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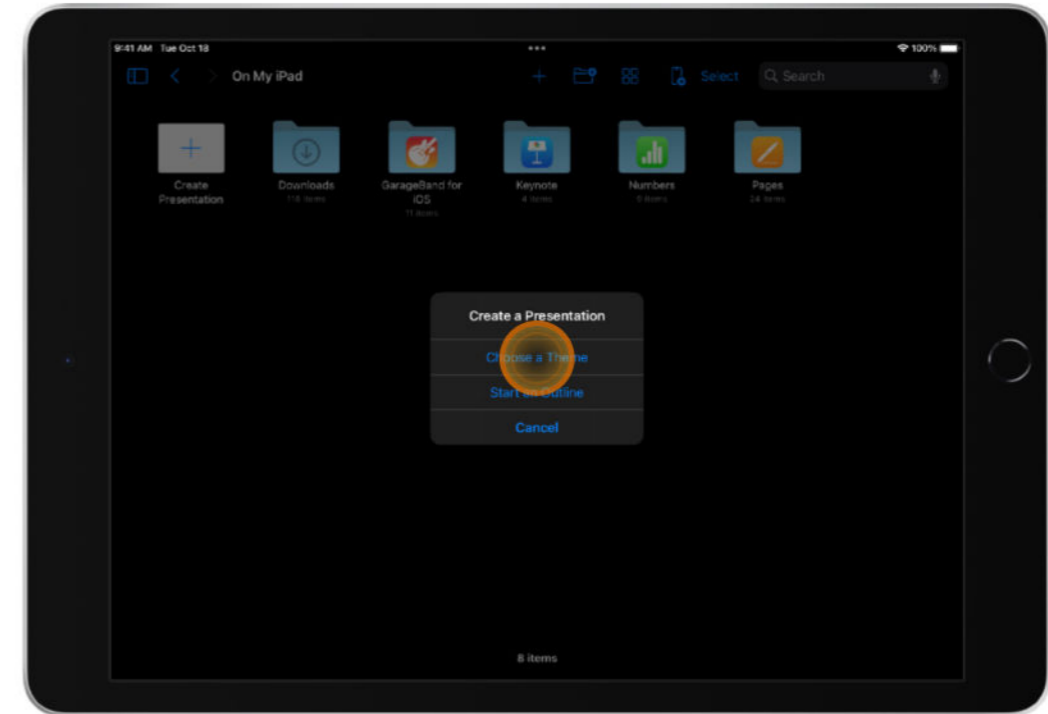
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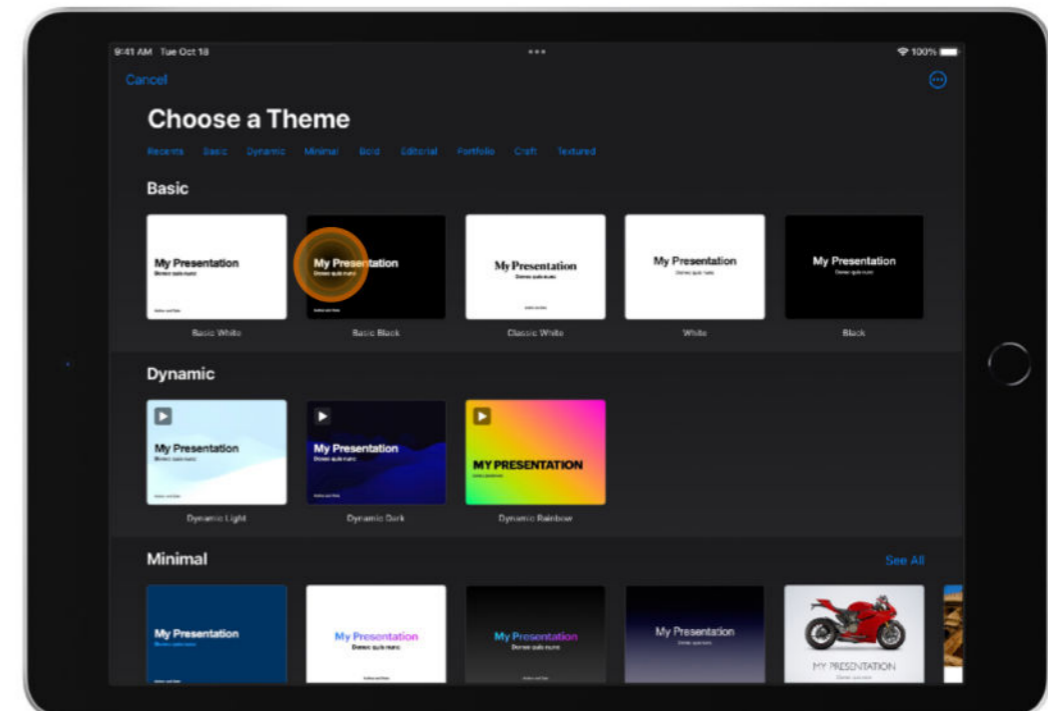
Use Apple Pencil *To Draw the Solar System in Keynote*

