

# Motion

## Before You Read

*Before you read the chapter, respond to these statements.*

1. Write an **A** if you agree with the statement.
2. Write a **D** if you disagree with the statement.

<b>Before You Read</b>	<b>Motion</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Distance and displacement are the same thing.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Velocity and speed are the same.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Whenever an object accelerates, its speed increases.</li> </ul>



*Construct the Foldable as directed at the beginning of this chapter.*

### Science Journal

*Write a paragraph describing three rides in an amusement park and how rides cause you to move.*

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## Section 1 Describing Motion

**Skim** Section 1 of the chapter. Read the headings and illustration captions. Write three questions that come to mind.

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2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

**Review Vocabulary**

**Define** *meter* to reflect its scientific meaning.

*meter*

\_\_\_\_\_

**New Vocabulary**

Use your book to define the words below.

*motion*

\_\_\_\_\_

*distance*

\_\_\_\_\_

*displacement*

\_\_\_\_\_

*speed*

\_\_\_\_\_

**Contrast** the average speed and the instantaneous speed of a runner in a race.

*average speed*

\_\_\_\_\_

*instantaneous speed*

\_\_\_\_\_

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**Academic Vocabulary**

Use a dictionary to define *position* with its scientific meaning.

*position*

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Section 1 Describing Motion (continued)

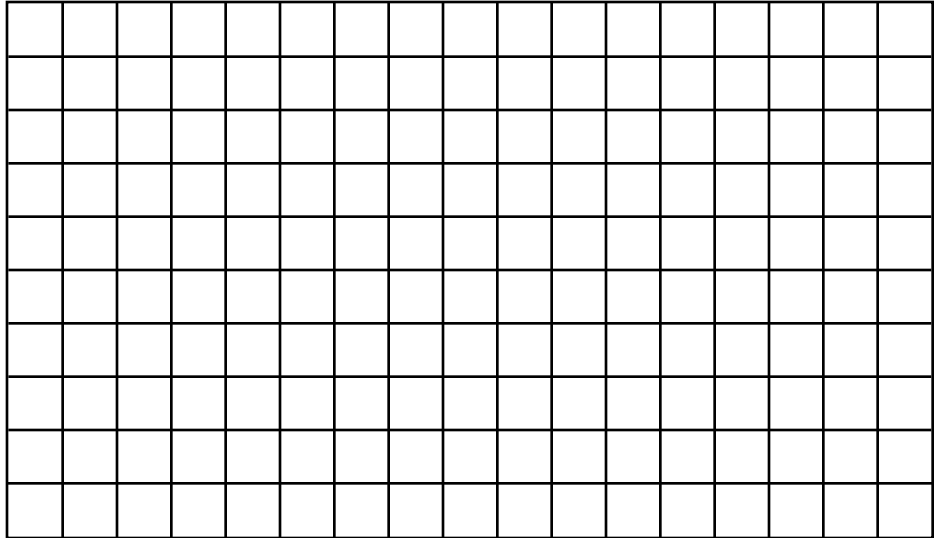
**Main Idea**

**Motion and Position**

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**Details**

**Draw** a winding path that covers a distance of 70 miles and finishes with a displacement 20 miles southwest of the starting point. Label your diagram with the distance and direction traveled.

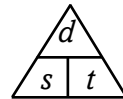


**Speed**

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**Analyze** the formula for speed by looking at the diagram and filling in the prompts.

Put your finger over the *s* on the diagram. Now write the formula for speed. \_\_\_\_\_



Put your finger over the *d* on the diagram. Write the calculation to find distance when you know speed and time. \_\_\_\_\_

Prove to yourself that these formulas are correct by checking the units.

$$\text{speed (units of } \quad \text{or } \quad ) = \frac{\text{distance (units of } \quad \text{or } \quad )}{\text{time (units of } \quad \text{or } \quad )}$$

$$\text{distance (units of } \quad ) = \text{speed (units of } \quad ) \times \text{time (units of } \quad )$$

Note that the units always turn out the same on both sides of the equation.

Section 1 Describing Motion (continued)

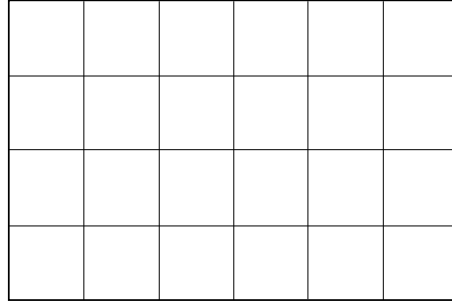
**Main Idea**

**Graphing Motion**

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**Details**

**Create a graph to show the progress of a runner who runs a 1-kilometer race in 3 minutes. The runner gets off to a fast start, runs the middle of the race at a more moderate pace, and then sprints to the finish.**



Graphing Checklist:

- title
- scale on  $x$ -axis
- units on  $x$ -axis
- label on  $x$ -axis
- scale on  $y$ -axis
- units on  $y$ -axis
- label on  $y$ -axis

**ANALYZE IT**

Analyze the following statement. "A boat traveled at 10 km/h for one hour, then at 13 km/h for two hours, and finally at 11 km/h for another hour. The average speed over the whole trip was 15 km/h." Support your analysis with a calculation.

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