

## Reading Tip

Graphic organizers such as the Cause-Effect organizer help you organize what you are reading so you can remember it later.

### 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> More than half of the known plant species on Earth can be found in rain forests.	
	<b>2</b> All of Earth's living things use natural resources.	
	<b>3</b> Trees are nonrenewable resources.	
	<b>4</b> Coal, oil, and wind are three examples of nonrenewable resources.	
	<b>5</b> Some landfills are lined with plastic to prevent pollutants from escaping.	
	<b>6</b> Water is a nonrenewable resource.	
	<b>7</b> Automobiles are not a large source of air pollution.	
	<b>8</b> Donating unwanted clothing is one way to reduce solid waste.	
	<b>9</b> Leftover food cannot be recycled.	