

Did you know? The days of the week in Spanish are named after planets in our...



# SOLAR SYSTEM



miércoles

Wednesday

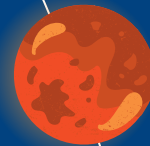
Mercurio



martes

Tuesday

Marte



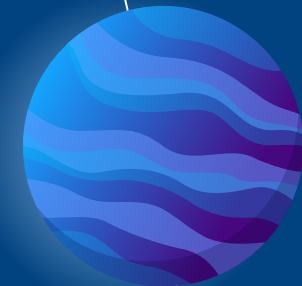
sábado

Saturday or  
'Saturn' day

Saturno



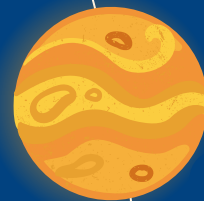
Neptuno



viernes

Friday

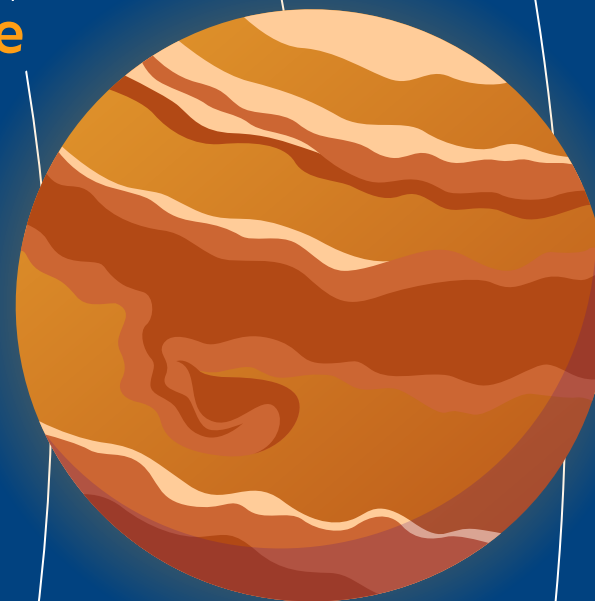
Venus



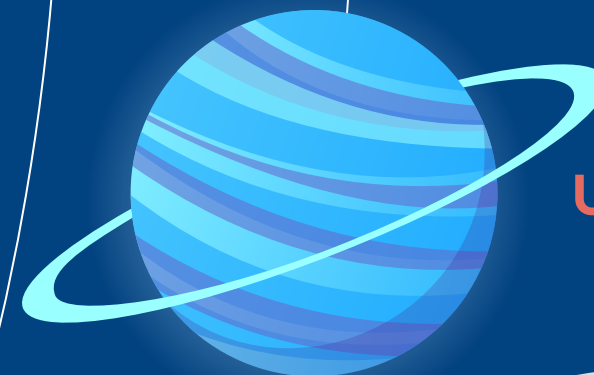
jueves

Thursday

Júpiter



Urano



domingo

Sunday

el sol



Tierra



lunes

Monday or  
'moon' day

la luna



This is the exception as domingo originates from the Latin 'dies Dominicus', meaning 'the Lord's day'.

But, in pre-Christian times, Sunday was 'dies Solis' (Day of the Sun) in Latin.

Important:

Planets are capitalised in Spanish because they are proper nouns, but days of the week are not unless it's at the beginning of a sentence.

