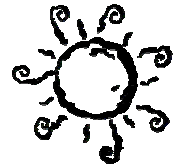




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Go to this website:

http://www.ioncmaste.ca/homepage/resources/web_resources/CSA_Astro9/files/html/module3/module3.html#1

Click on Introduction to the Earth.

Read the information provided.

Contents:

- 1. Introduction to the Earth**
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- 3. Northern Lights**
- 4. Introduction to the Moon**
- 5. Lunar Surface**

Write a short summary of the information below:

When you are finished, scroll down to

2. Day and Night & the Seasons

Read the information provided. Click on the bold, blue words for their definitions.

Write a short summary of the information below:

When you are finished, click on

Load Flash Applet
Reasons for the Seasons *f*

Read the information on using the applet. Click **Open in a new window** to get a full screen view.

Run the applet often enough to understand the "reasons of seasons."

Many people have the misconception that seasons are caused by the Earth being closer to the Sun in summer and farther away from the Sun in winter.

Make an informational handout in the space below to explain why this is not so and what really causes the seasons. Include a diagram.

