

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 | Earth's revolution around the Sun causes day and night to occur. | |
| | 2 | The same side of the Moon always faces Earth. | |
| | 3 | A lunar eclipse occurs when the Moon comes between Earth and the Sun. | |
| | 4 | As Earth rotates, different places pass through high and low tide. | |
| | 5 | The orbits of the planets are slightly elliptical. | |
| | 6 | Kilometers are the most useful unit of measure when discussing objects in our solar system. | |
| | 7 | Mars is the third planet from the Sun and is nick- named the blue planet. | |
| | 8 | Constellations are groups of stars that form patterns in the sky. | |
| | 9 | The color of a star indicates its temperature. | |
| | 10 | Scientists often use astronomical units to measure distances between galaxies. | |

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