

As you read, use other skills, such as summarizing and connecting, to help you understand comparisons and contrasts.

## **Target Your Reading**

Use this to focus on the main ideas as you read the chapter.

- **1) Before you read** the chapter, respond to the statements below on your worksheet or on a numbered sheet of paper.
  - Write an A if you agree with the statement.
  - Write a **D** if you **disagree** with the statement.
- **After you read** the chapter, look back to this page to see if you've changed your mind about any of the statements.
  - If any of your answers changed, explain why.
  - Change any false statements into true statements.
  - Use your revised statements as a study guide.

Before You Read A or D		Statement	After You Read A or D
	1	Fats usually are the main sources of energy for your body.	
	2	You can live longer without water than without food.	
	3	Enzymes in the esophagus help digest foods.	
	4	Bacteria in the large intestine produce vitamin D.	
	5	Water absorption occurs mostly in the small intestine.	
	6	Air enters and leaves your body when your diaphragm contracts and relaxes.	
	7	The exchange of oxygen and carbon dioxide happens in the bronchi.	
	8	Breathing is the same as respiration.	
	9	Your kidneys function as waste filters for your blood.	
	10	Your skin is part of your excretory system.	