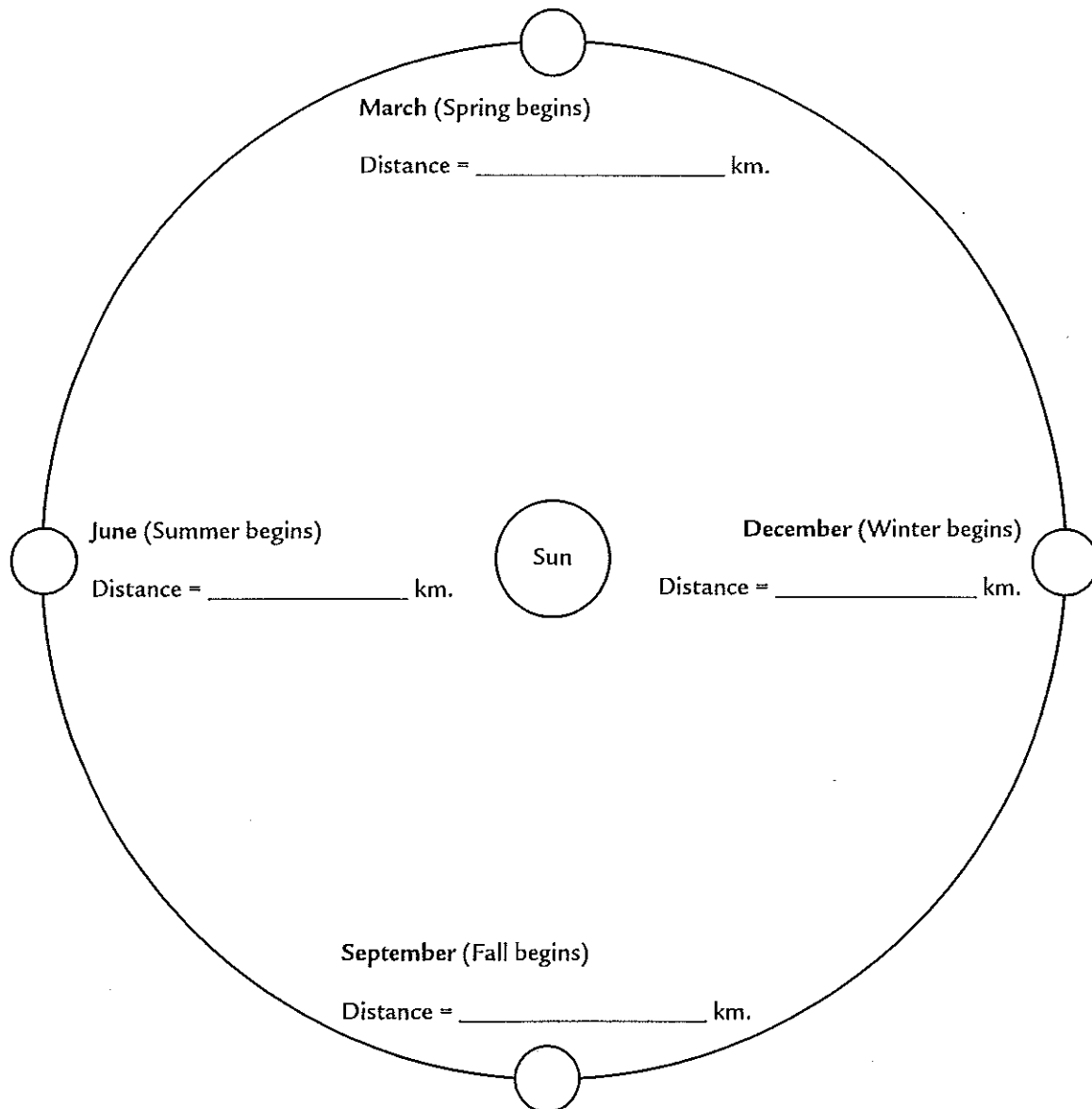


Earth's Year Viewed from Space: Top View



Earth's Year Viewed from Space: Side View

Earth's orbit is not really stretched out as in the drawing below. It is shown this way because when you look at a circle from the side and slightly above, this is what it looks like.

The Sun is much larger than Earth, but is small in the diagram so that you will have room to draw Earth's position in each of the four seasons.

