object. Do not post the html link.

2. Cite the URL (the web address) of where you got the photograph or picture. Copy and paste the web address into the space provided below the photograph or picture.

3. Identify the content of the photograph or picture. What is in the photograph or picture? Provide a 2-3 sentences more that explain the importance or the uniqueness of the content of the photograph or picture. Use your own words, do not copy the text from other sources. Use complete sentences.

4. In 2-3 sentences, explain why you selected that picture or photograph. Why did you think it was cool?

5. The due date is Wednesday, August 3, 2021. Save the document to your hard drive or to your OneNote folder at Office365. Submit your assignment when completed (the word document) by Student Upload. Be sure to save and submit your assignment at Student Upload.

Reputable websites

[www.nasa.gov](http://www.nasa.gov) [www.hubblesite.org](http://www.hubblesite.org) [www.heavens-above.com](http://www.heavens-above.com)

[www.space.com](http://www.space.com) [www.skyandtelescope.com](http://www.skyandtelescope.com) [www.esa.int](http://www.esa.int)

[www.jpl.nasa.gov](http://www.jpl.nasa.gov) [www.universetoday.com](http://www.universetoday.com)

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