1 Open Keynote. Tap Create a Presentation.

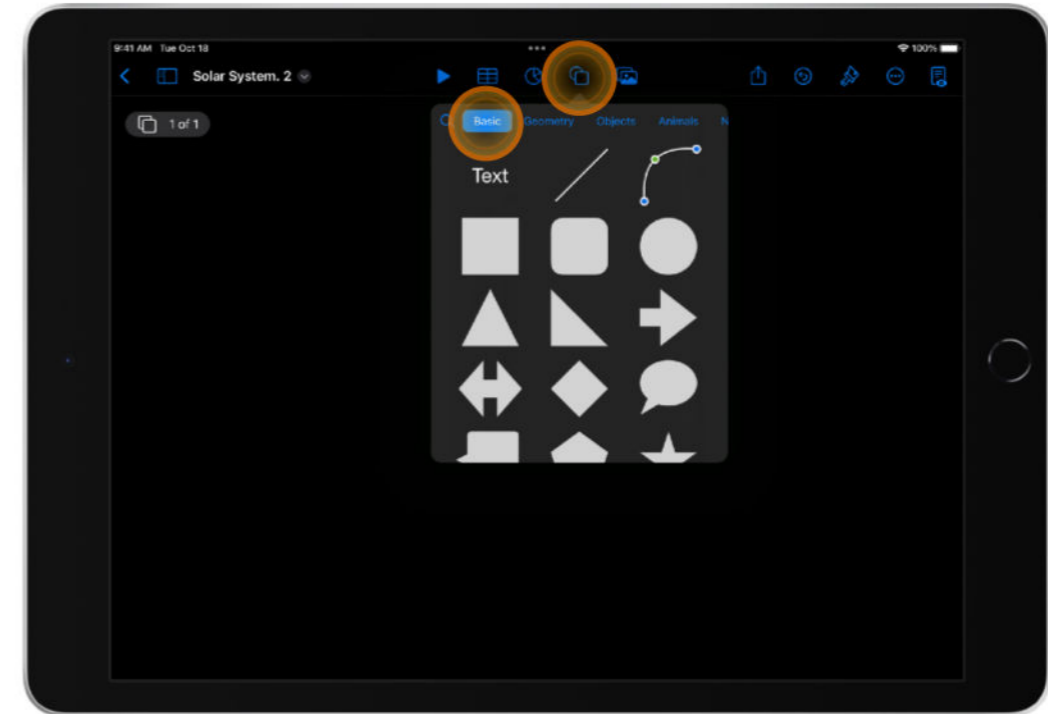**2** Choose from a variety of designer themes, or choose a basic theme.

