



Previous, Current, and Future Missions to Mars: Mariner 4

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Mariner 4 was a small robotic spacecraft that was sent to Mars on November 28, 1964 to complete one flyby. It flew over Mars in July, 1965 and took pictures of the surface with its digital tape recorder. The images showed lunar-type impact craters. After its flyby, it continued in orbit around the Sun for three years.

The Benchmark Lessons were developed with the help of the following sources:

JPL's Mars Missions website, <http://mars.jpl.nasa.gov/missions/>

JPL's Planetary Photojournal, <http://photojournal.jpl.nasa.gov/>

The NASA Image Exchange, <http://nix.nasa.gov/>

Mission to Mars: Project Based Learning: Dr. Anthony Petrosino, Department of Curriculum and Instruction,
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