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Venus Quiz

Choose the best answer for each question.

1. Which number planet is Venus from the sun?
 - a. first
 - b. second
 - c. third
 - d. fourth
2. How many moons does Venus have?
 - a. zero
 - b. one
 - c. two
 - d. three
3. Why is there no water on Venus?
 - a. There is no gravity.
 - b. There *is* water on Venus.
 - c. It's a gas planet with no hard outer surface.
 - d. It's so hot that water would evaporate.
4. What is a nickname of Venus?
 - a. Earth's Sister Planet
 - b. Hot Pepper Planet
 - c. The Red Planet
 - d. The Baked Planet
5. Venus is named for the Roman goddess of what?
 - a. wisdom and guidance
 - b. fire and ice
 - c. love and beauty
 - d. peace and happiness
6. How many Earth days does one Venus day equal?
 - a. 243
 - b. 234
 - c. 432
 - d. 324
7. What is Venus' atmosphere made mostly of?
 - a. oxygen
 - b. helium
 - c. nitrogen
 - d. carbon dioxide
8. What is the average temperature on Venus?
 - a. about 260 degrees Celsius
 - b. about 460 degrees Celsius
 - c. about 360 degrees Celsius
 - d. about 160 degrees Celsius
9. If you weigh 100 pounds on Earth, about how much would you weigh on Venus?
 - a. about 190 pounds
 - b. about 140 pounds
 - c. about 90 pounds
 - d. about 60 pounds
10. What is the surface of Venus mostly covered with?
 - a. plains
 - b. mountains
 - c. volcanoes
 - d. all of these