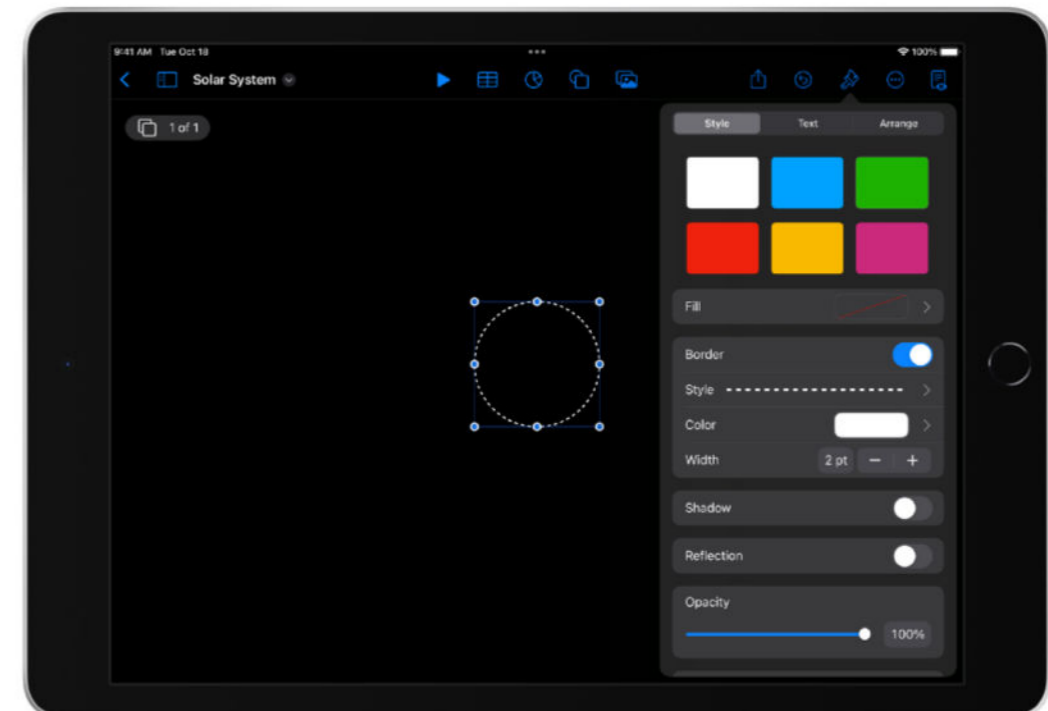**TIP:** A Theme with a dark background will work best for this activity.

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3 Tap Shapes ⬡ at the top of the toolbar.

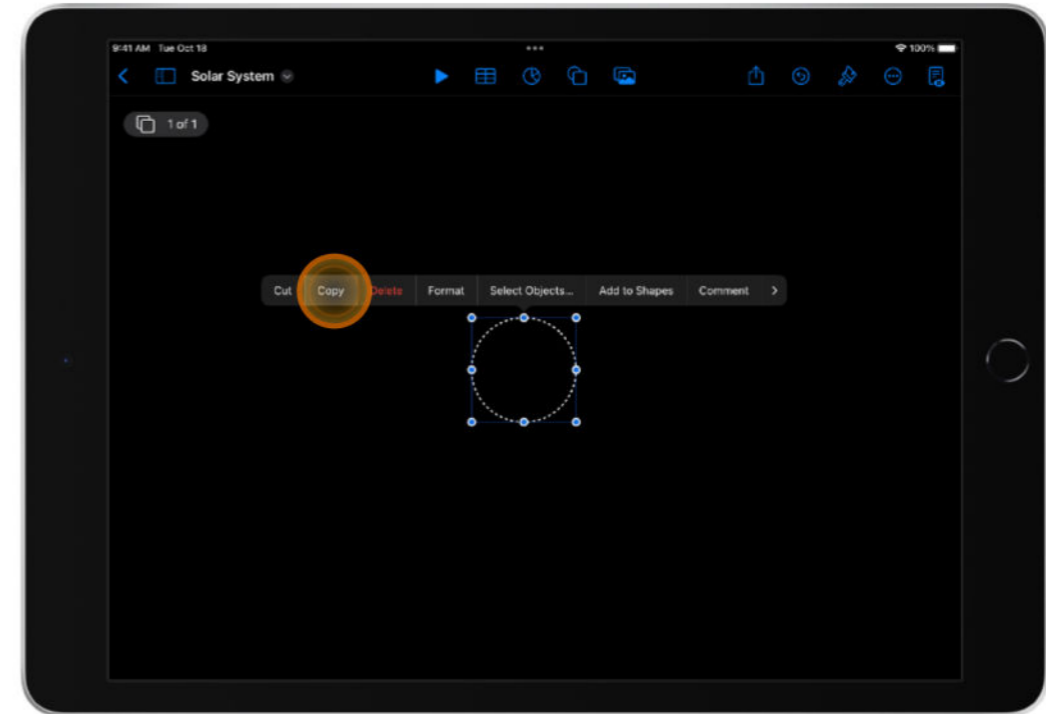After selecting Shapes, tap Basic and select the Circle shape.

