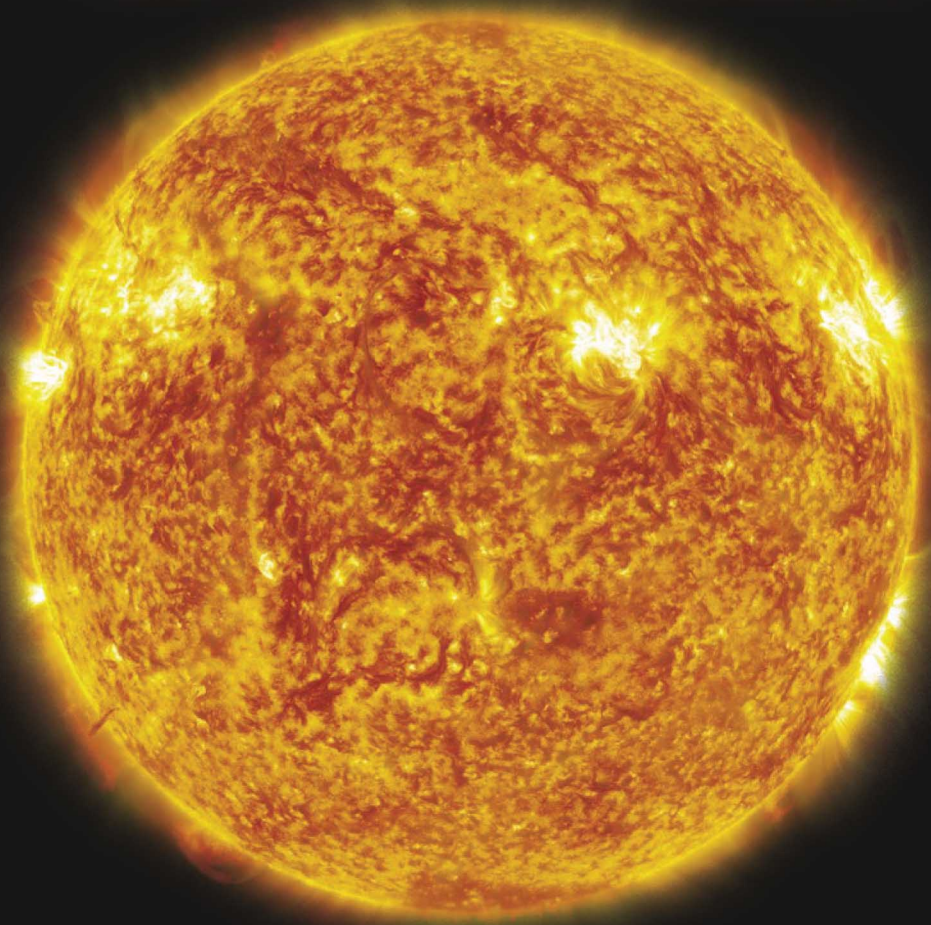
TALK ABOUT TEXTS

Our Sun



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Say

'Listen carefully while I read the contents page and page 3 to you.'

Read

Read the contents page and page 3 to the students.

Check Understanding

- On which page can we find out how the Sun helps us?
- What will we read about on page 14?
- What are two things the Sun can do?
- What does the word 'introduction' mean?
- What is the meaning of the word 'wondered'? Can you think of another word that the author could have used instead?

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Introduction

The **Sun** lights up the sky.
The sunshine feels warm on our skin.
Have you ever wondered why?



The Sun gives us light and heat during the day.

Talk

What do you think we will learn from reading this book? What tells you this?

I **think** we will learn about _____ because _____.

What question would you ask the author about the introduction?

The **question** I would ask the author is '_____?'

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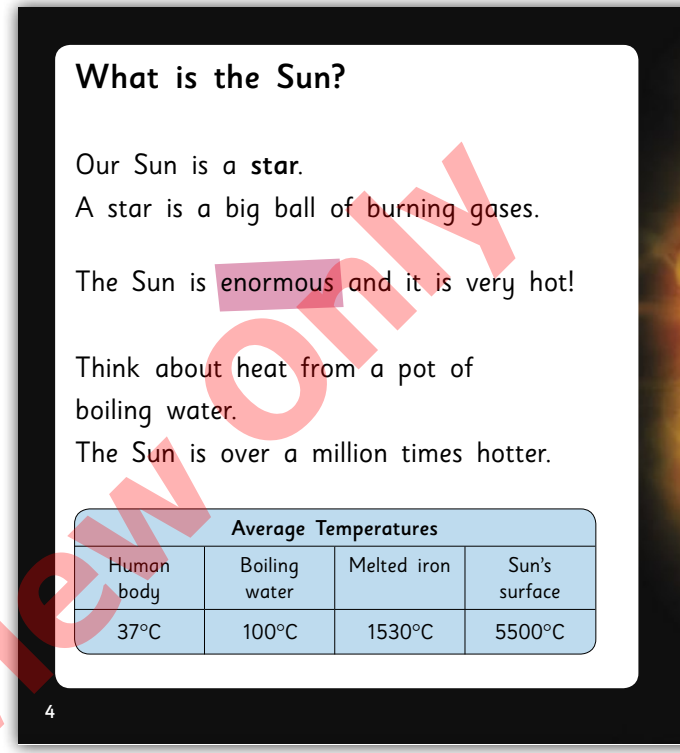
'Let's read pages 4 and 5 together.'

Read

Read pages 4–5 together with the students.

Check Understanding

- What is our Sun?
- What is the hottest thing in the table on page 4?
- How many planet Earths could fit inside the Sun?
- What is the opposite of the word 'enormous'?



What is the Sun?

Our Sun is a **star**.
A star is a big ball of burning gases.

The Sun is enormous and it is very hot!

Think about heat from a pot of boiling water.
The Sun is over a million times hotter.

Average Temperatures			
Human body	Boiling water	Melted iron	Sun's surface
37°C	100°C	1530°C	5500°C

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Talk

What is the main idea on these pages?

I **think** the **main idea** is _____.

What question was answered in this section?

The **question** that was answered was '_____?'

What is an interesting fact that you learnt about the Sun on these pages?

I **learnt** _____.

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