

Galileo Galilei Mini Quiz Pack

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Life of Galileo Galilei

List at least one fact about the life of Galileo Galilei that happened in each year listed. Use the last three lines for any further notes you may want to make.

1564 _____

1581 _____

1585 _____

1589 _____

1592 _____

1609 _____

1610 _____

1613 _____

1616 _____

1632 _____

1633 _____

1638 _____

1642 _____

The Study of Astronomy

Answer each of the questions below.

1. What do astronomers study?
2. Why are most astronomers also astrophysicists?
3. What is a constellation?
4. Which planets are visible without a telescope?
5. State simply what Johannes Kepler's three laws of planetary motion tell us.
6. What planets exist in our solar system outside of the orbit of Saturn?
7. What are the largest all-purpose telescopes now in general use in Hawaii? How large are their mirrors?