4 From the toolbar at the top of the screen, tap Format ✎ to format the circle.

Turn on Border and change it to a dashed white border.
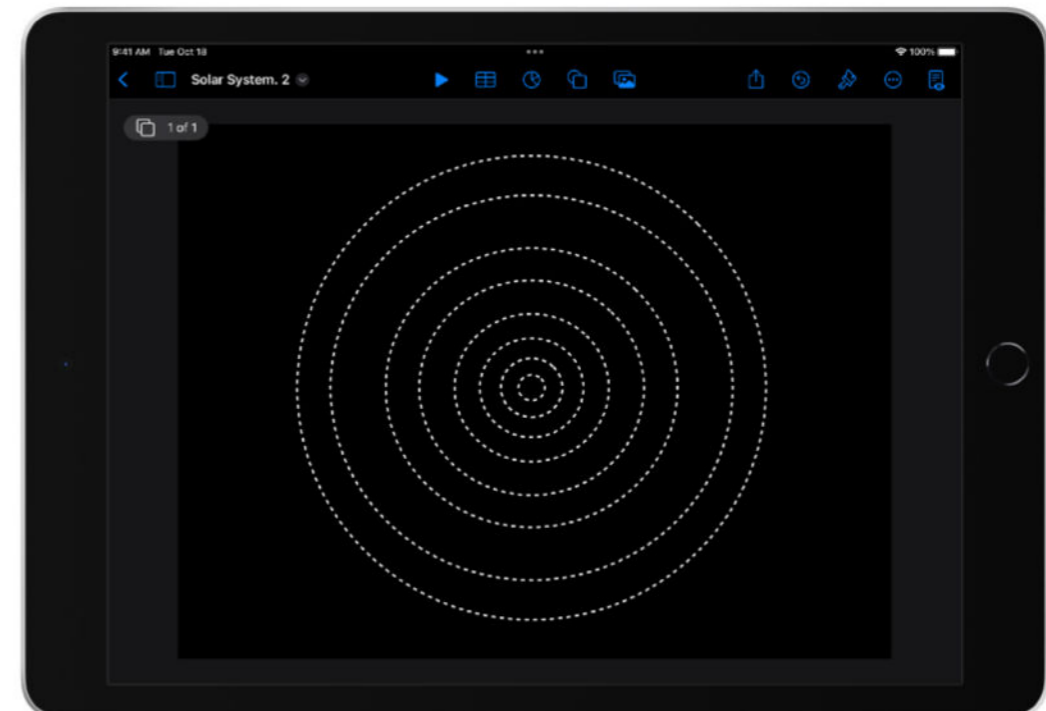
Tap Fill, and select No Fill.

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Tap the circle, and select Copy.

Tap anywhere on the screen and select Paste. You now have two identical circles. Repeat this process six more times for a total of eight circles.

Keeping the original circle, resize the remaining seven circles so that each one is slightly larger than the previous one.

6

Touch and hold each circle to move it.

Arrange all the circles so that they form a concentric pattern (like our solar system).

TIP: To keep the circles perfectly round, follow the diagonal guide when enlarging or reducing a circle's size.

