

Reading Tip

Forming your own mental images will help you remember what you read.

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
	1 Fossil fuels formed millions of years ago from the remains of plants and animals.	
	2 Coal is classified as metamorphic rock.	
	3 Nonrenewable energy resources are being used faster than natural Earth processes can replace them.	
	4 Nuclear energy produced by the splitting of heavy elements is a nonrenewable energy resource.	
	5 Solar energy is an example of a renewable energy resource.	
	6 Most places have winds strong enough to commercially generate electricity.	
	7 Economic profitability does not have to be considered when describing a mineral deposit as an ore.	
	8 Most mineral resources are renewable resources.	
	9 The recycling process often uses less energy than it takes to obtain new material.	