

## Reading Tip

Make connections with memorable events, places, or people in your life. The better the connection, the more likely you will remember.

### 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.
- 2 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
	<b>1</b> One hormone can affect several types of tissues.	
	<b>2</b> Chemical messages travel among endocrine glands and coordinate their functions.	
	<b>3</b> The endocrine system regulates the function of the reproductive system.	
	<b>4</b> Sperm form in the prostate gland.	
	<b>5</b> The head of a sperm contains genetic material.	
	<b>6</b> Eggs form in females before birth.	
	<b>7</b> Fertilization of an egg by a sperm occurs in the uterus.	
	<b>8</b> The monthly reproductive cycle of a female is menopause.	
	<b>9</b> The umbilical cord connects the fetus to the mother.	
	<b>10</b> Adulthood is the stage of development when a person stops growing.	