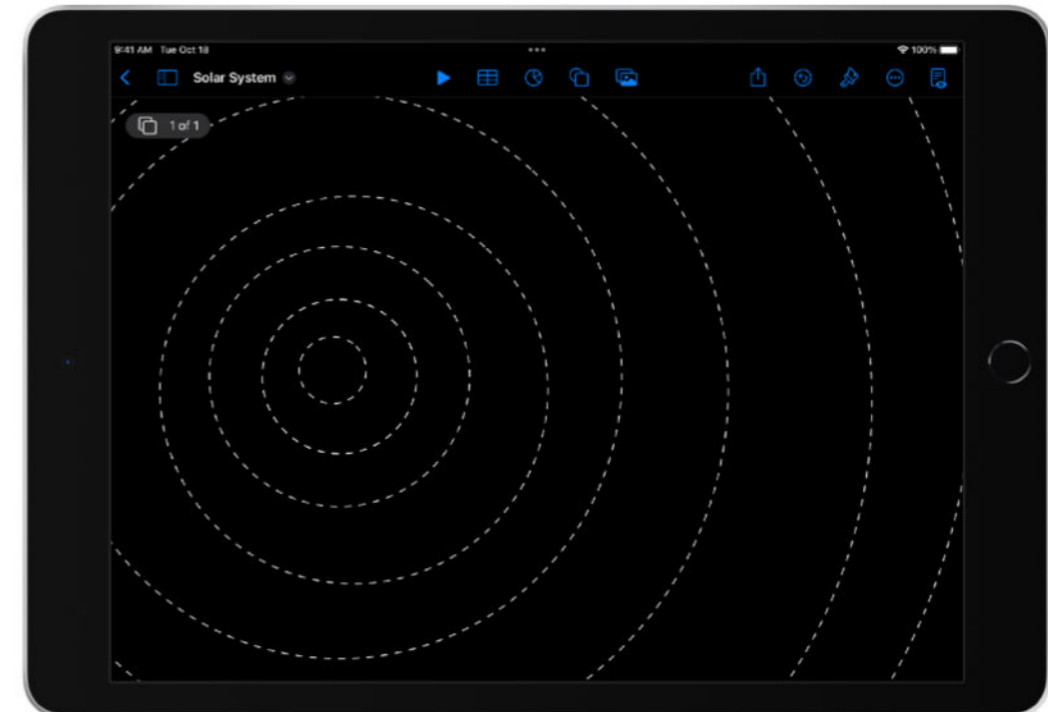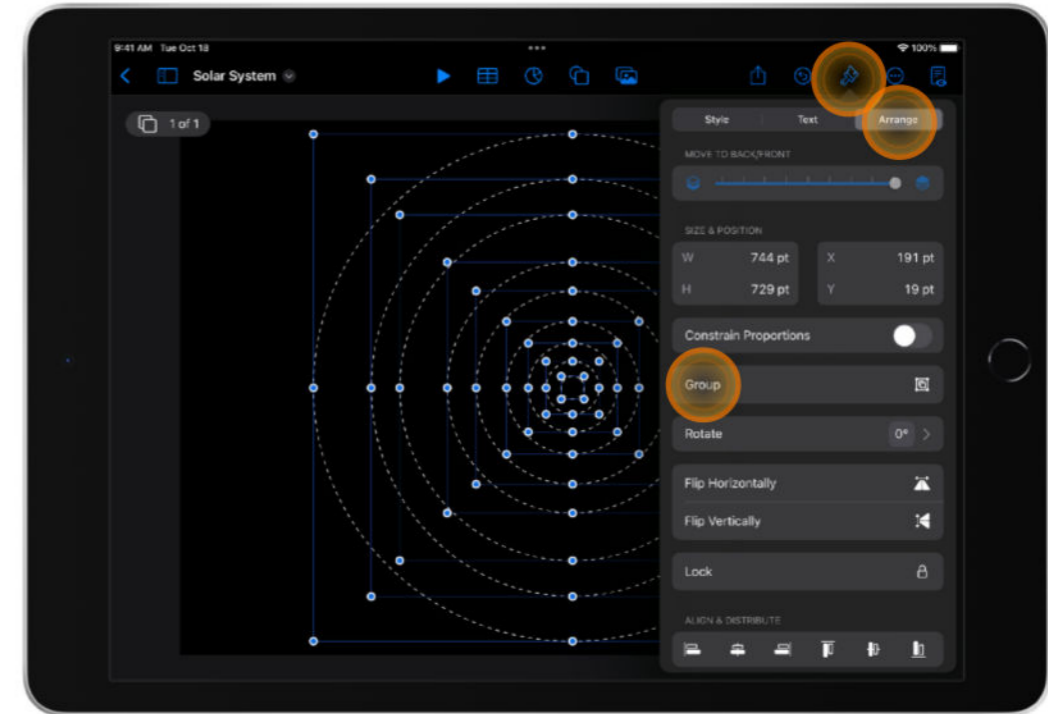**7** Tap anywhere on the screen to display the menu.

