

## **Target Your Reading**

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

- **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<br>A or D |   | Statement   | After You Read<br>A or D |
|---------------------------|---|---|--------------------------|
|                           | 1 | All Earth's resources are able to be replenished.   |                          |
|                           | 2 | Fossil fuels must be burned to release the energy they hold.  |                          |
|                           | 3 | The only unlimited source of energy for Earth is the Sun.   |                          |
|                           | 4 | Air pollution can be cleaned when it reacts with sunlight.  |                          |
|                           | 5 | Underground water supplies are safe from pollution.   |                          |
|                           | 6 | Some household items, such as batteries and paint, are hazardous and may pollute the environment if disposed incorrectly. |                          |
|                           | 7 | Conservation can help prevent shortages of natural resources.   |                          |
|                           | 8 | Certain plastics can be recycled into items such as carpeting and clothing.   |                          |
|                           | 9 | Aluminum is the only metal that can be recycled.  |                          |

As you read, keep track
of questions you answer
in the chapter. This will help
you remember what you read.