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## Shooting Stars vs. Meteors: Unraveling the Cosmic Confusion

### Short Answer

1. Explain the journey of a meteoroid from its origin to its appearance as a shooting star in the night sky.
2. How do meteorites differ from meteoroids, and what information can scientists obtain from studying meteorites?
3. What are some possible sources of meteoroids in our solar system?
4. Describe the common misconception associated with the term "shooting star" and why it is incorrect.
5. Share an interesting fact or piece of trivia about meteors or meteoroids that you find fascinating.

