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comet [comet comets] *BrE* ['kɒmɪt] ^ˈ *NAmE* ['kɑːmət] ^ˈ *noun*

a mass of ice and dust that moves around the sun and looks like a bright star with a tail

Word Origin:late Old English, from Latin *cometa*, from Greek *komētēs* 'long-haired (star)', from *komē* 'hair'; reinforced by Old French *comete*.**comet**

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an object in space like a bright ball with a long tail, that moves around the sun:

* Halley's comet

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