

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 A or D		Statement	After You Read A or D
	1	If an object is moving, unbalanced forces are acting on the object.	
	2	When you jump up into the air, the ground exerts a force on you.	
	3	A force is a push or a pull.	
	4	Gravity does not pull on astronauts while in orbit around Earth.	
	5	Objects must be touching each other to apply forces on one another.	
	6	An object traveling in a circle at a constant speed is not accelerating.	
	7	Action and reaction force pairs cancel each other because they are equal in size but opposite in direction.	
	8	Gravity pulls on all objects that have mass.	
	9	An object at rest can have forces acting on it.	

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