



RED PLANET DAY

Here are five out-of-this-world facts about Mars!

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THINK WINTER IS COLD ON EARTH?

Temperatures on Mars can be as low as

-190°F



IT TAKES ABOUT

687 DAYS

FOR MARS TO ORBIT THE



SCIENTISTS BELIEVE THERE WERE ONCE
RIVERS, LAKES, AND OCEANS ON THE PLANET
(MEANING THERE MAY REALLY HAVE BEEN LIFE ON MARS!)



The Red Planet is home to the largest
volcano in the solar system, Olympus Mons.

The planet's red color comes
from high levels of iron oxide
minerals on the surface.