Tap Select Objects.

Tap Select All.

Tap Format ✎ on the toolbar at the top of the screen.

Tap Group (this groups all circles into one object so you can move it or resize it).
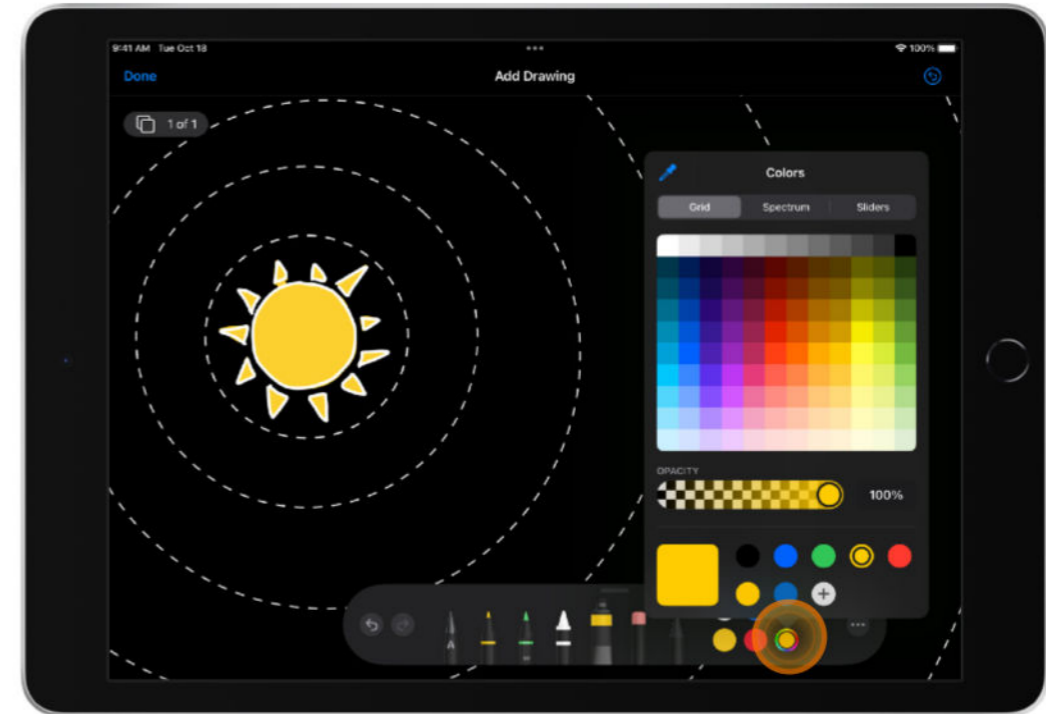

8 Now that the circles are grouped as one object, you can reposition it or zoom in.

9 Draw a sun in the centre of the concentric circles.

Use the Paint tool to fill it in, and use the colour palette to select a colour.

10 Now draw the other planets and arrange them in order.

Use the Pen tool to outline the planets, the Paint tool to fill them, and the Crayon tool to give texture or other identifying characteristics.

Pinch open or closed to zoom in or out to create more detail.